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PARKS, RECREATION AND WILDLIFE ADVISORY COMMITTEE (PRWAC) MEETING AGENDA

DATE: Monday, June 21, 2021

TIME: 6:30 p.m.

LOCATION: Teleconference (see below)

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1. CALL TO ORDER
2. ADOPTION OF CURRENT AGENDA
3. ADOPTION OF MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS MEETING
Consider Minutes of April 19, 2021

4. PUBLIC COMMENTS

Opportunity for members of the public to address the PRWAC on subjects relating to committee business. The PRWAC reserves the right to impose a reasonable time limit on any topic or to any individual speaker.

5. REGULAR AGENDA

- 5.1 Advisory Members Appointments/Reappointments/Resignations (1 min)
- 5.2 Grasslands Regional Park Vernal Pool Grant Project Presentation (Yolo Basin Foundation Staff) (20 min)
- 5.3 Brown Act Overview (County Counsel) (25 min)
- 5.4 Options to Familiarize Committee Members with County Park System (10 min)
- 5.5 Parks Advocacy Subcommittee Updates (5 min)

6. DISCUSSION ITEMS/PARKS DIVISION STAFF UPDATES

Cache Creek Campground: The campground is still operating at 65% capacity (29 reservable sites out of 45), and all group sites are still closed. Staff is reevaluating the capacity limits and will consider opening additional sites in near future. The Yolo County Flood Control and Water Conservation District will stop releasing water from Indian Valley Reservoir on June 23. The creek levels will drastically decrease shortly after. The Parks Division relies on creek water for irrigation, so staff is exploring alternative methods in the event the creek is dry.

OHV Planning Grant: Staff is currently editing the Background Report/Market Analysis (Phase I) for a second time. The consultant team is well into the Feasibility Study (Phase II) and have developed feasibility models and are building cost estimates for development and operation of various OHV park scenarios. Staff intends to bring both reports to the PRWAC for review late summer. On a related note, the Natural Resources Division will be bringing an ordinance to the Board of Supervisors in July to further regulate OHV riding in Lower Cache Creek. The public will be provided an opportunity to voice concerns and provide testimony during that public hearing.

County Road 40/Low Water Bridge: The bid opening for the County Road 40 Bridge Replacement Project occurred on June 11. The Public Works Division expects to enter into a contract with the successful bidder and anticipates commencing work in July. A portion of the Cache Creek Regional Park Lower Site parking lot will be closed during construction.

7. COMMITTEE MEMBER AND DIRECTOR REPORTS

Reports by Committee Members and/or Director on information they have received and meetings they have attended which would be of interest to the Committee or the public. *Please note that under the California Open Meetings Law (Government Code Section 54954.2); discussion of the Committee Members' and/or Director reports is limited to asking clarifying questions. However, the Committee or any individual Committee Members may request that an item be placed on a future agenda for further discussion.*

8. ITEMS FOR FUTURE AGENDAS

- Timeline for Resuming In-Person Meetings
- Finalize Recommendations for Per-Capita Program Project List
- Review Draft OHV Market Analysis and Feasibility Study

9. NEXT MEETING

Regular Meeting Scheduled for July 19, 2021

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