

20. INVENTORY OF UNCONVEYED STATE SCHOOL LANDS AND SUBMERGED LANDS  
POSSESSING SIGNIFICANT ENVIRONMENTAL VALUES - W 9287.

During consideration of Calendar Item 18 attached, Mr. E. N. Gladish, Executive Officer, informed the Commission that the Division had received a considerable amount of correspondence concerning the item. At this time, Mr. Gladish suggested that instead of approving the proposed recommendation, the Commission authorize the staff to hold a public hearing to receive comments on the draft report prior to formal action by the Commission. The Commission, therefore, deferred the recommended action and instead authorized the staff to hold a public hearing.

Upon motion duly made and carried, the following resolution was adopted:

THE COMMISSION AUTHORIZES THE STAFF TO HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING TO RECEIVE COMMENTS ON THE DRAFT REPORT ENTITLED "INVENTORY OF UNCONVEYED STATE SCHOOL LANDS AND TIDE AND SUBMERGED LANDS POSSESSING SIGNIFICANT ENVIRONMENTAL VALUES", SAID REPORT BEING PURSUANT TO PRC 6370.

Attachment:

Calendar Item 18 (2 pages)

INVENTORY OF UNCONVEYED STATE SCHOOL LANDS AND TIDE  
AND SUBMERGED LANDS POSSESSING SIGNIFICANT ENVIRONMENTAL VALUES

Section 6370 of the Public Resources Code, as enacted by Chapter 1555 in 1970 and subsequently amended in 1973 with the passage of Chapter 688, requires that the State Lands Commission shall:

1. inventory unconveyed State school and tide and submerged lands;
2. identify those lands which possess significant environmental values of Statewide interest;
3. adopt regulations necessary to assure permanent protection to the identified significant lands; and
4. report to the Legislature:
  - a. the lands determined to possess significant environmental values;
  - b. the criteria upon which the determination of significant environmental values were made;
  - c. the regulations adopted by the Commission to assure permanent protection of such lands;
  - d. the recommendations of any additional actions necessary for permanent protection of such identified lands.

The prescribed project was begun by the Division in 1970. Listed is a summary of actions by the State Lands Division to meet the requirements of the Legislature:

1. The inventory of unconveyed State school and tide and submerged lands was completed by staff and distributed in mid-May 1973 to governmental agencies, organizations and individuals for nomination of lands for the inventory.
2. The lands nominated and finally determined to possess significant environmental values are listed in the report on file in the office of the State Lands Commission and by reference made a part hereof.
3. The State Lands Commission is concurrently adopting emergency measures to assure permanent protection to the identified environmentally significant lands, as listed in the report.

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4. The report contains:

- a. A listing of those lands determined to possess significant environmental values.
- b. The criteria upon which the determination of significant environmental values were made, which were adopted by the State Lands Commission at its December 20, 1973 meeting.
- c. The regulations proposed by the staff to be adopted concurrently herewith to assure permanent protection of such lands.
- d. The recommended additional actions necessary for permanent protection of such identified lands.

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT THE COMMISSION:

1. CERTIFY COMPLIANCE WITH ALL REQUIREMENTS OF CHAPTER 1555, STATUTES OF 1970, AS AMENDED BY CHAPTER 688, STATUTES OF 1973, NOW CODIFIED AS PUBLIC RESOURCES CODE SECTION 6370, ET SEQ. HAVING TO DO WITH AN INVENTORY OF UNCONVEYED STATE SCHOOL LANDS AND TIDE AND SUBMERGED LANDS POSSESSING SIGNIFICANT ENVIRONMENTAL VALUES.
2. APPROVE A REPORT ENTITLED "INVENTORY OF UNCONVEYED STATE SCHOOL LANDS AND TIDE AND SUBMERGED LANDS POSSESSING SIGNIFICANT ENVIRONMENTAL VALUES" ON FILE IN THE OFFICE OF THE STATE LANDS COMMISSION AND BY REFERENCE MADE A PART HEREOF.
3. AUTHORIZE THE EXECUTIVE OFFICER TO SUBMIT THE REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE, SAID REPORT TO BE DATED DECEMBER 30, 1974.