

California Needs to Hear from You

The wheels are in motion for California to achieve the goal of protecting and conserving 30 percent of our lands and waters by 2030 – aka “30x 30” -- and enlisting California’s vast natural and working lands in the fight against climate change. California is the first state in the nation to pledge to conserve 30 percent of its land and waters by 2030, joining 39 countries (including, most recently, this one) in that commitment to conservation.



The California Natural Resources Agency initiated public review, input, and engagement for the Natural and Working Lands Climate/Pathways to 30x30 strategy last spring.

The Pathways to 30x30 strategy is due in February 2022. CNRA is seeking comments and input through September 3. Once the draft is issued circa late fall/early winter, there will be an additional opportunity for the public to review and comment.

Over 750 people across the state joined at least one of the first two online public workshops on June 8 (Expanding Climate Action through [Nature-Based Solutions](#)) and June 15 (Using Nature-Based Solutions to Advance Equity) to give ground-level input to the agency about the best candidates for conservation. Click [here](#) to watch a recording of the workshop and read the panel summary document.

[You can join the next workshop](#), Advancing 30x30 and Protecting Biodiversity, which will be held virtually on July 27, from 3:00 - 6:00 p.m. More information about the Biodiversity Advisory Panel and virtual workshop is available at www.CaliforniaNature.ca.gov.

To make sure you are part of the ongoing conversation, [sign-up here](#) to get email notification, submit input, or ask a question.

TAKE ACTION

[**Click here to Support Senator Padilla and Senator Feinstein in their work to pass the *Protecting America's Wilderness and Public Lands Act* in the Senate.**](#)