



Adaptive Restoration of the West Coast's Tidal Wetlands

*Unity Center
Novato, CA*

January 12, 2006
8:30 AM–5:00 PM

A workshop presented by the
San Francisco Bay National Estuarine Research Reserve
Elkhorn Slough National Estuarine Research Reserve Coastal Training Program
South Slough National Estuarine Research Reserve Coastal Training Program
Tijuana River National Estuarine Research Reserve Coastal Training Program

7:30 – 8:30 Optional walk to view of Hamilton Wetland Restoration Project

8:30 – 9:00 Coffee and Registration

Welcome and Introduction

Dr. Grey Hayes, Coastal Training Program Coordinator, ESNERR

Sarah Davies, Education Coordinator, San Francisco Bay NERR

Dr. Joy Zedler, Professor of Botany and Aldo Leopold Chair in Restoration Ecology,
Department of Botany, University of Wisconsin-Madison

Adaptive restoration: Learning while restoring salt marsh vegetation in southern California

Break

Craig Cornu, Stewardship Coordinator

South Slough National Estuarine Research Reserve

Estuarine Wetland Restoration: Lessons Learned from South Slough, Oregon

Question & Answer Period

12:00–1:00 Complimentary Organic Lunch

Tom Gandesbery, Project Manager

State Coastal Conservancy

Hamilton Wetland Restoration Project: A Work-in-Progress

Adaptive Restoration Project Exercises: Helped by expert scientists and leading practitioners, groups will discuss and problem-solve about adaptive approaches to tidal wetlands restoration projects.