

**Yolo County Cache Creek Technical Advisory Committee
Summary Minutes
April 21, 2004**

Members in Attendance: Kevin O'Dea, Geoff Schladow, Jeff Hart

County Staff: Linda Fiack, Dan Corcoran

Others in Attendance: Ben Adamo, Frank Sieferman, Sr., Fran Borcalli, Chad Roberts, Tyler Chatriand, Tim O'Halloran, John Watson, Jack White, Glen Jensen, Jan Lowrey

Members Absent: None

1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting commenced 1:35 p.m.

2. PUBLIC COMMENTS

Frank Sieferman, Sr. asked for an update on the tamarisk removal project along Lower Cache Creek.

3. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

The minutes of the meeting of March 17, 2004, were adopted with the following changes per Tim O'Halloran's comments: Staff Update, Par. 8, line 2, District Board was changed to County Board of Supervisors; line 8, having was changed to considering having.

4. STAFF UPDATE

The dedication of the Granite Open Space Parcel is anticipated to be completed in the Fall of 2004.

The annual aerial flight of Cache Creek has been extended to the Fremont Weir, per the suggestion of Bob Schneider.

It is anticipated that the Jensen bank stabilization project, below Capay Bridge, will be completed in the Fall of 2004.

Jan Lowrey provided a status update of the Tamarisk removal project, indicating that work would begin for this season in July. He also announced that there

would be a weed management workshop on May 12th. Jan also provided information about an invasive weed removal grant awarded to the Wintun Tribe in the amount of \$250,000 for work in Cache Creek at the Cache Creek Casino. The Conservancy weed management project staff are consultants on the project.

Linda Fiack reported that there had been a legislative/BOS staff tour of the Creek facilitated by the County and the Cache Creek Conservancy.

Linda Fiack, with input from Tim O'Halloran, provided a review of the YCFCWCD/County 2x2 meeting.

It was noted that there is a desire by the TAC to have a presentation on the YCFCWCD NHI draft study.

An update on the Cache Creek Watershed Forum was provided by Linda Fiack. It was noted that there is going to be a resource data input training class held in July, facilitated by the Forum.

Linda Fiack provided information about the proposed acquisition of the Conaway Ranch by the County, the four cities within the County, UCD, and the YCFCWCD.

5. **COMMITTEE REPORTS**

Kevin O'Dea reported that Sonoma County has updated technology similar to the Digital Terrain Modeling that Yolo County has done annually.

6. **REGULAR AGENDA**

The status of, and need for, reclamation at the Granite Woodland site was discussed pursuant to observations that have been reported to the County by a local landowner. Staff was directed to work with Granite to address the situation of concern and to return to the TAC with a proposal for reclamation.

Nothing was reported on the development of a bank reclamation plan for the Teichert Woodland site.

Tim O'Halloran made a presentation on the Yolo County Flood Control and Water Conservation District's development of a conjunctive use program. Tim described the effort as a work in progress to develop groundwater and surface water conjunctive use opportunities. He reported that an action plan has been drafted. The presentation promoted discussion about water supply, recreation, habitat enhancement, and other related opportunities and issues.

7. **ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned at 3:15 p.m.
The next meeting will be the Creek Walk, tentatively scheduled for May 7th and May 10th.