



Beyond 2025 Update

Principals' Staff Committee Meeting
September 17, 2024

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Public Feedback

Overarching Themes



- **Enhanced accountability and evidence-based** restoration practices.
- **Conservation as a focal area** and integration into pillars of restoration and science.
- **Address local and regional priorities** of climate resilience, environmental justice, and other “emerging” issues.
- **Importance of collaboration** and balancing needs across all partners.
- **Inclusive public engagement** to foster greater transparency and trust.
- **Technical assistance and financial support** to sustain and grow local implementation activities.

EC Recommendation 1

Areas of Support

- **Continued commitment** to the 2014 Agreement
- **Inclusive and holistic** approach
- Support for **addressing climate change** and other emerging issues
- Strengthening the processes for evidence building (**social science, monitoring needs, and measuring progress**)
- Acknowledging the Beyond 2025 effort and **challenge at hand**.

Areas of Concern

- **Timing** – strong calls for refreshed Agreement by end of 2025.
- **Vagueness** in recommendations, lack of **prioritization**.
- Lack of focus on **accountability mechanisms**.

EC Recommendation 2

Areas of Support

- **Simplification** of Structure and Processes
- Revising and Strengthening **Accountability**
- **Equity and Inclusivity**
- Robust **monitoring and data integration** to inform decision-making
- Focus on **living resources** and **healthy communities**

Areas of Concern

- Call for **more detailed specifics** of “simplification” and concern of **unintended consequences** of simplification.
- Acknowledge **tension** between addressing climate change, emerging issues and, **efforts to streamline**.

Timeline



Key Dates

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| Now | All comments posted, SC reviewing feedback, Revision team drafting edits |
| Sept 12 th | Update to MB |
| Sept 17 th | Update to PSC, guidance to Co-Chairs, discussion of next steps |
| Sept 20 th | SC receives report with proposed, tracked changes |
| Sept 24 th | SC flags any “showstoppers” for Co-Chairs |
| Sept 26 th | SC meeting, review revisions, call for consensus on final report |
| Oct 2 nd | Optional, virtual briefing for PSC members and staff – 4:15pm |
| Oct 10 th | MB meeting, formal receipt of final SC report |
| Oct 25 th | PSC meeting, formal receipt of final SC report, decision on EC action in response |

Key Dates

| September 2024 | | | | | | |
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| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 MB mtg | 13 | 14 |
| 15 | 16 | 17 PSC mtg | 18 | 19 | 20 revisions | 21 |
| 22 | 23 | 24 show-stoppers? | 25 | 26 SC mtg | 27 | 28 |
| 29 | 30 | | | | | |

| October 2024 | | | | | | |
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