

Agenda Item 4.A.3: Discussion on Subcommittees for Environmental Review and Water Management Strategies

Potential to Activate Subcommittees, if needed

- Environmental Review Subcommittee
 - Option to review past cycle(s) environmental assessment methodology for WMS evaluations and impacts to the region and consider need for updates.
 - Main environmental impacts considered:
 - Acres permanently impacted; Construction acreage impacted; Inundation acreage (for reservoirs); Wetland impact; Habitat acreage impacted; Threatened and endangered species count; Cultural resources impacted; Impacts to environmental flows
- Water Management Strategy Subcommittee
 - Option to review WMS evaluations prior to presentation to RWPG
 - Mainly updates to last cycle's WMSs