



Alhambra Watershed Council Agenda

Tuesday, November 7, 2023

6:30 pm – 8:00 pm

Decision Meeting Minutes:

6:30 Introductions and Partner Reports

- Friends of Alhambra Creek
- National Park Service
- Contra Costa Resource Conservation District (CCRCD)
 - o Discussion Item:
 - The Native Wetland Garden at Ferry Point
 - The City and the CCRCD signed an MOU for the Library Garden in early November. The CEQA Notice of Exemption (NOE) was filed. After 35 days we will be able to start working on the project. Likely to break ground in January.
- Mt. View Sanitary District
- Other member reports

Discussion Item: Alhambra Watershed Plan & CCRCD Fire Stewardship Project Alignment

- o **Decision:**
 - Emma and Alejandro to find and consolidate watershed plans with fire treatment programming from various stakeholders across Contra Costa County. Several are being finalized in the coming months with updated treatment plans.
 - The Council can then review these documents in 2024 and think about what a treatment plan could look like across Alhambra.

Discussion Item: Thriving Earth Exchange Community Science Program

- Brief Recap: Private property encroachment/erosion
- New Topic: Unnecessary accumulation of trash throughout the Watershed
 - o **Decision:** The AWC council agrees this problem is worth pursuing through a TEX application as it has previously been successful within other watersheds to produce desired outputs.
 - o Review notes [here](#).

8:00 Adjourn

The next meeting of the AWC will be on Tuesday, December 5, 2023, at 6:30 pm.

Future Meeting Topics:

- TEX Topic: Destruction of native plants & ornamental plantings encroaching on the creek

For questions regarding the AWC or to suggest agenda items, please email Emma Koeze at ekoeze@ccrcd.org.

The Alhambra Watershed Council is a stakeholder group dedicated to protecting and enhancing the health of our watershed by educating ourselves and the public about the watershed, providing a forum for new ideas and projects, and acting as a community resource.