

CAC minutes Apr 3, 2024

Meeting start 18:01

Present: David, Claire, Julie, Gary, Janet, Kelsey; Staff: Heidi, Wendy, Marcella Rose, Rachael Drattler

Julie: introductions: Member names

Public comment: None

Approve previous minutes:

Dec 6, 2023:

Motion: John

Second: Claire

Vote: 7:0

Discussion items:

1. Elect Chair and Vice Chair

Chair: Remains Julie

All voted yes

Vice chair: John Decoster

Janet nominated

Julie second

All voted yes

2. Whitebark Institute presentation (Rachael Drattler, Rick Kattelman, Heidi)

See presentation PDF (Note: Not included here, did not receive)

June Lake is defined as very high fire risk.

Projects other than Mammoth are in evaluation and planning stage.

Who should be engaged in communication to define project.

Claire: What questions need to be answered

Rick: Basically, all reasonable and related concerns.

Janet: Will volunteers be used?

Rick: the State is moving in that direction.

3. Trails planning and project updates (Marcella)

Marcella:

Finished hiring for the season: 3 trail stewards (Dave Persak + 2 new) + project coordinator (Johnny DeGeorge)

Manage 2 grants: dispersed camping and OHV.

Will be working together with INF and HT, who will have less staff than last year.

June Lake: OHV restoration - work with forest to close off disallowed areas and redirect people to allowed areas. Example: Grant Lake area: bouldering, other barriers, etc.

Another grant: Dispersed camping management: porta-potties and dumpsters, potty palaces, etc.

Adopt a trail/facility and Tangle-free waters. Will be recruiting for Adopt-a-trail

Working with JLTC and INF to identify what needs to be done.

3. Reports

Supervisor Gardner:

Short term rental options at Board Meeting

Most non-Mammoth rentals are in June Lake

Board will have another set of options, study has a lot of information

Rush Creek relicensing meeting on Apr 30 at 9:00 AM

Continuing to work on EV charger on John's property

Working to provide free rides on Yarts (would not require YNP reservations)

Continue supporting Child Care

Mammoth passed a ban on single-use plastic and styrofoam.

Try to ban smoking in multi-family common areas

June Lake PUD looking at solar plant at sewage treatment facility..

PUD has an open spot on their board – let Bob know if interested.

Gull Lake Park - working with FS to get land sold to County. Will allow many improvements that are difficult now.

Housing: Ad hoc committee with Jennifer Kreitz - working on procuring property, even single units. Need 120-150 units in unincorporated county. Needed in many different areas. Funds are available but there is a need to move fast. Open to ideas.

Chair (Julie):

June Mountain : community event easter egg hunt.
Currently spring break. Last day is Apr. 14
Local relationship with PUD to purchase water for snowmaking at base of mountain.

Claire: None

David: None

Kevin: N/A

Janet:

Jamfest 5 months away. Non profit that event raises money for local art and music programs.
Music camp, theater activities. Will be year 9 for Jamfest.

Gary:

Fisheries biologist to Reno Apr. 11 (Bartley Ranch) 7:00-8:30, to talk about the fisheries in the Walker River basin.

John: N/A

Kelsey: None

David: updates on JLTC

Planning Staff:

“Owl” technology did not work well for large meetings
Bearpaw development - close to beginning CEQA process.

Other Items

Community updates:

Women’s Club: None.

Chamber: There is now an online event calendar event list (junelakeloop.org)

Future agenda items:

Choose secretary

Next meeting:

May 1, 2024

Adjourn

Meeting adjourn: 19:14