

What would you like the project team to keep in mind as we move forward with the ReWild Mission Bay Restoration Plan?

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- 2016/06/20 10:23:44 A Already climate change is causing Kendall-Frost to be submerged at high tide on a full moon. How can Rose Creek keep building up the marsh so it rises with sea level?
- 2016/06/21 6:16:04 P I would drop "shoreline stabilization" from the goal for restoration. While some shoreline stabilization is provided by vegetation, I don't think it's necessarily an ecosystem function or service. Natural shorelines erode and accrete- they aren't necessarily always stable.
- 2016/06/21 6:18:38 P Provide public access to all areas and a contiguous boardwalk for pedestrians and bikes around the bayfront
- 2016/06/22 9:39:13 A Always keep WILDLIFE's best interests in mind and return Mission Bay to the wildest it can be! Thank you. The SanDiego River runs through the east county to the bay. When will there be scheduled clean ups of said areas?
- 2016/06/22 4:12:04 P There has been very little or no discussion of buffer zones. There may need to be slopes to separate marsh water from other areas. There may need to be flat transition zones to act as filters to prevent excess sediment and contaminants from inundating marsh. There presumably need to be barriers to separate marsh from development, however that is defined. There is some 100 foot legal requirement related to that. There need to be transition zones between marsh plants and upland ones (5 degree slopes?). There might be some transition zone (300 feet?) to act as a refuge for wildlife at high tides and with SLR. This assumes walls are not going to be used, and some of these potential functions overlap and can be combined with paths/trails etc. In general there is a strong tendency to treat all short-term desires/requests from the public on an implied equal footing. I think some basic aspects need to be determined first and then other topics get remaining space etc. To me basic aspects are flood control and retention basins (needed or not?), SLR, water purification (needed or not and how much and where is the monitoring data to decide?), what area of marsh is needed for what purpose? How much sediment movement has to be assumed to keep adequate tidal prism in the long term? How much does Rose Creek have to be modified to produce an adequate delta at the mouth? Are all basic aspects equally important
- 2016/06/23 4:06:38 P or do some drop off the list when alternatives are produced?

First of all my wife and I were residents of De Anza Cove and were part of the law suit so we are very aware of all the rumors as what was going to happen with the property. As far as we are concerned we very strongly agree with your proposed project! If we can be of any assistance please email me at

2016/06/23 4:47:24 P paul@paulberardi.com or call [REDACTED]. Sincerely Paul & Brenda Berardi

I'm hoping that Mission Bay Golf Course will stay and that they will be able to create a nice club house, restaurant, and practice area that all of our visitors and residents alike would like to visit and use. This

2016/06/26 10:52:15 could be a nice money maker is it is done correctly.

2016/06/27 11:18:39 Boardwalk trails over portions of wetlands for wildlife viewing.

Please bear in mind hundreds if not thousands of people want to keep MB Golf course. It is vital for

2016/06/27 2:40:45 P income, recreation Fun

2016/06/27 2:42:29 P This could be a model of sustainable progress for others to follow.

2016/06/27 3:27:32 P Please keep Fiesta Island leash free for dogs.

Would like to see all designated map area return to native or wild state. Realistically this proposal will

2016/06/27 6:32:10 P meet with resistance; however, gathering the widest public support may make this project possible.

Keep it wild and minimize human use. Any human activities or use should be limited to minimize human impact. There is plenty of space in Mission Bay for human use and recreation. No high traffic pathways or jogging trails through the area, maybe an observation/viewing platform. Walking trail around the

2016/06/27 7:50:37 P perimeter may be OK, not sure. Let's give a little land/water back to the beings other than humans.

We believe the highest priority should be for estuarine restoration and creation. We think this means replacing Campland by the Bay and the De Anza Cove areas with estuary - tidal channels, and so forth.

The road and bike path between Campland and the high school and along the southern side of the golf course defines the area we'd like to see restored to estuary. Now, what to do with the golf course ...

We'd like to see an interpretive center placed there, and possibly camping such as is currently provided by Campland by the Bay. We'd like to be sure to provide educational and research opportunities for students and scientists, perhaps by allowing schools from across California and the Southwest to use a portion of the camping area for school groups to stay while working on the EDGES of the

2016/06/27 9:50:35 P estuary. Sincerely, Nancy and Duncan McGehee (artmcg@sbcglobal.net)

create and maintain public access while providing maximum protection for local native fish, plants and

2016/06/28 11:46:57 animals

Educational Outreach: This is a great opportunity to get kids involved through school district field trips to restore/learn about/maintain a wetlands habitat. I envision a permanent classroom and/or lab for student learning. This can be staffed by a permanent teacher who helps develop and design curriculum alongside the scientist working on restoration (perhaps the County Office of Education could be involved?). If the community is actively involved in continuous projects over time, i.e. kids on field trips doing hands-on fieldwork and scientific studies, there will be greater overall interest in the restoration process. Kids would be great ambassadors for nature, learning science, and becoming thoughtful stewards of our planet in the future. Kumeyaay Village: The original Mission Bay must have been extremely bountiful for the native people. I would love to see a replica village with lots of signage to explain the way of life, and even actors who could educate visitors with demonstrations, lectures and stories. There are some Kumeyaay displays around San Diego, but this is an opportunity to create a really large scale and more complete version. This is such an amazing opportunity for our city. Taking back land to restore back to nature is a rare opportunity. We need to consider the chance for educating our future and perhaps have education be the focal point of the project next to the actual wetlands restoration. Mission Bay Park has so many grassy areas that could be used for other recreational opportunities, but there is only one part of the Bay that could be returned back to nature, so we mustn't squander the chance. This is a legacy project for the future.

I just sent a message suggesting education as a focus. What I didn't mention is where this should be located. In my opinion the De Anza property is ideal. As mentioned before, recreation sites could be added to the many other grassy areas around the Bay. I recently rode my bike around the Bay and it is amazing how much space and grass there is. It would also be interesting to create a hiking path from the Bay which follows the watershed up through Marion Bear Park -Stephanie Brown Teacher, mother,

2016/06/30 4:51:13 P resident of SD for over 30 years