

3. North Delta CARES

Impacts to boating

- Boating navigation will be restricted in the Sacramento River at three WaterFix intake locations, including cofferdams that extend into the river about 100 feet which leaves 380-580 feet for boat passage, and additional navigation restrictions in sloughs for installation of eight barge facilities on the Sacramento River, Snodgrass Slough, Little Potato Slough, San Joaquin River, Middle River, Connection Slough, Old River, and West Canal, leaving a mere 100 feet for boat passage in three locations, and only 150 and 170 in two others. Boat passage is narrowed to 100 feet or less on Sacramento River just north of Twin Cities Road and at a popular waterskiing and wakeboarding location on Old River less than two miles from Discovery Bay, which will severely confine boat traffic to a limited portion of the channel.