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Pacific Forest and Watershed Lands Stewardship Council

California Public Utilities Commission

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Mission

The Stewardship Council protects and enhances watershed lands and uses, and invests in efforts to improve the lives of young Californians through connections with the outdoors.



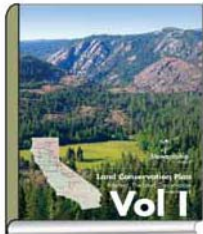


- Land Conservation
 - 141,000 acres
 - 22 counties
- 100% to be protected by easements
- Approximately 50% available for donation

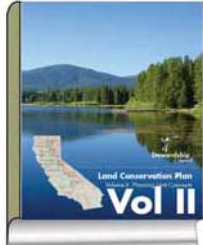
Stewardship Council Watersheds & Planning Units



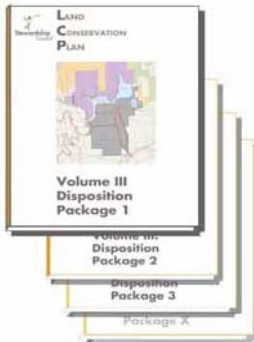
Land Conservation Plan



Volume I - Land Conservation Framework
- Adopted in November 2007



Volume II – Planning Unit Concepts
- Adopted in November 2007



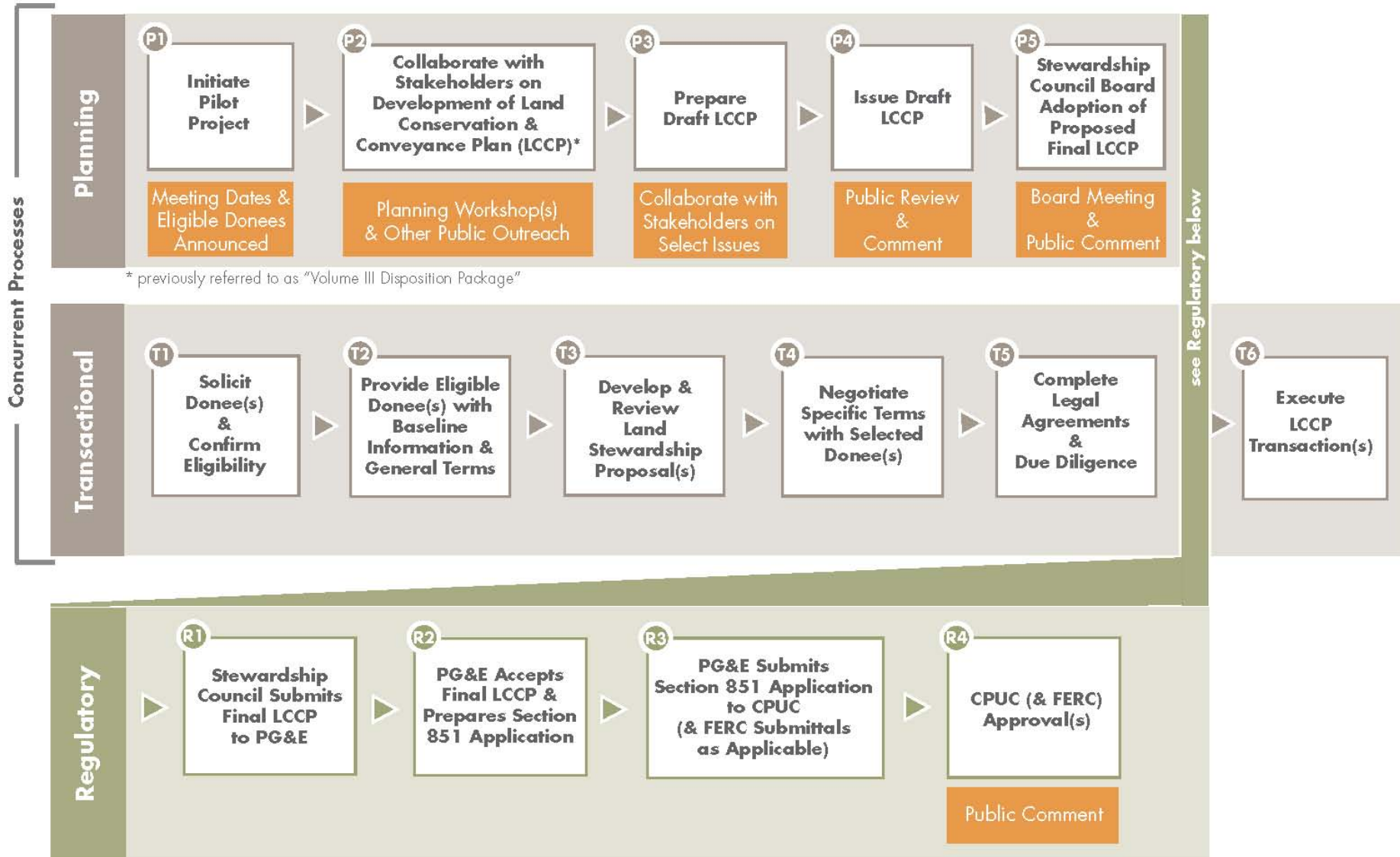
Volume III – Land Conservation
and Conveyance Plan (s)

Pilot Project Sites



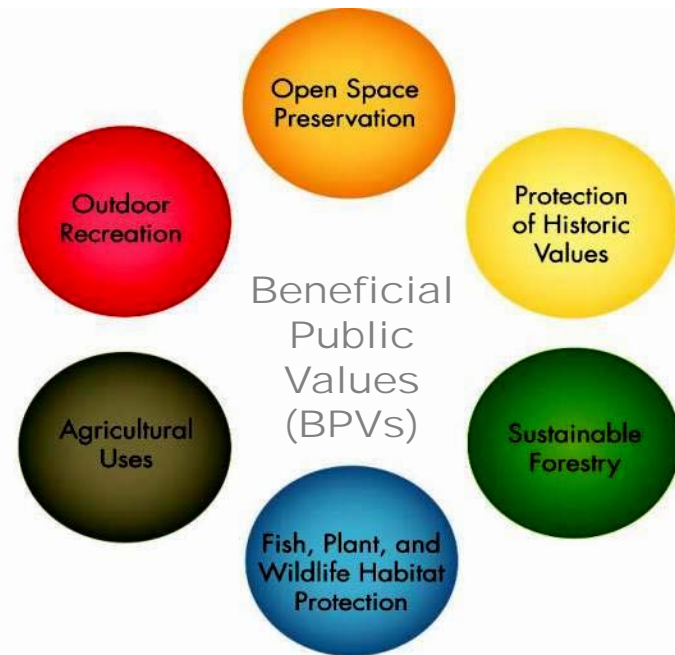


FIGURE 1: PILOT PROCESS Overview



Learning and Leading

- Commitment to collaboration and consensus building
- Focus on sustainable conservation



Youth Connection to the Outdoors

- Over \$4 million awarded to date
 - 93 California youth-serving organizations
 - over 100,000 youth reached
- Able to award grants to 1 in 8 qualified applicants



The Year Ahead

- Land Conservation Plan implementation
- Growing partnerships, relationships, and awareness
- Developing the next generation of stewards

