

You are invited to the annual meeting of the **South Bay Salt Pond Restoration Project Stakeholder Forum,** to be held on Thursday, October 20, 2011, from 1-4 p.m. at the offices of the Alameda County Flood Control District, Rooms 230 A/B/C, 951 Turner Court, Hayward, CA.

The focus of this annual meeting will be on the tremendous progress made by the Project in the past year expanding tidal habitat restoration and developing detailed designs for flood management in the far South Bay. Project Partners will present highlights of this past yea's progress. In addition, Lead Scientist Laura Valoppi will brief Forum members on highlights of the applied research that's been under way in the past year that will help to shape restoration activities over the next phase.

Finally, meeting participants will have the opportunity to provide feedback to the Project Partners on the proposed actions for Phase 2: the next phase of restoration project activities, and to comment on the tidal flood protection designs being considered for the Alviso area.

You will receive a draft agenda for the meeting in the next few weeks. If you have any questions, please call Ariel Ambruster of the SBSP Project, 510-528-5006, <u>aambrust@yahoo.com</u>.