California Ocean Protection Council 2006 Amended Schedule

At their September 23, 2005 meeting, the Ocean Protection Council adopted a schedule for council meetings to occur in 2006. Due to conflicts of scheduling with council member calendars, staff has prepared an amended schedule for adoption at the January 13, 2006 council meeting. This schedule takes into consideration major holidays and various meetings requiring staff time and participation (ie, State Coastal Conservancy board meetings, BCDC and Coastal Commission meetings). In an attempt to keep the meetings quarterly while avoiding the above constraints, and to propose possible two-day meetings, the suggested amended calendar is as follows:

January 13, 2006 in Santa Barbara
April 20 and 21, 2006 in Sacramento
June 8 and 9, 2006 in Monterey
September 18, 2006 in Long Beach (to open the California and the World Ocean 2006 conference)