

# AGENDA COASTAL GREENBELT AUTHORITY



Wednesday, November 9, 2022 — 3:00 p.m. Aliso and Wood Canyons Wilderness Park Visitor Center 28373 Alicia Parkway Laguna Niguel, CA 92677

Mary Fegraus, Chair

#### Park Neighbors, Non-Voting Members

Tiffany Ackley City of Aliso Viejo, City Council Farrah N. Khan City of Irvine, City Council Vacant, City of Laguna Hills

Ron Rivera, Parks/Recreation Director, City of Laguna Niguel Grace Leung, City Manager, City of Newport Beach Beach

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## Voting Members

Mary Fegraus, Chair Environmental Groups Cynthia Conners, Vice Chair City of Laguna Woods, City Council Toni Iseman City of Laguna Beach, City Council Lisa A. Bartlett Board of Supervisors, 5<sup>th</sup> District Tom Maloney Member at Large

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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 Participation 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 Aliso and Wood Canyons Wilderness Park Visitor Center (28373 Alicia Parkway, Laguna Niguel, CA 92677). 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, NOVEMBER 9, 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 an Authority Member requests to pull a specific item.

#### A. APPROVE AUTHORITY MINUTES FOR THE SEPTEMBER 14, 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 (NCC) 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 Agenda Items IV.A–G.

#### 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 Agenda Items V.A–B.

#### VI. DISCUSSION CALENDAR (ITEMS A–E)

#### A. RECOGNITION OF MEMBER TONI ISEMAN

The Authority will acknowledge and thank Member Toni Iseman for her tenure and service as a member of the Authority, representing the City of Laguna Beach.

#### **RECOMMENDED ACTION(S):**

Approve the drafting and issuance of a Letter of Appreciation to Authority Member Toni Iseman.

# B. 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):**

- 1. Receive and File; or
- 2. Approve the drafting and issuance of a letter to the Orange County Parks Trails Subcommittee regarding the Trail Use Designations Pilot Project.

#### C. HABITAT SUSTAINABILITY AND LCWP TRAIL MAP REVIEW

Staff will provide an overview on trails created or altered within the Wood's End section of LCWP and on their current use and conditions.

#### **RECOMMENDED ACTION(S):**

- 1. Receive and File; or
- 2. If appropriate, approve a letter to OC Parks regarding the current LCWP trail map and the LCWP General Development Plan.

#### D. IRVINE WILDLIFE CORRIDOR UPDATE

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

## **RECOMMENDED ACTION(S):**

Receive and File.

## E. WATERSHED TRAIL INTERPRETIVE EXHIBIT INTRODUCTION

OC Parks staff will share the history and implementation of the interpretive exhibit at Aliso and Wood Canyons Wilderness Park.

#### **RECOMMENDED ACTION(S):**

Receive and File.

#### VII. AUTHORITY COMMENTS AND REPORT

At this time Authority Members may comment on agenda or non-agenda matters, provided that no action may be taken on off-agenda items unless authorized by law. Members may also suggest items for the January 2023 meeting agenda.

#### VIII. ADJOURNMENT TO JANUARY 11, 2023