Mosby Sports and Outdoor Recreation Facility

Case Nos. 11CUP-00000-00032 12RZN-00000-00003

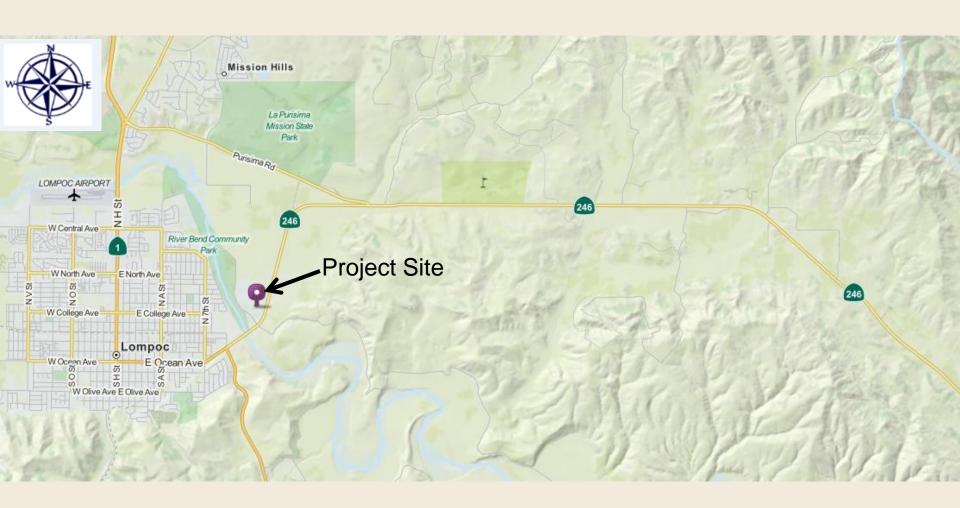
Santa Barbara County Board of Supervisors

