

County: Contra Costa **ACP Division/Segment:****NOAA Chart:** 18661 Sacramento & San Joaquin River **Map Book:** SF Bay and Delta **Decimal Degrees:** 38.044411 -121.603692**Site Description:**

Franks Tract is a submerged 3,507 acre island managed under Ca Dept of Parks and Recreation as a State Recreation Area. It is located at the intersection of Piper Slough to west, False River to north, Old River to east, Sand Mound Slough to south. The flooded island is surrounded by broken levee remnants and berm islands of bordering waterways. Some of the tract can be seen from the levee road on Bethel Island and the Holland Tract.

Resources at Risk:

ESI and Habitat: 10B Freshwater marshes
9B Vegetated low banks
8C Sheltered riprap

List of Resources at Risk:

| | Resource Name | Status | Presence | Sensitivity |
|----------|---|--------|----------|-------------|
| Birds | Swainson's hawk | FP, ST | | Mar-Sep |
| Fish | delta smelt | FT, SE | | Mar-May |
| Fish | longfin smelt | ST | | Nov-May |
| Fish | steelhead - Central/Northern California | FT | | Nov-Apr |
| Plants | Mason's lilaeopsis | SR | | Apr-Nov |
| Plants | Suisun marsh aster | SSSP | | May-Nov |
| Reptiles | giant garter snake | FT, ST | | Jul-Oct |

FT-Federally Threatened, FE-Federally Endangered, FP-Federally Protected, SE-State Endangered, ST-State Threatened, SP -State Protected, SR-State Rare, SSC-Species of Special Concern, BGEPA-Bald and Golden Eagle Protection Act, SSSP-State Special Status Species

List of Key Contacts:

| Type | Name/Title | Organization | Phone |
|------|--------------------------------|---|----------------|
| C | /Coordinator | Native American Heritage Commission | (916) 373-3710 |
| C | /Coordinator | Northwest Information Center | (707) 588-8455 |
| E | /Manager | Central Delta Water Agency | (209) 969-7755 |
| E | /Dispatch, 24-hr | Contra Costa Water District | (925) 688-8374 |
| E | /Office | Mandeville Island Reclamation District | (209) 946-0268 |
| E | /Office | Webb Tract Reclamation District | (209) 943-5551 |
| O | /Dispatch, 24-hr | California Department of Water Resources | (916) 574-2714 |
| S | /Dispatch, 24-hr | Contra Costa County Office of the Sheriff | (925) 468-4421 |
| T | /Environmental Program Manager | CA Dept. of Fish & Wildlife, Bay Delta Region | (707) 576-2837 |
| T | /Restoration Ecologist | US Department of Agriculture | (530) 304-2304 |
| T | /Spill Response Coordinator | USFWS, SF Bay-Delta Office | (916) 799-0588 |

C – Cultural, Historic, Archaeological; E – Entry/Owner/Access; O – Other; S – Safety; T – Trustee; X – Exclusion or Security

Additional Site Summary Comments:

Submerged obstacles likely, transit slowly with caution.

Concerns and Advice to Responders:

No Strategy has been developed. This site has many resources, including emerging marsh islands around the perimeter, and is a part of the path for potential spread of oil.

Hazard and Restrictions:

Vessels beware of submerged objects and shallows at margins. Aircraft beware of powerlines.

Site Strategies:**Site Validation Level: 0****Strategy: 2-905.1 Objective:**

Strategy: Execute adjacent strategies to exclude flow into and out of the site.

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Directions: Highway 4 to Bethel Island area. Closest launch ramp is Sugar Barge Resort or Russo's Marina.

Land Access: No limitations to Bethel Island.

On-Water Limitations: There are a few shallows and obstructions. Bethel Island marinas. Closest launch ramp is Delta Resort.

Facilities, Staging Areas, Command Posts, Available Equipment: Staging at fire station in Bethel Island.

Communications Problems: Cell reception may vary.

