



**PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING
APRIL 28, 2009
AGENDA**

Council Conference Room
April 28, 2009
250 Hamilton Avenue
7:00 PM Meeting

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I. ROLL CALL

II. AGENDA CHANGES, REQUESTS, DELETIONS

III. ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

Members of the public may address the Commission on any subject not on the agenda. A reasonable time restriction may be imposed at the discretion of the Chair. The Commission reserves the right to limit oral communications period to 15 minutes.

IV. BUSINESS

1. Approval of Draft Minutes from the March 31, 2009 regular meeting – **Action** - Markevitch ATTACHMENT
2. Friends of the Palo Alto Parks – Update on Universal Playground proposal for Mitchell Park – **Information** – Don Piana/Olenka Villarreal – (30 min) ATTACHMENT
3. Policy discussion of the current restriction of dogs in Foothills Park on holidays or weekends, as stated in Municipal Code 22.04.150 – **Discussion** – Commissioner Walsh (30 min) ATTACHMENT
4. Review Commission memo to Council recommending a feasibility study for a grade separated pedestrian/bicycle crossing of Highway 101 in South Palo Alto – including the possible funding of such a grade separation project; exploring the possibility of lengthening access to the existing Adobe Creek US 101 Undercrossing (Lefkowitz Tunnel) beyond the current 6-months annually; and updating the Palo Alto Bicycle Master Plan – **Action** – Commissioner Crommie – (30 min) ATTACHMENT
5. Discussion and possible selection of a Commissioner Liaison to the Palo Alto Unified School District – **Action** Commissioners Walsh and Losch (10 min) ATTACHMENT

V. COMMENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

VI. TENTATIVE AGENDA FOR REGULAR MEETING ON MAY 26, 2009

- CIP Update - Mitchell Park Library Community Center– Group 4
- Overview of Parks and Open Space Division – Lester Hodgins
- Program Update - Summer Camp and Aquatics – Annie Buntun

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VII. ADJOURNMENT



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