



**CITY OF ARCATA  
WETLANDS AND CREEKS COMMITTEE  
SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA**

**Arcata Marsh Interpretive Center  
569 South G Street, Arcata**

**January 29, 2020  
Wednesday, 6:00 PM**

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**I. ROLL CALL - Brown, McAuliffe, Metz, Murphy, Olson, Smith, Svehla.**

**Staff Liaison: Emily Benvie.**

**II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

**1. Wetlands and Creeks Committee - Regular Meeting - Nov 19, 2019 6:00 PM**

**III. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS**

This item is provided for people to address the Committee on matters not on the agenda. At the conclusion of all oral communications, the Committee may respond to statements. Any requests that require action will be set by the Committee to a future agenda or will be referred to staff.

**IV. AGENDA MODIFICATIONS**

**V. OLD BUSINESS**

**A. Finalize Committee Goals FY 2020/2021**

**B. Discuss MS4 Outreach Subcommittee**

**VI. NEW BUSINESS**

**VII. FUTURE MEETING DATES**

**VIII. ADJOURNMENT**



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MEETING MINUTES**

Arcata Marsh Interpretive Center  
569 South G Street, Arcata

November 19, 2019  
Tuesday, 6:00 PM

**I. ROLL CALL**

PRESENT: Brown, McAuliffe (6:02 PM), Metz, Murphy, Olson, Smith, Svehla, Benvie

ABSENT:

**II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

**A. Wetlands and Creeks Committee - Special Meeting - Oct 29, 2019 6:00 PM**

ON A MOTION BY SVEHLA, SECONDED BY METZ, AND BY UNANIMOUS VOICE VOTE, THE MINUTES FROM THE OCTOBER 29, 2019 MEETING WERE APPROVED. THE VOTES WERE AS FOLLOWS: AYES: BROWN, MCAULIFFE, METZ, MURPHY, OLSON, SMITH, SVEHLA. NOES: NONE. ABSTENTIONS: NONE. ABSENT: NONE.

**III. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS**

None.

**IV. AGENDA MODIFICATIONS**

None.

**V. OLD BUSINESS**

**A. Follow-up on Janes Creek Bacteria Source Study Presentation**

Olson delivered a synopsis of a focused data review on Jolly Giant Creek which is the highest coliform source of all creeks that were sampled; notably during the dry season. Olson provided a draft of a letter to Jane's Creek dog owners for committee considerations.

**VI. NEW BUSINESS**

**A. Committee Goal Setting for 2020**

Committee discussed potential goals for 2020, which included Development Review, LCP Review, Sea Level Rise, (policy and alternatives), Stormwater Education and Outreach, Field Trip in July or August, Stormwater Quality. Goals for FY 2020/2021 will be finalized at next meeting.

**VII. STAFF AND COMMITTEE REPORTS**

**VIII. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

Minutes Acceptance: Minutes of Nov 19, 2019 6:00 PM (Approval of Minutes)

**A. MS4 OUTREACH SUBCOMMITTEE**

**IX. FUTURE MEETING DATE**

**A. January 21, 2020**

**X. ADJOURNMENT**

Meeting adjourned at 7:45 PM.