Minutes of the Midcoast Community Council Parks and Recreation Committee

Monday, January 13, 2003

Attending:

Sandy Emerson
Gael Erickson (for Chuck Kozak)
Jim Washington (at Large)
Carl May (for April Vargas)
Bern Smith (for Paul Perkovic)
Mary Kate Meyerhoffer (for Sandy Emerson)
Ric Lohman (Chair)

Public

Leonard Woren (LW)

The meeting was called to order at 7:45.

1. Announcements

- a. Bern announced that the County Pars meeting for February was cancelled due to lack of staff support time.
 - i. LW requested e-mail agendas and Bern said that might be hard.
 - ii. Bern said they usually accept money and reports and review policy at these meetings.
 - iii. Their charter is to identify new properties and oversee the business of Parks.
- b. The Pew Oceanographic presentations in HMB and Stanford were discussed.
- c. Moss Beach Parks made a request for sand retaining wall bricks.
- 2. Consent Agenda. The minutes of November 11, 2002 and December 9, 2002 were approved as distributed.
- 3. Committee Reorganization
 - a. Ric Lohman was welcomed as new Chair. Introductions were made.
 - b. Gael Erickson was appointed Vice-Chair
- 4. Bern Discussed the History and Proposed process for the Midcoast Park and Recreation Task Force (MPRTF). It was approved unanimously to request that the MCC send a letter to the SMC Board of Supervisors with the following highlights:
 - a. Approval of the parts of the new draft that eliminated specific locations to be acquired and the creation of a separately named fund to contain the funds received.

- b. Request to increase acreage to MCC recommended levels, include commercial property in fees, remove the affordable exemption, and revise the build-out numbers and percents when the LCP review was completed.
- c. Sandy and Ric were to create letter and present to MCC.
- d. Additional comments:
 - i. School grounds are abused since there are no parks.
 - ii. All monies raised have to be matched by existing population to be used.
 - iii. Question raised on who will control fund.
- 5. The MPRTF will hold all its meetings on the Coast, and they will be public.
- 6. Future Agenda Items:
 - a. Prioritise Hwy 1 crossings
 - b. Continuing info on the MPRTF
 - c. Finalize the Coastal trail route (Trail camps?)