

**AGENDA SUMMARY**  
**SUTTER COUNTY FISH AND GAME COMMISSION**  
**MEETING OF September 12, 2024**

**Judge W.E. Tucker Room (At the back of the Veteran's Memorial Hall)**  
**1425 Veteran's Memorial Circle, Yuba City, CA**

The Agenda is posted in the entrance of the County Office Building at 1160 Civic Center Blvd, at the entrance of the General Services Department at 146 Garden Highway. Materials related to action items and items submitted after distribution of the Agenda packet are available on the Sutter County Website at <https://www.suttercounty.org/government/meeting-groups/fish-and-game-advisory-commission>.

**Please turn off all cell phones and electronic devices.**

**7:00 P.M. CALL TO ORDER, ROLL CALL**

**PROCEDURE FOR PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**

Members of the public will be allowed to address the Commission on items of interest to the public that are within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Fish and Game Commission. State law provides that no discussion or action may be taken on any item not appearing on the posted Agenda.

**PUBLIC COMMENT**

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

- 1) April 11, 2024, Minutes

**CONSENT CALENDAR**

- 2) Approve Treasurer's Report -
- 3) Approve submitted invoice(s) for payment/reimbursement if needed.

**CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT**

**APPEARANCE ITEMS – None at this time**

**ACTION ITEMS**

- 1) Discussion and action regarding Nelson Slough Bridge.
  - a. Setup cleanups twice a year (with SayLove) Late Spring and mid Fall
  - b. Disregard was approved last meeting.
- 2) Presentation of and discussion regarding information associated with possible grants and funding projects that align with the commission goals and activities.
- 3) Donation of Fish Egg Project Funds/Equipment: in care of Kathy Payne for Arctic Chillers and equipment at a cost of approximately \$650.00 - \$1000.00 (to be determined)
  - a. Was approved last meeting. Payment delayed due to new county software.
- 4) Discussion and planning for a Fishing Day Activity, location to be determined, commission members to provide supplies & teach children how to tie hooks, bait, etc.

- 5) Discussion and feedback on Wood-Duck box project, high school shop classes involvement, donations
- 6) Election of officers

## **COMMISSION COMMITTEES**

- a. Commission Hunt – Chuck Wyllie
- b. Boat Ramp –
- c. Education – Robert Ripley
- d. Conservation – Bruce Hutchinson
- e. Special Projects -- Chuck Wyllie
- f. Planning & Budget – Danarae Doub-Reed
- g. Fishing Committee – Robert Ripley

## **FISH AND WILDLIFE WARDEN UPDATE**

## **WILDLIFE BIOLOGIST UPDATE – NEW BIOLOGIST– Not available**

## **COMMISSIONER COMMENTS**

### **CORRESPONDENCE –**

CA Fish & Game Commission – Notice of Receipt of Petition re petition to list west burrowing owl as threatened or endangered 4/05/24, 4/10/24

Colusa County Fish and Game Commission Agenda: April 8, 2024

CA Fish & Game Commission – Continuation re proposed regulation for mammal hunting (Bighorn Sheep, Pronghorn, Elk Hunting etc) published in CA Regulatory Notice Register on 2/2/24. Notice Z2024-0123-07 scheduled 4/18/24, 4/16/24

CA Fish & Game Commission- Notice of Decision not to Proceed re: Amendment of section 7.40, Title 14 CA Code of Reg, re Central Valley Sport Fishing. 5/21/24

CA Fish & Game Commission – Notice of proposed changes in regulations re white sturgeon sport fishing. 5/29/24, 6/4/24

CA Fish & Game Commission - Notice of proposed changes in regulations re fisheries logbooks forms and fishing block charts. 5/29/24, 6/4/24

State of Ca, Fish & Game Commission – Initial Statement of reasons for regulatory actions re: Set Gill Net Service Interval, Gear Marking & Mesh Depth. 6/4/24

State of Ca, Fish & Game Commission – Proposed Regulatory Language, Subsection (b) of Section 2.30, Title 14, CCR, amended re: spearfishing. 6/4/24

CA Fish & Game Commission – Notice of Findings re White Sturgeon as threatened species under CA Endangered Species Act. 7/10/24, 7/14/24

CA Fish & Game Commission – Notice of Proposed Emergency Action re testing for chronic wasting disease. 6/28/24, 7/2/24

Colusa County Fish and Game Agenda – 6/12/24, 6/7/24

CA Fish & Game Commission – Notice of proposed emergency action re White Sturgeon catch and release. 7/2/24, 7/9/24

CA Fish & Game Commission – Notice of accepted amendment request for Previously issued Experimental Fishing Permit, re brown box crab and CA king crab. 7/31/24, 8/6/24

CA Fish & Game Commission – Notice of Proposed Changes in Regulations concerning possession of wildlife and wildlife rehabilitation. To be published on website. 7/31/24, 8/6/24

