Wetland Migration Workshop

September 18-19, 2023

Bay Area Metro Center, 375 Beale Street, San Francisco, CA Yerba Buena Meeting Room (1st Floor)

*Speaker lists are tentative



Day 1 Program - Monday September 18, 2023

9:00 AM	Welcome and	Land Ac	knowledgment
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9:15 AM Opening Plenary and Panel

Moderator:

Julie Beagle (U.S. Army Corps of Engineers)

Panelists:

Phoenix Armenta (SF Bay Conservation & Development Commission)

Ellen Blake (EPA Region 9)

Juliana González (The Watershed Project) Amy Hutzel (State Coastal Conservancy)

10:15 AM Break (15 min)

Coffee will be provided

10:30 AM Design and Engineering Advances to Support Nature-Based Adaptation

Facilitator:

Renee Spenst (Ducks Unlimited)

Presenters:

Steve Carroll (Ducks Unlimited)

Gavin Archbald (H. T. Harvey & Associates)

Stuart Siegel (SF Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve)

11:50 AM Lunch (40 min)

Lunch will be provided

12:30 PM Restoration Techniques

Facilitator:

Evyan Borgnis Sloane (State Coastal Conservancy)

Presenters:

Peter Baye (Baye Environmental Consulting)

Jesse McKeen-Scott (Save The Bay)

Jeanne Hammond (Olofson Environmental)

1:50 PM Break (20 min)

2:10 PM Implementation Pathways: Getting to Scale on Nature-based Solutions

Facilitator:

Jennifer Siu (U.S. Environmental Protection Agency)

Presenters:

Sahrye Cohen (U.S. Environmental Protection Agency)

Ellen Plane (SF Estuary Institute)
Heidi Nutters (SF Estuary Partnership)

3:30 PM Networking Session

Beverages and light snacks will be provided

5:00 PM Conclusion

Day 2 Program - Tuesday September 19, 2023

9:00 AM Welcome and Land Acknowledgment

9:15 AM Opening Plenary and Panel

Moderator:

Annie Burke (TOGETHER Bay Area)

Panelists:

Violet Wulf-Saena (Climate Resilient Communities)

Jeremy Lowe (SF Estuary Institute)

Willam Connor (U.S. Army Corps of Engineers)

David Lewis (Save The Bay)

Caitlin Sweeney (SF Estuary Partnership)

10:15 AM Break (15 min)

Coffee will be provided

10:30 AM Wetland Monitoring

Facilitator:

Christina Toms (San Francisco Bay Regional Water Quality Control Board)

Presenters:

Julian Wood (Point Blue) Josh Nuzzo (Point Blue)

Katie Smith (WRA Environmental Consultants)

Caitlin Crain (SF Estuary Institute)

11:50 AM Lunch (40 min)

Lunch will be provided

12:30 PM Community Engagement

Facilitator:

Jessica Davenport (State Coastal Conservancy/SF Bay Restoration Authority)

Presenters:

Alex Thomsen (SF Estuary Partnership)

Linda Tong (State Coastal Conservancy/SF Bay Restoration Authority)

Barbara Camacho Garcia (Grassroots Ecology)
Violet Wulf-Saena (Climate Resilient Communities)

1:50 PM Break (20 min)

2:10 PM Vision for the Future: Next Generation at the Shoreline

Facilitator:

Will Geiken (SF Estuary Partnership)

Presenters:

Diana Fu (SF Estuary Partnership)

Nina Omomo (Literacy for Environmental Justice)

3:30 PM Conclusion





