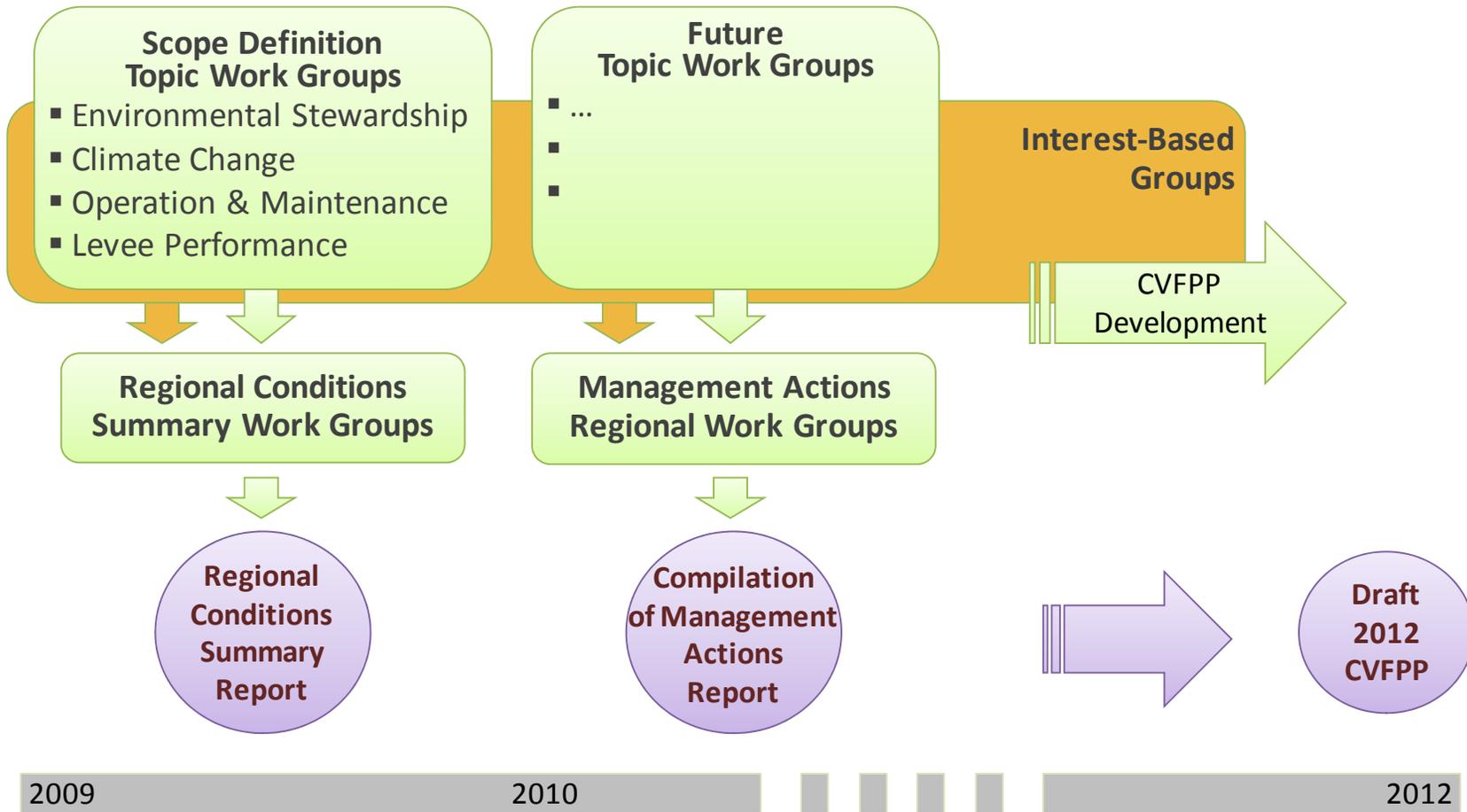




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Climate Change Scope Definition Work Group

Mike Anderson/Erin Mullin/Yung-Hsin Sun/Mary Selkirk (DWR Lead/CVFPO/Tech Lead/Facilitator)

Focus (Charter Section C)	Deliverables (Charter Section D)
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What are the key aspects of climate change that would affect the integrated flood management and should be covered in the 2012 plan? 2. What are the primary categories of existing problems and expected future challenges related to climate change within the study area? 3. What are the climate change considerations that should be addressed when working on integrated flood management within the 2012 plan? 4. What are the key climate change studies and adaptation planning that the Central Valley Flood Protection Plan should coordinate with? 5. What are the uncertainties associated with climate change that may affect the flood management planning and considerations for other resource areas? 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. List and define the key topic areas of climate change that would affect integrated flood management and should be covered in the 2012 Central Valley Flood Protection Plan to create a successful plan. Prioritize the list into 3 levels of importance (essential, important, nice to have). 2. List and describe the primary categories of existing problems and expected future challenges related to climate change within the CVFPP project area. Additional details about the identified problems and future challenges will be developed and captured in the Regional Conditions Summary Work Groups. 3. Develop a comprehensive list of available documents to use as reference material related to climate change problems, opportunities, and standards. 4. Develop a check list of climate change considerations that should be addressed in integrated flood management within the CVFPP. This check list may include a list of principles for considering management actions related to levee performance. 5. Develop a list of other climate change studies and adaptation planning that the CVFPP Plan Development Team should become familiar with and coordinate with regularly.

