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Alexander, Jacquelyne

From: Hugh's Gmail <hsutherland.v@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, May 14, 2018 9:50 AM
To: Williams, Das
Cc: Wolf, Janet; Hartmann, Joan; Adam, Peter; Lavagnino, Steve; sbcob
Subject: Gaviota Coast Plan: Proposed Staff Changes: Withdraw for Local Review

Dear Supervisor,

As a resident of the South Coast for over 40 years, and a property owner for almost as long, I urge you to withdraw consideration of the recent changes to the Gaviota Coast Plan proposed by the staff of SB County and the California Coastal Commission. The proposed changes are dramatic and negatively affect all owners of rural land along the South Coast. In addition, after seven years of hard work by the various stakeholders to develop the Gaviota Coast Plan, it appears county and CCC staff are discarding that work for what can only be described as draconian land use changes.

To be clear, the first release of the proposed changes on April 24, 2018 provides the public barely three weeks for review prior to tomorrow's hearing. The proposed changes will have profound effects on the lives of your constituents, we should have ample time to understand the full extent of what is being forced upon us.

We all want to protect our beautiful Gaviota Coast and the environment as a whole. However, while we support the greater mission of the California Coastal Commission, the Coastal Act and the Endangered Species Act, there are examples of unreasonable application of the authority outlined in these entities. We fear that such unreasonableness actually undermines the environmental mission by generating cynicism and distrust. This particular effort will be judged as heavy-handed, further alienating those very individuals we should be encouraging to join the protection efforts.

Please withdraw the amendments to the Gaviota Coast Plan. Give us at least 90 days to review and comment from an informed position.

Regards,

Hugh Sutherland

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From: Kerri Holsted <KHolsted@CurtisHomes.net>
Sent: Monday, May 14, 2018 11:02 AM
To: Wolf, Janet; jhartmann@countyofsb.com; Adam, Peter; Lavagnino, Steve; sbcob
Subject: Gaviota Coast Plan - Due Process

Importance: High

To whom it may concern:

With respect to the Gaviota Coast plan, please do not take away our rights as property owners.

We deserve due process from our elected officials.

We, at minimum, should have at least 60 days for due process; especially since we have been working on this for at least 7 years.

Sincerely,

Robert F. Curtis
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Gaviota, CA 93117

Alexander, Jacquelyne

From: ewtdt@aol.com
Sent: Monday, May 14, 2018 11:46 AM
To: sbcob@co.santa
Cc: sbcob
Subject: Re: Proposed Changes to Gaviota Coast Plan

Dear Clerk of the Board,

We respectfully request that the Gaviota Coast Plan not be discussed or considered as scheduled at the May 15, 2018 Board of Supervisors Hearing. We are quite concerned about the proposed major changes to the plan that have been put together without proper time for public review and comment. Because of this we also respectfully request that the plan not be put back on schedule until the affected public and their representatives have had a fair amount of time of at least 60 to 90 days to review, discuss and contribute to the the process.

Thank you for your anticipated consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

Dr. and Mrs. Eric W. Trubschenck

Owners at Hollister Ranch

Gaviota, CA

Alexander, Jacquelyne

From: Doyle Hollister <cdhduende@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, May 14, 2018 10:52 AM
To: Hartmann, Joan; Adam, Peter; Lavagnino, Steve; sbcob
Subject: Fwd: Please withdraw the Gaviota Coast Plan, Local Coastal Program Proposed Amendments on May 15th

Dear Chairman and Members of the Board,

My family owned the original Hollister Ranch on the Gaviota coast for over 100 years selling in 1965. I now, under the current Hollister Ranch structure, live with my wife on one of the 100 acre parcels on the ranch full time. The Gaviota Coast has a deep and emotional connection to my family, our history, and myself personally. It has very recently come to my attention that there are some last minute proposed modifications to the Gaviota Coast Plan that will potentially have a direct impact on my property and the entire Gaviota Coast. Unfortunately, I have limited information about these proposals, as there has been limited information disseminated to the public, for some mysterious reason. And, apparently, there is a possible vote by the board of supervisors coming up tomorrow on Tuesday!

To keep it simple, I wish to personally request that the board delay any voting and/or final decision making until those who may directly be influence by these last minute changes can more thoroughly be presented with the details and can have proper time to assess, digest, and respond to the board before any vote is taken.

Please consider delaying any decisions for at least 60-90 days as is appropriate time to address any changes and their direct potentially problematic effects on our personal land as well as the entire Gaviota coastline.

Thank you for your prompt and appropriate attention to this matter,

Doyle Hollister

Alexander, Jacquelyne

From: Louis Personal Email <aloha@ginarra.com>
Sent: Monday, May 14, 2018 11:52 AM
To: sbcob; dwilliams@countyofsb.org; Wolf, Janet; Hartmann, Joan; Adam, Peter; Lavagnino, Steve
Subject: Gaviota Coast Plan

Members of the Santa Barbara County Board of Supervisors:

I have just learned that the Santa Barbara County Board of Supervisors plans to hold a meeting tomorrow regarding the Gaviota Coast Plan and the California Coastal Commission's proposed changes to the plan.

I am an owner at the Hollister Ranch for over 40 years and I am absolutely dismayed that the proposed changes to the plan are more than a slight "tweak" of the December 16, 2017 version originally submitted for review to the California Coastal Commission. The public really needs more time to review these proposed changes and to schedule a Board of Supervisors meeting 3 days after the information is available to the public is unacceptable.

I ask that the Board withdraw the Gaviota Coast Plan amendments and extend the public review period of the proposed changes for at least 60 days.

Sincerely,

G. Louis Graziadio III

Alexander, Jacquelyne

From: Gary Groth-Marnat <GGroth-Marnat@pacific.edu>
Sent: Monday, May 14, 2018 10:51 AM
To: sbcob
Subject: Gaviota Coast Plan last minute amendments

May 14, 2018

Dear Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,

I've followed the development of the Coastal Zone plans for the Gaviota Coast over the past few years and, until recently, I've been pleased with the outcome. I understand that agreements had been made among the various stakeholders and government agencies. This has seemed like a good outcome. However, I now understand that there are numerous last minute changes that will clearly damage landholders such as myself. These changes have been inserted without any consultation and my understanding is that they will be voted on tomorrow/May 15 at the Board of Supervisors meeting. On the surface, the chronology suggests that public consultation has been designed to deliberately stifle local public input. In contrast, stakeholders and members of the public should be expected to read, digest, comprehend, and comment on new information especially when any new proposed decisions will affect their property and livelihoods.

Given the above, I think the only fair and reasonable decision would be to withdraw the recent Gaviota Coast Plan amendments at your meeting tomorrow/May 15. The proposed amendments can then be referred back to the Gaviota Planning Advisory Committee (GavPAC) for consideration.

I have faith that you will understand my points above and allow due process to occur.

Sincerely,

Dr. Gary Groth-Marnat

Alexander, Jacquelyne

From: Ellen mccafferty <ellenomontgomery@icloud.com>
Sent: Monday, May 14, 2018 3:00 PM
To: sbcob
Subject: Gaviota Coast Plan

Please withdraw the Gaviota Coast Plan amendments and allow at least 90 days for public review and comments.

Sincerely,
Ellen Mccafferty
Gaviota Coast homeowner

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