Colusa County Fish and Game Agenda – 8/14/24, 8/12/24

CA Fish & Game Commission – Notice of Receipt of Petitions re petitions to list Bear Lake buckwheat as endangered and morro manzanita as endangered species under CA Endangered Species Act. 8/7/24, 8/13/24

CA Fish & Game Commission – Notice of Findings for Milo Baker's Lupine to be listed as endangered under CA Endangered Species Act. 8/7/24, 8/13/24

CA Fish & Game Commission – Notice of changes to proposed regulations re fisheries logbooks forms and fishing block charts published in CA Regulatory Notice Register, 8/21/24, 8/27/24

CA Fish & Game Commissions – Notice of changes to proposed regulation re possession of wildlife & wildlife rehabilitation. 8/26/24, 8/28/24

**For absences or agenda information please contact:**

Chuck Wyllie (530) 671-9250

**MINUTES OF THE  
SUTTER COUNTY FISH AND GAME ADVISORY COMMISSION  
MEETING OF  
April 11, 2024**

At 1425 Veteran's Memorial Circle, Tucker Room, Yuba City, CA

**Members Present:**

Ronald Benton  
Bill McFarland  
Donald Manley  
Donald Priem  
Larry Virga  
Chuck Wyllie

**Members Excused:**

Danarae Doub-Reed  
Thaddeus Eubanks  
Bruce Hutchinson  
Robert Ripley  
Tiffany Walden

**Members Absent:**

Michael Arnold

**Others Present:** (signing is voluntary, this list represents guests that signed the sign-in sheet)

Dale Whitmore

**PUBLIC COMMENT:**

**REGULAR MEETING:**

Called the regular meeting to order.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

March 14, 2024, Minutes

Motion to approve: To Approve

By: Doub-Reed      Second: Priem

Yeas: 8      Nays: 0      Abstain: 0

Action of Commission:      Approved

## **CONSENT CALENDAR**

- 1) Treasurer's Report – Report/Approval of expenditures for March 2024. – No expenditures.

By:                      Second:  
Yeas: 0              Nays: 0              Abstain: 0  
Action of Commission:      Approved

- 2) Payment/Reimbursement—None

## **CHAIRPERSON REPORT**

None

## **ACTION ITEMS**

- 1) Discussion and action regarding Nelson Slough Bridge.
  - a. Reagendaize for April
    - i. Set up for twice a year, late spring April/May and mid fall October?
    - ii. With SayLove?
  - b. WAS APPROVED DURING MARCH 2024 MEETING
- 2) Presentation of and discussion regarding information associated with possible grants and funding projects that align with the commission goals and activities.
  - a. Reagendaize for May
- 3) Donation of Fish Egg Project Funds/Equipment: in care of Kathy Payne for Arctic Chillers and equipment at a cost of approximately \$650.00 - \$1000.00 (to be determined)

Motion to approve \$1200.00 one-time donation in care of Kathy Payne for Arctic Chillers & equipment.

By: Manley              Second: Doub-Reed  
Yeas: 8      Nays: 0              Abstain: 0  
Action of Commission:      Approved

- 4) Discussion and planning for a Fishing Day Activity, location to be determined, commission members to provide supplies & teach children how to tie hooks, bait, etc.
  - a. Reagendaize for May
- 5) Discussion and feedback on Wood-Duck box project, high school shop classes involvement, donations
  - a. Reagendaize for May

**Commission Committee Reports –**

- A. **Commission Hunt- Chuck Wyllie:** No Report
- B. **Boat Ramp :** No Report
- C. **Education- Robert Ripley:** No Report
- D. **Conservation- Bruce Hutchinson:** No Report
- E. **Special Projects- Chuck Wyllie:** No Report
- F. **Planning & Budget- Danarae Doub-Reed:** No Report
- G. **Fishing Committee –** None

**Fish and Wildlife Warden Update –** None

**Wildlife Biologist Update –**None

**Commissioner Comments –**

Agendize: Fishing Day Activity (Project), teaching youth how to tie hooks, etc  
Agendize: Feed back on Wood-Duck boxes, high school shop involvement, donations.

Nomination & Election of Officers

**Correspondence –**

CA Fish & Game Commission – Title 14. Fish and Game Commission Notice of Proposed changes in Regulations relating to Klamath River Basin Sport Fishing 2/24

CA Fish & Game Commission – Initial Statement of Reasons for Regulatory Action Amend Subsections of Section 7.40, Title 14 re: Central Valley Sport Fishing Regulations, 2/24

CA Fish & Game Commission – Notice of Proposed regulation action re Federal groundfish for 2024, 2/13/24

Colusa County Fish and Game Commission Agenda: March 13, 2024

CA Fish & Game Commission – Notice of Final Considerations of Petitions concerning list of Mohave Desert Tortoise and Southern California Steelhead as endangered species under the CESA, 3/6/24

**Notes-** Motion to end meeting (Not recorded)

Motion by:      Second by:

Yeas:            Nay: 0

Motion Approved

Respectfully submitted,

*Patricia DeSantis*

Sutter County General Services