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SCIENCE IN SUPPORT OF SALMON CONSERVATION IN CALIFORNIA

Steve Lindley

*Retired, NOAA Fisheries' Southwest Fisheries
Science Center*

Steve will provide an overview of the challenges of conserving Chinook salmon in California, where intensifying pressures from human development and climate change are pushing salmon populations to the brink. Steve will cover a quarter century of work that has increased our understanding of the specific challenges facing Chinook salmon in California's Central Valley and points to potential solutions to improve viability of these important stocks.

Steve worked at NOAA Fisheries' Southwest Fisheries Science Center for 29 years, retiring in 2025 as director of the Santa Cruz Laboratory and Fisheries Ecology Division, where he led the SWFSC's salmon and groundfish research programs. A graduate of Duke University and UC Santa Barbara, Steve has broad interests in aquatic ecology, and is currently a member of the Delta Stewardship Council's Delta Independent Science Board and a researcher at UC Santa Cruz.

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