

AGENDA COASTAL GREENBELT AUTHORITY



Wednesday, July 13, 2022 — 3:00 p.m. Nix Nature Center, Laguna Coast Wilderness Park 18751 Laguna Canyon Road, Laguna Beach, CA 92651

Mary Fegraus, Chair

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The Coastal Greenbelt Authority welcomes you to this meeting. This agenda contains a brief general description of each item to be considered. The Authority encourages your participation. If you wish to speak on a matter that does not appear on the agenda, you may do so during the Public Comment period at the beginning of the meeting. Except as otherwise provided by law, no action shall be taken on any item not appearing on the agenda. When addressing the Authority, please state your name for the record prior to providing your comments. Speakers may be limited to three (3) minutes.

The Authority meeting will be an in-person meeting held at the Nix Nature Center at Laguna Coast Wilderness Park (18751 Laguna Canyon Road, Laguna Beach, CA 92651). Please be advised that County health guidelines apply to this meeting: <u>https://occovid19.ochealthinfo.com/article/oc-health-officers-orders-recommendations</u>

Public speaker request forms will be available onsite. In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, those requiring accommodations for this meeting should notify OC Parks 72 hours prior to the meeting at (949) 923-3702.

AGENDA WEDNESDAY, JULY 13, 2022 — 3:00 p.m.

I. ROLL CALL

II. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

At this time, members of the public may address the Authority on items of public interest that are within the jurisdiction of the Authority and are not contained in today's agenda.

III. CONSENT CALENDAR (ITEM A)

The following item on the consent calendar will be approved by one motion unless a Authority Member requests to pull a specific item.

A. APPROVE AUTHORITY MINUTES FOR THE MAY 11, 2022 MEETING.

IV. AUTHORITY MEMBERS AND PARTNERS ANNOUNCEMENTS AND UPDATES

- A. LAGUNA CANYON FOUNDATION UPDATE
- B. LAGUNA BEACH OPEN SPACE UPDATE
- C. NATURAL COMMUNITIES COALITION UPDATE
- D. IRVINE OPEN SPACE PRESERVE UPDATE
- E. NEWPORT BEACH OPEN SPACE UPDATE
- F. ALISO VIEJO OPEN SPACE UPDATE
- G. LAGUNA NIGUEL OPEN SPACE UPDATE

RECOMMENDED ACTION(S):

Receive and File.

V. OC PARKS STAFF UPDATE

A. PARK OPERATIONS — ALL DEPARTMENTS UPDATE

B. LAGUNA COAST WILDERNESS PARK (LCWP) AND ALISO AND WOOD CANYONS WILDERNESS PARK (AWCWP) SPOTLIGHT

- 1. LCWP Update
- 2. AWCWP Update

RECOMMENDED ACTION(S):

Receive and File

VI. DISCUSSION CALENDAR (ITEMS A–E)

A. TRAIL USE DESIGNATIONS PILOT PROJECT IN LCWP AND AWCWP UPDATE

Staff will provide an update on the Trail Use Designations Pilot Project occurring within LCWP and AWCWP.

RECOMMENDED ACTION(S):

Receive and File.

B. STATUS UPDATE ON THE AMENDMENTS TO THE AUTHORITY BYLAWS

Staff will provide an update on the approval of the amendments to the Authority's bylaws.

RECOMMENDED ACTION(S):

- 1. Receive and File.
- 2. Continue to next Authority meeting.

C. HABITAT PROTECTION METHODS

Discuss potential methods for habitat sustainability in areas within the review of the Authority. Review key points from the City of Irvine presentation.

RECOMMENDED ACTION(S):

Receive and File.

D. IRVINE WILDLIFE CORRIDOR UPDATE

Receive information about the Science Advisors series, Partner Charter, and other activities.

RECOMMENDED ACTION(S):

Receive and File.

E. NATURAL COMMUNITIES COALITION OUTDOOR RECREATION PRESENTATION REVIEW

Authority members will review and discuss the Recreation Research Project presentation hosted by the Natural Communities Coalition, a 5-year project of scientists from Utah State and Oregon State Universities.

RECOMMENDED ACTION(S):

Receive and File.

VII. AUTHORITY COMMENTS AND REPORT

At this time Authority Members may comment on agenda or non-agenda matters and ask questions of or give direction to staff, provided that no action may be taken on off-agenda items unless authorized by law.

VIII. ADJOURNMENT