

MARIN VALLEY MOBILE COUNTRY CLUB
PARK ACQUISITION CORPORATION
MVEST/Firewise Steering Committee Meeting Minutes
Via Zoom Videoconferencing
May 17, 2021, 5:00 p.m.

MVEST steering committee members present: Pam Berkon, John Feld, John Hansen, Kevin Mulvany, Steve Plocher, Erma Wheatley
Absent: Bill Davis, David Gray Carol-Joy Harris
Other MVEST team members and residents present: Peggy Hill, Judi Purdom, Ellen Jane Schulz,

Approval of Agenda

The agenda was approved.

Public Comment

Kevin has a neighbor whose daughter wants to write an article about Marin Valley and fire. He referred her to Bill and John Hanson.

Judi wanted to know why there was no Red Flag alert in our community. John H explained this was up to our Novato Fire Department, and they said it was only for higher elevations.

Consent Calendar

Minutes of the May 3 meeting were approved.

Reports

Coronavirus

John H said the situation has not changed; we are still in a state of flux. He once again recommended checking the <https://coronavirus.marinhhs.org/> website.

Park Security

Kevin reported there was nothing new to report.

Marin Valley Firewise

John H. reported that the hand crews were finished cutting the 10' - 15' perimeter in preparation for the goats and that they will return to finish up after the goats have completed their chewing.

John H. said he would make a short video about installing the hardware cloth behind air vents in skirting,

Yard Maintenance Program

Peggy reported that work continues to happen. Recent homes were on Marin Valley Drive and Sunrise Drive. Kevin has also recommended a new yard in need of TLC.

It was suggested that the Yard Maintenance should be an ongoing project and should have its own line item in the yearly budget. John H will recommend this be added to the PAC agenda.

HOL has already authorized their \$1,000 contribution to the effort.

FIRESafe MARIN/Marin County Firewise

There continues to be new information on the FireSAFE Marin website:
www.FIRESafeMarin.org.

John H suggested there were worthwhile notes resulting from the board meeting and the leaders meeting that would be usefully added to our website.

On May 19 there will be a Wildfire Preparedness Community Workshop:

Novato <https://firesafemarin.zoom.us/j/81659676635> led by John Dicochea, Novato Fire Protection District Battalion Chief from 5 pm to 7:30 pm.

Novato Fire District

No report

Echo Articles

The digital version of the June *ECHO* is now out.

It was suggested by Kevin that the next *ECHO* article should be about the goats and the impact they have on the environment.

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Ellen Jane suggested that the YouTube links should be all in one place to make it easier for people to find them. Erma said she would make this happen.

MVEST training

We are waiting on the reopening of the clubhouse to commence training (probably on or after June 15), but John H suggested that we think about new training topics and discuss them at the next MVEST meeting. Pam suggested CPR training for the whole community.

Old Business

New Business

None.

Next Meeting

Monday, May 24 at 5:00 p.m. via Zoom teleconferencing.

Residents who are not on this committee who would like to attend, please contact John Hansen so that he may send you an agenda, which includes an email invitation to join the call via your computer or phone.

Respectfully submitted,
John Feld
Stand in Recording Secretary