

Meeting Invitation

East Bay Hills Wildfire Hazard Reduction and Resource Management Plan

When: Wednesday, December 12, 2007 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM
Where: Trudeau Center
11500 Skyline Blvd, Oakland (Three blocks north of Redwood Road)

The East Bay Regional Park District, with funding approved by the voters in Measure CC, is developing a Wildfire Hazard Reduction and Resource Management Plan and Environmental Impact Report. The plan is a long-awaited opportunity to help assure the safety of East Bay Hills residents from wildfire in an environmentally pro-active manner.

The plan will guide ongoing vegetation management activities on Park District lands along the urban-wildland interface to reduce the likelihood of a catastrophic, Diablo wind-driven wildfire such as the 1991 Oakland Hills fire. The environmental document will assure that vegetation management activities are carried out in a manner consistent with protecting natural resources in the public parklands.

The area affected by the plan will be the Measure CC zone in western Alameda and Contra Costa Counties; however, the main study focus will be the wildland-urban interface along the western edge of the East Bay hill parks, including Sobrante Ridge, Kennedy Grove, Wildcat Canyon, Tilden, Claremont Canyon, Temescal, Sibley, Huckleberry, Roberts, Redwood, Leona, and Chabot; and the shoreline parks of Point Pinole and Miller/Knox.

The Park District will conduct a series of public meetings during the planning process to inform stakeholders and interested members of the public of progress on the plan and solicit public comment. We invite you to this third meeting, where we will discuss the potential treatment areas, vegetation types, fuel reduction treatments and resource considerations.

If you have any questions, please contact our outreach coordinator, Cheryl Miller, Amphion at 510-893-9888 or cmiller@amphiondesign.com. We look forward to seeing you at the meeting.

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Directions to EBRPD Trudeau Center at 11500 Skyline Blvd, Oakland

From Southbound Warren Freeway (Route 13):

Exit Left onto Joaquin Miller Road. Continue on Joaquin Miller Road for app.1.5 m Boulevard. The Trudeau Training Center will be on the left side at 11500 Skyline E

From Northbound Warren Freeway (Route 13):

Exit Right onto Redwood Road. Continue on Redwood Road as it winds up the hill. The Trudeau Training Center will be on the right side at 11500 Skyline Boulevard. Park in lot.

From the MacArthur Freeway (I-580):

Exit 35th Avenue southbound (use Route 13 if heading northbound), head east (to Trudeau Training Center as above.