The Climate Change Scope Definition Work Group will coordinate closely with the Climate Change Technical Advisory Group established for the California Water Plan Update.



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Environmental Stewardship Scope Definition Work Group

Marc Hoshovsky/Michele Ng/Yung-Hsin Sun/Eric Poncelet (DWR Lead/CVFPO/Tech Lead/Facilitator)

Focus (Charter Section C)	Deliverables (Charter Section D)
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What are the environmental stewardship and conservation issues of concern within the project area that should be considered by the 2012 Central Valley Flood Protection Plan? This should include both environmental constraints on the flood system as well as environmental impacts from the flood system. 2. What types or categories of opportunities are available to address objectives of this environmental stewardship and conservation approach? How can we best coordinate with other planning efforts and improve upon past efforts? 3. What are the key principles for guiding the development, integration and implementation of environmental stewardship features of the CVFPP? 4. What are the major environmental goals that should be included in the CVFPP? 5. What should be measured to demonstrate that the CVFPP successfully integrates and achieves environmental stewardship and goals? 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A description of the major environmental issues of concern, categorized into priority groups, that the CVFPP should address. Additional details about the specific existing problems and future challenges related to environmental stewardship and conservation will be developed and captured in the Regional Conditions Summary Work Groups. 2. A description of major opportunities that the CVFPP should consider for addressing the major issues, including recommendations for improving upon past efforts and coordinating with current efforts. 3. A list of the key principles for guiding the development, integration and implementation of environmental stewardship features of the CVFPP 4. A list of the major environmental goals that should be included in the CVFPP 5. A description of approaches or measures to evaluate CVFPP's effective integration and implementation of environmental stewardship elements. 6. Recommendations for important documents that should be used as a reference material related to environmental stewardship problems, opportunities, goals and objectives.



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Levee Performance Scope Definition Work Group

Mike Inamine/Roger Lee/Mary Jimenez/ Dorian Fougères (DWR Lead/CVFPO/Tech Lead/Facilitator)

Focus (Charter Section C)	Deliverables (Charter Section D)
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What are the key factors that would affect levee performance to be covered in the 2012 Plan? 2. What are the primary categories of existing problems and expected future challenges related to levee performance within the study area? 3. What documents are available to use as reference material related to levee performance problems, opportunities, and standards (in addition to what has already been provided to the NULE and AB 156 programs)? 4. What levee performance evaluation activities should the 2012 Plan consider (in addition to what is being considered under the NULE and AB 156 programs)? 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Review and update the list of key factors that affect levee performance and should be covered in the 2012 Central Valley Flood Protection Plan to create a successful plan. Prioritize the list into 3 levels of importance (essential, important, nice to have). 2. Review and update the list of existing problems and expected future challenges related to levee performance within the CVFPP project area. Additional details about the identified problems and future challenges will be developed and captured in the Regional Conditions Summary Work Groups. 3. Review and update a list of previously provided material to create a comprehensive list of available documents to use as reference material related to levee performance problems, opportunities, and standards. 4. Review and update a list of previously compiled levee performance evaluation activities to develop a comprehensive list of other levee performance evaluation activities that the CVFPP Plan Development Team should become familiar with and coordinate with regularly.



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O&M Scope Definition Work Group

Eric McGrath/Michele Ng/Serge Jimenez/Jodie Monaghan (DWR Lead/CVFPO/Tech Lead/Facilitator)

Focus (Charter Section C)	Deliverables (Charter Section D)
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. What are the topic areas related to O&M could affect integrated flood management and should be addressed in the Central Valley Flood Protection Plan? 2. What are the existing and future problems and challenges for O&M? 3. What are the measures of success for O&M practice in the development of the Central Valley Flood Protection Plan? 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. List and define the key topic areas related to O&M that would affect the integrated flood management and should be covered in the 2012 Central Valley Flood Protection Plan to create a successful plan. Prioritize the list into 3 levels of importance (essential, important, nice to have). 2. List and describe the primary categories of existing problems and expected future challenges related to O&M within the CVFPP project area. Additional details about the identified problems and future challenges will be developed and captured in the Regional Conditions Summary Work Groups. 3. Develop a comprehensive list of available documents to use as reference material related to levee performance problems, opportunities, and standards. 4. Develop a check list of O&M considerations that should be addressed when working on other aspects of integrated flood management within the CVFPP. This check list may include a list of principles for considering management actions related to levee performance. 5. Develop a list of other O&M improvement studies and planning that the CVFPP Plan Development Team should become familiar with and coordinate with regularly.

The O&M Scope Definition Work Group will be conducted in coordination with the Collaborative Group currently established for levee repairs.