February 11, 2014



Vicinity Map





Project Site Location

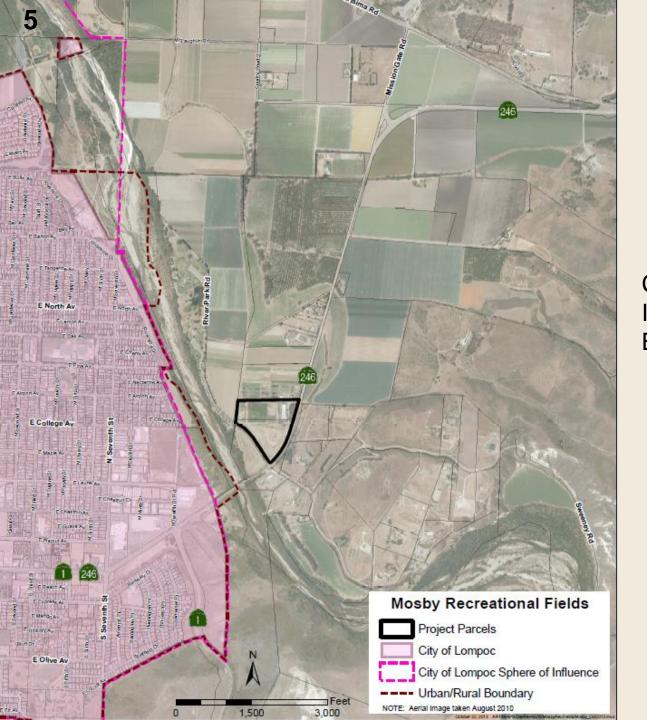




Aerial View of Project Site







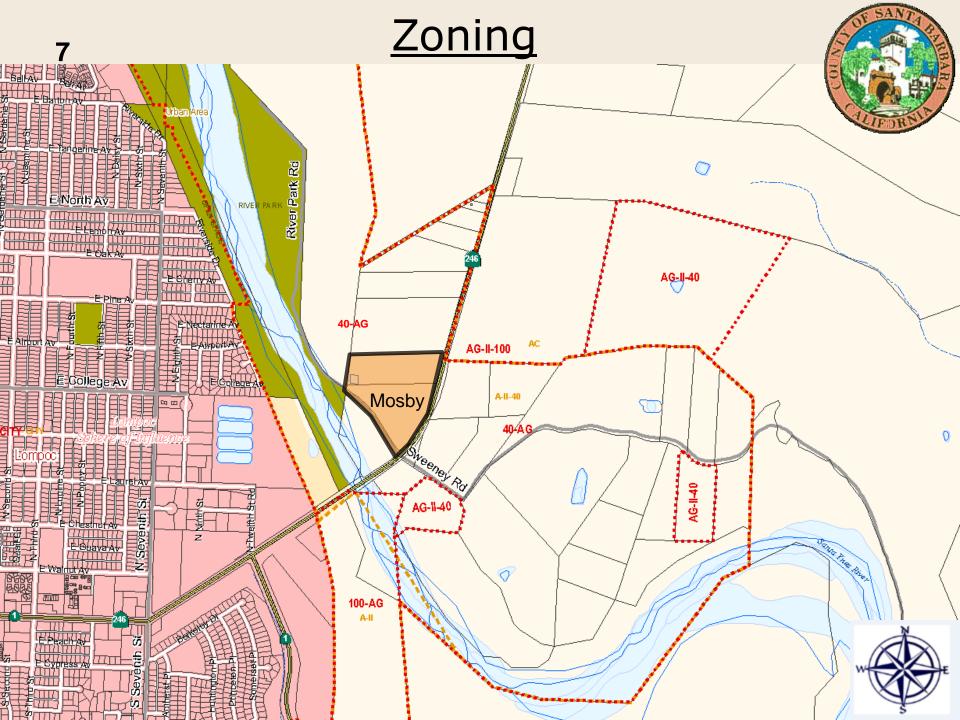


City Limit, Sphere of Influence, and Urban/Rural Boundary Line Exhibit

Project Description

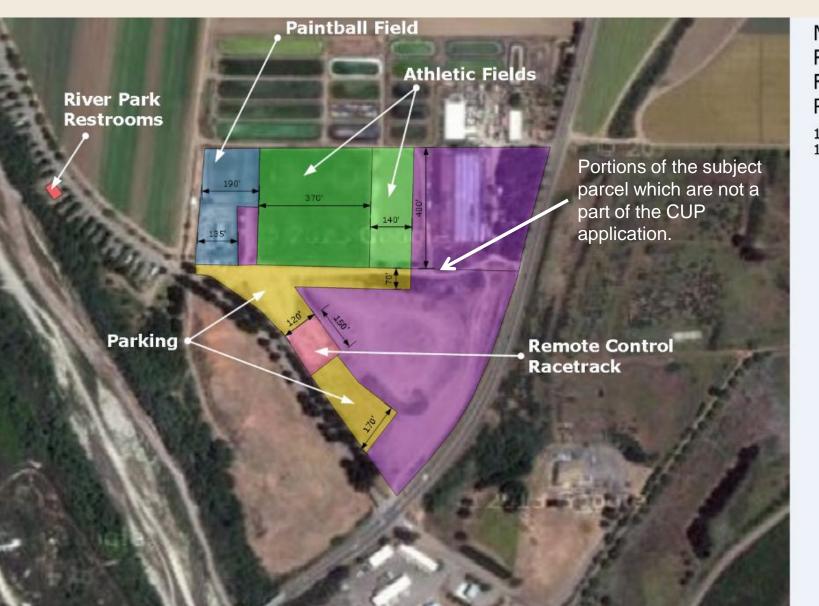


- Consistency Rezone
 - 40-AG (Ordinance 661) to AG-II-40 (LUDC)
- Conditional Use Permit
 - Permit existing outdoor development and recreational activities:
 - Paintball Field
 - Athletic Fields
 - Remote Controlled Car Track



Site Plan





Mosby Recreational Fields CUP & Rezone

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All dimensions are approximate.

