

**SPONSOR**

Delta Stewardship Council

**RECORD TYPE**

Project

**PROGRAM OVERSEEING EFFORT**

Delta Science Program

**REFERENCE NUMBER**

N/A

**CONTRACT NUMBER**

578

**STATUS**

Active (0%)

**TARGET DATES**

**Start** 1/13/2016

**End** 6/30/2016

**FUNDING**

**Total Proposed Funding**

\$4,000

**Total Actual Funding**

\$3,688

**Fund Sources**

General Fund - 0001

**Budget Reference**

Delta View ID: DSC\_296

**2016 Mercury Workshop**

One of the recommendations provided in the 2003 Mercury Strategy was to create opportunities for scientists, managers, and stakeholders to assess the progress made in achieving the management goals and supporting scientific objectives outlined in the strategy. The purpose of this effort is to assess the scientific progress made in meeting the objectives defined in the 2003 Mercury Strategy. A synthesis document will be developed that will bring together information gained from a four-day workshop series involving scientists and managers from various agencies and organizations in the Delta. During this workshop series, participants will share new and recently updated scientific information related to three areas in the Mercury Strategy that have gained the most knowledge: mercury sources, cycling, and biotic effects. Presentations at the workshop will collectively provide an overview of the available knowledge with respect to mercury dynamics in the Bay-Delta ecosystem and identify conflicting evidence and information gaps, while also providing insight from globally relevant literature on mercury chemistry and exposure.

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## ALIGNMENT WITH THE DELTA PLAN

### GOAL

Improve Water Quality to Protect Human Health and

### CORE STRATEGY

#### WQ CS 4

Water Quality

Ch 6 - WQ recommendations: Improve environmental water quality

### *PERFORMANCE MEASURE(S)*

NA

## ALIGNMENT WITH THE DELTA SCIENCE PLAN

### Chapter 4

Section 4.5, Synthesis for system-wide perspectives

### COORDINATING BODIES

N/A

### TYPE

Synthesis/Communication

### HYDROLOGIC REGION(S)

Delta

### TOPICS

Ecosystem Water and Sediment Quality,  
Mine Remediation, Treatment Technology,  
Constituents – Mercury, Aquatic Food webs,  
Water Quality, Wetlands, Contaminants,  
Tidal Wetlands

