

## Marine Life Protection Act Initiative



### Evaluations of Draft MPA Proposals for the North Central Coast

Update for the MLPA Master Plan Science Advisory Team

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## Evaluation of Draft MPA Proposals

### Round 2 (5 draft proposals, plus existing MPAs)

- Proposal 0 (existing MPAs)
- Draft Proposal 1 (EC)
- Draft Proposal 2 (JD)
- Draft Proposal 3 (TC)
- Draft Proposal 4 (JC)
- Revised Draft External Proposal A



## Evaluation Components

- Proposal descriptions (templates) and maps; staff summaries (staff)
- Habitat calculations (staff)
- Area histograms (staff)
- Evaluation of habitat representation, replication: Goals 1 and 4 (SAT)
- Evaluation of size and spacing: Goals 2 and 6 (SAT)



## Evaluation Components (continued)

- Evaluation of protection of bird/mammals: Goal 2 (SAT)
- Evaluation of access, research, etc: Goal 3 (staff)
- Socioeconomic evaluation (Ecotrust for commercial and recreational fisheries and CDFG for abalone fishery)
- Feasibility evaluation (CDFG)

All evaluation materials will be posted to the MLPA website at [dfg.ca.gov/mlpa/northcentralcoast.asp](http://dfg.ca.gov/mlpa/northcentralcoast.asp)