Scale 1"=200'



Athletic Fields





Parking Lot

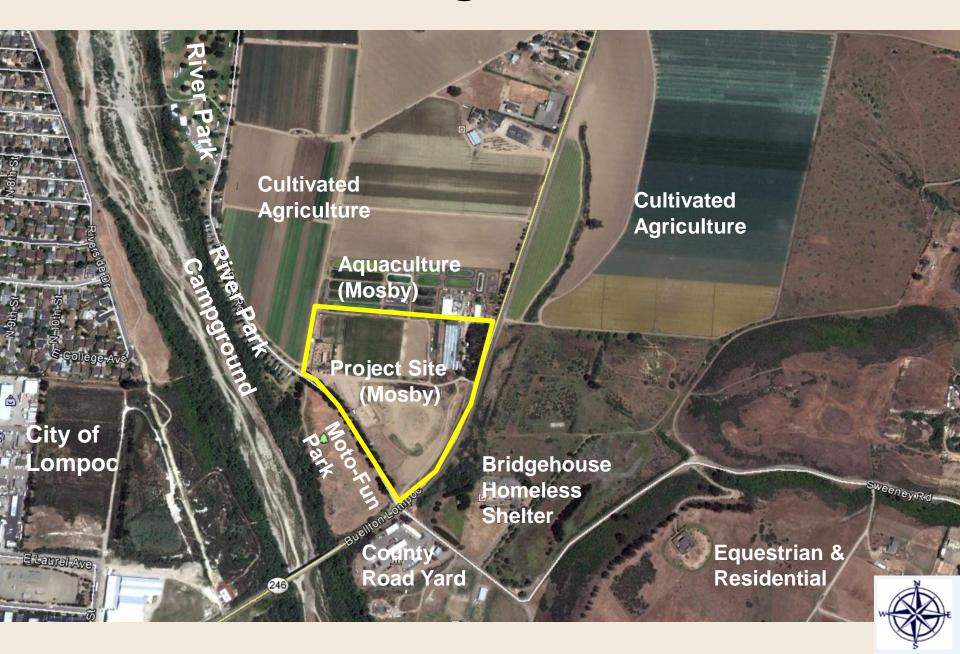
Paintball Field





Remote Control
Car Track

Surrounding Land Uses



Adjacent property to the west currently under Agricultural Cultivation (towards River Park)



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Looking SE towards the Mosby Paintball Field from the adjacent agricultural property to the west



Planning Commission Review



- Planning Commission Hearings:
 - September 11, 2013
 - Continued the project to November 13, 2013 to allow staff to analyze the project under the pre-project baseline.
 - November 13, 2013
 - Directed staff to prepare findings for denial of the project, and continued it to December 4, 2013.
 - December 4, 2013
 - Recommended denial of the project to the Board of Supervisors.

Planning Commission Findings



- The Planning Commission recommended denial of the project based on findings which conclude:
 - The close proximity of the existing unpermitted public recreational uses to production agriculture creates land use conflicts.
 - Lack of permanent buffers threatens long term agricultural productivity.
 - Establishment of an urban land use north of the Santa Ynez river, a natural boundary between the City of Lompoc and production agriculture.

Policy and Ordinance Consistency

- The proposed project is inconsistent with Santa Barbara County Comprehensive Plan Policies.
 - Conflicts between public recreational uses adjacent to agricultural production.
 - Public recreational uses adjacent to agriculture would create an incremental increase in urban/rural conflicts.
 - Lack of permanent buffers would threaten the long term agricultural productivity on surrounding parcels.

Environmental Review



- Notice of Exemption (CEQA Section 15270)
 - CEQA Section 15270 Projects which are disapproved: CEQA does not apply to projects which a public agency rejects or disapproves.

Recommendations and Procedures



- Make the required findings to deny the project specified in Attachment 1 of the Board Agenda Letter, including CEQA findings;
- Determine the project denial to be exempt from CEQA pursuant to Guideline Section 15270 (Attachment 2 of the Board Agenda Letter); and
- Deny the project (Case Nos. 12RZN-00000-00003, and 11CUP-00000-00032).