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Weekly e-mail update for the week of July 12-18, 2008

CSPA plans for the week ahead:

July 21-22. CSPA Executive Director, Bill Jennings and CSPA FERC Projects Director, Chris Shutes, will testify before the State Water Resources Control Board regarding the revocation of water rights for Auburn Dam.

These articles ran on the CSPA website, www.Calsport.Org, last week. If you missed reading any of these stories just click on the underlined link.

★ July 18- *A missed editorial from the Tracy Press about CSPA's Bill Jennings, Second Thoughts: Bill Jennings thinks he's unlocked the secret to saving the Delta, but can the water wars be put on hold in the name of battling a common enemy?* by Jon Mendelson / Tracy Press, Friday, 11 July 2008
<http://www.calsport.org/7-11-08a.htm>



★ The following article is reprinted from San Francisco Chronicle originally published nearly a year ago. It is as germane now as when it was first published because of its accurate focus on meaningful water policy changes essential to establish sustainable state water policies and programs that will work for the environment and our public. We provide this article so you can see the water wisdom that is being ignored by the current administration, which prefers concrete structures that will do little, if anything, to address the long-term water crisis facing California.

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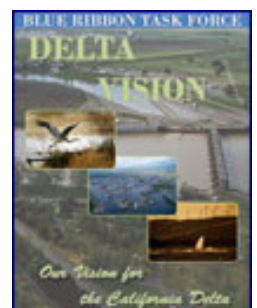
July 18- *Peripheral Canal Debate Returns Charting California's Water Future Panic makes poor policy* by Peter Gleick <http://www.calsport.org/7-18-08a.htm>

July 18- *Restore the Delta* Challenges Public Policy Institute's Support of Peripheral Canal by Dan Bacher <http://www.calsport.org/7-18-08.htm>

July 17- *Restore the Delta Press Release: BAD ASSUMPTIONS LEAD TO FAULTY ANSWERS FOR THE DELTA: RESTORE THE DELTA QUESTIONS PUBLIC POLICY INSTITUTE REPORT CALLING FOR A PERIPHERAL CANAL* <http://www.calsport.org/7-18-08d.htm>

★ July 17- *CSPA/C-Win Comments and Testimony Prompt Major Improvements in Bay-Delta Strategic Plan*
<http://www.calsport.org/7-17-08b.htm>

★ July 17- *CSPA News: Opening moves in Striper trial favor DFG and CSPA* <http://www.calsport.org/7-17-08a.htm>



July 17- PacifiCorp Surprises Klamath Dam Removal Advocates by Pulling Permit Application. Will Dam Removal Agreement be Reached Soon? by Dan Bacher
<http://www.calsport.org/7-17-08.htm>



July 16- *CSPA News*: AB's 1806 and 2175 to be heard by Senate Appropriations Committee on August 4th <http://www.calsport.org/7-16-08.htm>

July 15- Pacificorp pulls key water quality application, hearings cancelled, Eureka Times Standard http://www.times-standard.com/ci_9887774

July 15- *From the USGS*: The First Step Home? Study Suggests Upper Klamath Lake is able to Support Juvenile Salmon
<http://www.calsport.org/7-15-08a.htm>



July 15- *CSPA News*: The End of Auburn Dam? CSPA to Present Case at Hearing to Revoke Dam's Water Rights
<http://www.calsport.org/7-15-08.htm>

July 14- Is the legislature sailing us down the peripheral canal? Peralta's talking compromise with the governor FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: Bass, Perata Back Measures to Improve State's Water System <http://www.calsport.org/7-15-08b.htm>



July 11- The Tuolumne River is under assault, learn what you can do at the free seminar, July 22nd. <http://www.calsport.org/7-11-08.htm>

July 9- Fish and Wildlife Service to Consider Uplisting Delta Smelt; Service seeks useful information for analysis during 60-day comment period <http://www.calsport.org/7-9-08b.htm>

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