

Marin Conservation League

PARKS AND OPEN SPACE COMMITTEE – AGENDA

July 12, 2018, 3:00 – 5:00, Muir Woods Room, 175 N. Redwood Drive

ANNOUNCEMENTS and CHANGES/ADDITIONS TO AGENDA: 1) MCL Picnic on the Patio, July 14, MCL offices, 3:00 – 6:00, BBQ/Wine Tasting ; 2) Marin County P&OS Commission, July 19, 2:00, field-test electric bikes on Multiuse Path, Mill Valley Middle School; 3) RTMP Public Workshop on Region 5 Preserves, Aug. 25, 1:00 – 3:00, Embassy Suites; 4) Coastal Clean-up Day, Sept. 21; 5) Other?

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: June 14, 2018

- 1) National Parks (10 min)
 - a. Muir Woods and Redwood Creek watershed, GGNRA Updates, Mia Monroe
 - b. (Pt. Reyes National Seashore – General Plan Amendment update – August mtg.)
- 2) Marin Parks and Open Space (15)
 - a. RTMP: Updates on projects in process; status of other proposed projects; Region 5 Workshop, August 25
 - b. San Geronimo Golf Course: summary of CEQA case (Greg Z); next steps in planning
- 3) Environmental Justice and MCL Mission in re Parks & Open Space (30 min)
 - a. Kevin Wright, Governmental and External Affairs Coordinator, and Samantha Haimovitch, Superintendent, Marin County Parks, will discuss Marin parks and public lands opportunities as they relate to the needs of underserved communities/residents: how the County is addressing community needs, and how MCL (Parks & Open Space Committee) might better serve these needs within the bounds of its mission and resources. This is part of an ongoing MCL discussion of connections between environmental justice and conservation agendas in Marin County.
- 4) MMWD (10 min)
 - a. West Peak Restoration preferred concept presented to Watershed Committee, June 21 – summary and next steps
 - b. Other updates?
- 5) Tamalpais Lands Collaborative (OneTam) (15 min)
 - a. Updates, various
 - b. Science Symposium, October 5, Draft Program
- 6) State Parks (30 min)
 - a. Bree Hardcastle, Environmental Scientist, and Cyndy Shafer, head of the Natural Resource Program for the Bay Area District, will report on the status of projects, partnerships, and management of Marin’s State Parks (including Angel Island), personnel changes, and the status of the emerging philanthropic support organization “Parks California.”
- 7) Trail Partners
 - a. “Slow . . .” Campaign Outposts: Aug. 12, at Rush Creek/Cemetery Marsh; Aug. 18, Dias Ridge Trail at Golden Gate Dairy stables, Muir Beach.

Next Meeting: August 9, 2018