

City of San Diego Park & Recreation Department  
**Tierrasanta Open Space Maintenance Assessment District (TOSMD)**  
**Tierrasanta Open Space Committee**  
 Tierrasanta Recreation Center • 11220 Clairemont Mesa Blvd.  
**Agenda for 7 pm Wednesday, May 3, 2017 Meeting**

The Tierrasanta Open Space Committee is advisory to the City of San Diego Open Space Division on matters related to the Tierrasanta Open Space Maintenance Assessment District.

Voting members: Deanna Spehn\* (Chair), Jennifer Schultz\*, Jerry Bierman, Lee Campbell, Teresa Clowes, Roberta Froome, John Hopper, Dawn Lostritto-Nielsen\* (Secretary), Russ May\*, Bob Muldrew, Betty Ogilvie, Mike Ogilvie\*, Dick Rees, James Sanders, Rich Thesing\*.

City Open Space Staff: Bob Smith and Ray Garcia

**Agenda**

7:00 pm Chair Deanna Spehn will call the meeting to order and establish that a quorum is present, followed by introductions of those present and agenda review.

1. Non-agenda public comment (limited to 3 minutes per person)
2. Presentation, discussion and proposed action(s) - Laura Ball, City of San Diego, regarding which option to choose (A, B or C) for trail alignment in Middle Shepherd Canyon (behind Vons shopping center) – please see attached map and chart

**Middle Shepherd Canyon Trail Plan**

<b>Alternative</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>B</b>	<b>C</b>
<b>Description</b>	Close trail west of side canyon	Permit & construct stairs at west end of canyon to Clairemont Mesa Blvd.	Permit & construct alternative trail connection including puncheon bridge across creek to Clairemont Mesa Blvd.
<b>Permitting</b>	No additional work to complete permitting	Minor changes to Biology Report to adjust habitat impacts	Additional biology work to assess potential wetland & adjust habitat impacts
<b>Engineering</b>	N/A	Requires engineering drawings & review	Puncheon bridge & trail steps may be built by volunteer group
<b>Cost</b>	Minimal: signs & brushing	\$20,000	\$2000-\$5000 for materials \$5000 biological work

3. Presentation, discussion and potential action(s) regarding Tierrasanta Trails Plan status, timeline and work plan
4. Status of two abandoned concrete benches in Tierrasanta Norte open space
5. Staff Report for the May 3, 2017 meeting – Bob Smith (see next page)
6. Report from Friends of Tierrasanta Canyons
7. New Business – to be referred to a future meeting of the Tierrasanta Open Space Committee
8. Adjournment

Next meeting: Wednesday, June 7, 2017 at 7 pm  
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STAFF REPORT

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**Ongoing Projects/Completed**

- **Tree Trimming** - West Coast Arborists will be trimming trees on the Right of Ways on Santo Road. And areas of the Open Space. Also West Coast Arborists will be planting a verity of 60 24 inch box trees in the right of ways and medians throughout Tierrasanta.

**Open Space**

- **Open Space Trails Plan** - Laura Ball will be attending the May 3, 2017 Open Space meeting, to discuss the Trail Plans and the options we have where the trail could end in the west Shepherd Canyon .
- **Service Road**- Treebeard will be adding DG, and making improvements to the service road in Shepherds Canyon during the month of April and May, weather permitting.

**Landscape Contract**

- **Treebeard** - continues to provide services within budget.

**Miscellaneous**

- Replaced two damaged benches at the Rueda Open Space between Zorita and Via Temprano.
- New landscaping on Santo Road between Aero Drive and Tierrasanta Blvd. Planting Lantana Gold Spread.
- On Saturday April 22, the Friends of Tierrasanta removed Acacia from the Antigua hillside in East Shepherd Canyon. Part of Creek to Bay and I Love A Clean San Diego.
- Important City Phone Numbers: Code enforcement (619) 236-5500, Environmental Services, (858) 694-7000, Park & Recreation (619)525-8213, Storm Water (619) 235-1000, Street Division (619) 527-7500 and Police Non-Emergency (619) 531-2000 or (858) 484-3154.

Respectfully submitted,

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