

**Ballona Wetland Restoration
Scientific Advisory Committee Meeting
January 23, 2012 – 9:30 - 3:30
Loyola Marymount University
AGENDA**

Meeting Objectives

- Update SAC on project refinement and current alternatives
- Final scientific input into project description prior to initiation of environmental review
- Begin to address some remaining technical questions relative to restoration design

Agenda

1. Public Comment
2. Introductions and meeting goals
3. Background/Brief History
 - a. Review feasibility report process
 - b. SAC Final Recommendations
4. Progress/activities since SAC last met
 - a. Infrastructure constraints
 - b. Archeological constraints
 - c. Scour analysis
 - d. SLR – Climate Change analysis
 - e. Baseline Monitoring data
 - f. Traffic analysis
 - g. Cost and Construction considerations
 - h. Historical ecology analyses
5. Present Revised Project Description
 - a. Revised goals and objectives
 - b. New technical information
 - c. Plan refinements – New Project Alternatives
6. Discussion and key questions for SAC
 - a. Specific scientific design questions
 - i. Implications for new location of mixing zone
 - ii. Location of levee breaches
 - b. Adaptive management opportunities
 - i. Sea level rise adaptation
 - c. Restoration Research opportunities
 - d. Additional Data Needs
7. Role of SAC relative to regional SAP in the future