



AGENDA

COASTAL GREENBELT AUTHORITY



Wednesday, May 12, 2021 3:00 p.m.
Aliso and Wood Canyons Wilderness Park
28373 Alicia Parkway, Laguna Niguel, CA 92677

Mary Fegraus, Chair

Park Neighbors, Non-voting Members

Tiffany Ackley

City of Aliso Viejo, Council Member

Farrah N. Khan

City of Irvine, Council Member

Vacant, City of Laguna Hills

Grace Leung, City Manager, City of Newport Beach

Ron Rivera, Parks/Recreation Director

City of Laguna Niguel

Scott Smith, Deputy Director, Public Works

Alternate, City of Irvine,

Vacant, Alternate, City of Aliso Viejo

Vacant, Alternate, City of Laguna Niguel,

Dennis Chiotti, Casey Gnad Alternates, City of Irvine

Sean Levin, Deputy Director-Recreation/Sr. Services,

Justin Schmillen-Recreation Manager

Alternates, City of Newport Beach

Voting Members

Mary Fegraus, Chair

Environmental Groups

Cynthia Conners, Vice Chair

City of Laguna Woods, Council Member

Toni Iseman

City of Laguna Beach, Council Member

Lisa A. Bartlett

Board of Supervisors, 5th District

Tom Maloney

Member at Large

Kate Clark, Alternate

Environmental Groups

Ed H. Tao, Alternate

City of Laguna Woods, Council Member

George Weiss, Alternate

City of Laguna Beach, Council Member

Sergio Prince, Alternate

Board of Supervisors, 5th District

Gene Felder, Alternate

Member at Large

Please Note that this In Person meeting may change to a Virtual Meeting depending on the State Health restrictions.

Masks and Social Distancing are mandatory. The meeting will be held outside in the Sycamore Grove.

1. ROLL CALL

2. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Members of the public are welcome to address the Authority on items of public interest that are within the jurisdiction of the Authority and are not listed as an agenda item. *No public input.*

3. MINUTES

Meeting Minutes, March 10, 2021. Corrections/Additions

Recommended Action: Approve meeting March 10, 2021 minutes or modifications as appropriate. *On a motion by Clark with a second by Maloney, the minutes of the March 10, 2021 agenda were approved unanimously with no corrections or additions.*

4. CGA MEMBERS COMMENTS AND REPORT

At this time CGA members may comment on non-agenda matters and ask questions of staff, provided that no action may be taken on off-agenda items unless authorized by law. *CGA members had some questions about the new Pilot Trail Project which were addressed by OC Parks Staff. This item will be included on the July CGA agenda and available for comments by the public and CGA members.*

Extraordinary Business: The OC Parks Staff at Aliso and Wood Canyons Wilderness Park were presented with a framed proclamation from Supervisor Bartlett, 5th District, commemorating the official opening of the new AWCWP Visitor Center. Sergio Prince, Community Relations Advisor presented the proclamation on behalf of Supervisor Bartlett.

5. Tour of new Visitor Center

OC Parks Resource staff Rick Shaeffer noted some of the interesting features of the new Visitor Center Complex as the CGA and OC Parks staff toured the area. Specifically mentioned were the garage-door style entrances that can be open to allow for air circulation and immediate access with the shaded outdoor areas; stewardship though reclaimed water being used in the drip irrigation system, collection of rainwater for irrigation; interior dioramas depicting the park's wildlife and habitat; flip panels for younger learners with interactive discoverables; topographical map illustrating trails and their degree of difficulty and a helpful overall view of AWCWP. The open and varied exhibits will encourage visitors to return often. CGA members extended their thanks and appreciation to OC Parks staff for the informative tour.

6. MOTION FOR ADJOURNMENT to July 14, 2021 at 3 P.M. Location to be Determined.

On a motion by Maloney with a second by Clark and passed unanimously, the meeting was adjourned to July 14, 2021.