

More reverse flows in the North Delta

1. Local Agencies of the North Delta (LAND)

2015 comments on the BDCP/WaterFix

Complete document here:

<http://restorethedelta.org/wp-content/uploads/2015/11/LAND-WaterFix-Alt.-4A-Cmnt-Ltr-10.30.15.pdf>

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New Reverse Flows are Caused by the Project, Not Ameliorated by It

One of the main talking points of the project proponents is that reverse flows will be lessened by the addition of diversion points in the North Delta. Yet the Tunnels would create reverse flows anew in the North Delta. In particular, as a result of the project, **Georgiana, Sutter and Steamboat Sloughs will experience increases in reverse flows, increasing salinity and hindering fish migration.** The project does not restore a more natural flow regime for the Delta. The project simply brings reverse flow problems to the north Delta.