

DELTA PROTECTION COMMISSION

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**OSCAR VILLEGAS ASSUMES ROLE AS NEW CHAIR
 OF DELTA PROTECTION COMMISSION**

Yolo County Supervisor Oscar Villegas has been elected to serve as Chair of the Delta Protection Commission effective Monday, January 7, 2019. Sacramento County Supervisor Don Nottoli was elected to serve as Vice Chair. The Commission Chair also serves as a member of the Delta Stewardship Council.



“The Delta Protection Commission has a vital role in protecting and enhancing the Delta’s unique cultural, recreational, agricultural, and natural resources. It is an honor to serve as the Chair and I look forward to what we can accomplish together in the next two years.”

- Oscar Villegas

Solano County Supervisor Skip Thompson stepped down as Commission Chair after completing his two-year term and will continue to serve as a Commissioner.

The Delta Protection Commission, created under the 1992 Delta Protection Act, is a State Commission comprised of 15 members representing Delta cities and counties, reclamation districts and water agencies, and State agencies. The Commission provides a forum for Delta residents to engage in decisions regarding actions to recognize and enhance the unique cultural, recreation, and agricultural values of the Delta.

The Delta Protection Commission meets every other month at locations throughout the Delta. Meeting notices and other information about the Commission is available at www.delta.ca.gov or by calling (916) 375-4800.