

Jurisdictional Meeting
Quino Addition to the South County Subarea Plan
October 31, 2017, 2:00-3:30 PM
Meeting Notes

Attendees:

PDS: Peter Eichar, Eira Whitty

DPR: Dallas Pugh

Jurisdiction Attendees: Gerry Canfield – Padre Dam Municipal Water District (PDMWD); Amber Craig – U.S. Border Patrol

Meeting Attendee	Question/Comment/Topic:	Response/Way Forward:
Gerry	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Why is the Quino Addition anticipated to take 4 years to complete? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The 4-year project schedule anticipates an EIR/EIS, which is estimated to take 2 years to complete. However, the final environmental document is to be determined
Amber	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Does MSCP require additional habitat protections? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> For any project with a covered species on its site, the project is required to address potential impacts to habitat in order to receive an incidental take permit from the Wildlife Agencies or through the County's permit The MSCP offers greater flexibility in mitigation and may be more effective because the MSCP creates a regional habitat preserve The MSCP streamlines this process through the County
Peter	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Has anyone in the group worked with the MSCP – South County Subarea Plan, any of its covered species, or a similar plan? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> (Gerry) Some of PDMWD projects have been in the vicinity of California gnatcatcher habitat and different protected plant species PDMWD has purchased land at Daly Ranch for project mitigation
Gerry	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PDMWD is working on a recycled water project, would the County be able to provide permitting assistance under the MSCP? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Because the Water District owns the land, the County has no jurisdiction over those lands. However, there is a process where District lands can be brought into the MSCP If the land transfers from public to private ownership, there is an amendment process to add the land under the MSCP