

**MINUTES NO. 6**  
**PARKS, OPEN SPACE & TRAILS COMMISSION**  
November 17, 2009  
*Regular Meeting*  
Tiburon Town Hall--Conference Room  
1505 Tiburon Boulevard, Tiburon, California

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**CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 P.M., Tuesday, November 17, 2009 in the Town Hall Conference Room, 1505 Tiburon Boulevard, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Tiburon, California.

**ROLL CALL**

**Present:** Winkler, Leighton, Feldman and Sperber  
**Absent:** McMullen  
**Ex-Officio:** Director of Public Works Nguyen

**ORAL COMMUNICATIONS**

Ms. Eva Buxton expressed her concerns about people walking dogs off-leash in the Open Space, particularly the professional dog-walkers. She is concerned about the sensitive species found on the Middle Ridge trail and would like POST to consider the matter. She has called the Police Department in the past to enforce the Town's ordinance.

Director Nguyen indicated that open space regulation signs can be re-installed if they have been removed, and that he can work with Ms. Buxton on appropriate informational signage for the sensitive species.

Ms. Buxton further raised a concern of mountain biking on the trails as it relates to the sensitive species. The Bicycle Subcommittee was tasked to research this matter.

Ms. Buxton concluded with her concern of residents planting in public open space. Director Nguyen suggested she report the incident when she sees it.

**COMMISSION AND STAFF BRIEFING**

- Director Nguyen updated the commission on the progress of the Cypress Hollow Park improvement and the Zelinsky Playground project. He indicated that both projects have been completed.

## SUBCOMMITTEE REPORT

- Commissioner Leighton gave an update. He indicated that the Bay Trail Commission is open to the idea of analyzing the feasibility of installing a trail from Blackfield Dr to Blackies Pasture. The Town would need to apply with the BTC to perform this work. Commissioner Leighton indicated that he would work with Director Nguyen to submit the application.

## BUSINESS ITEMS

- Item 1 – MCBC Complete Streets Discussion: After discussion, the Commission requested that staff inform MCBC of its decision to forego support of a Complete Streets resolution at this time, primarily because specific guidelines have not yet been adopted by the State of California, and there is extensive language in the Town's adopted Bicycle and Pedestrian Master Plan that achieves the same results.
- Item 2 – McKegney Green Usage – After discussion, the Commission appointed Commissioners McMullen and Sperber to study the issue.
- Item 3 – Ferry Plaza Motorcycle Parking – After discussion, the Commission requested staff to come back at the next regular meeting with accident statistics relevant to this issue.

## MINUTES

July 21, 2009 Action Minutes were approved by a vote of 4-0.

## ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 6:50 P.M.

/S/Peter Winkler  
PETER WINKLER, CHAIR  
Parks, Open Space & Trails Commission

ATTEST:



NICHOLAS NGUYEN, SECRETARY