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Tiburon Parks & Recreation Master Plan

Town Council to Review Final Draft November 20



The Parks, Open Space and Trails Commission held a special meeting on October 24 and [reviewed the final draft](#) (YouTube) of the Parks & Recreation Master Plan.

The POST Commission reviewed the draft and made a recommendation to the Town Council that the Plan be adopted.

The Town Council will conduct another review and consider final adoption of the Plan on Wednesday, November 20, 2024 at 6:30 p.m. [The final draft is available for review here.](#)

The meeting will be held at Tiburon Town Hall, in Town Council Chambers, at 1505 Tiburon Boulevard, Tiburon, CA 94920. All are welcome to attend. The full meeting agenda will be published the week prior to the meeting [here](#).

Learn more and sign up for email updates at tiburonparks.com.

Election Day is Tomorrow!

The 2024 General Election is tomorrow, November 5!

Here's what you need to know:

Tiburon Town Hall is not a Vote Center or ballot drop box location this year.

Marin County voters may now vote in person at any Vote Center throughout the County, and all registered voters will automatically receive a vote-by-mail ballot.



Tiburon's closest Vote Center is at **Westminster Presbyterian Church** (240 Tiburon Boulevard) and will be open for voting **November 4** from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and **November 5 (Election Day)** from 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Voters may drop their ballots at the **post office**, in a **post office mailbox**, or in any **ballot drop box throughout the County**. Tiburon's closest ballot drop box is at **Belvedere City Hall** (450 San Rafael Avenue) on the lower level near the Community Center.

Visit marinvotes.org for more info, including the locations of other [Vote Centers](#) and [ballot drop boxes](#) in Marin County.

Political Signs

According to Tiburon's Municipal Code, single-family and two-family homes can display signs that are up to 8 square feet. However, during elections (45 days before and 5 days after), this can increase to 16 square feet for non-commercial messages.

Signs must have the owner's permission, stay below roof height, and can be placed on walls, fences, or windows—but not on trees or plants. No lighting is allowed. Political signs are not permitted in the right-of-way.

All election signage must be removed within 5 days of the election.

Transportation & Infrastructure Study (aka Traffic Study) Update



Earlier this year, the Town Council authorized a consultant to conduct a thorough transportation & infrastructure study along State Route 131 (Tiburon Boulevard). The intention of the study is to create a comprehensive "roadmap" for the Town to consider changes to the existing transportation network and infrastructure.

The consultant, Parametrix Inc., began work this summer and will present their first report to the Town Council on November 6, 2024. ([Agenda](#)) ([Presentation](#))

The meeting will begin at 6:30 p.m. at Tiburon Town Hall, 1505 Tiburon Boulevard. All are welcome to attend the meeting.

SAVE THE DATE! Parametrix will also host an in-person community workshop on December 3, 2024 at Town Hall.

Red Flag Warning: Fire Weather Conditions This Week



The National Weather Service has issued a Red Flag Warning for Marin County this week, which means critical fire weather conditions are expected during the designated time period. Fire conditions include a combination of strong offshore wind gusts up to 45 mph and relatively low humidity.

The Red Flag Warning will be in place beginning Tuesday, November 5 at 11:00 a.m. through Thursday, November 7 at 7:00 a.m.

Erratic and gusty winds may result in dangerous and unpredictable fire behavior. A simple spark could cause a major wildfire under these conditions.

The community is advised to exercise extreme caution this week, including:

- Avoid using any source of heat or open flame outdoors
- Avoid using power tools (gas or electric) or mowers
- Properly discard cigarettes
- Keep vehicles off dry grass or vegetation
- Avoid closed areas and be alert while visiting (open) public lands where wildfires might occur

Sign up for your local emergency alerts from [Alert Marin](#) and make sure your disaster preparedness plan is in place by going to [Get Ready to Go 94920](#).

Winter is Coming...Are You Ready?

Winter and the stormy season will be here before we know it. To prepare for winter storms, consider the following:

Flood. If you are in an area likely to flood, use sandbags. The Department of Public Works has set up two sandbag stations for your use. Sand and sand bags are available at the **Blackie's Pasture and Teather Park parking lots**. Please help yourself. A guide on how to properly stack sandbags is available on the [GetReady storm site](#). If you are aware of drainage failure and significant flooding, contact the Tiburon Police Department at (415) 789-2801 and TPD will notify the appropriate response personnel.

Erosion control. Construction sites are required to implement erosion control and winterization of sites during the rainy season (October 15 through May 1). Learn how to winterize your site [here](#).



Wind. Heavy winds will cause patio furniture and other loose items to blow around and potentially break sliding glass doors and windows. Secure all patio furniture, boats, and

other items in your yard.

Fallen trees. Report fallen trees to the Tiburon Police Department at (415) 789-2801.

Landslide. Inspect your property for land movement, retaining wall failure or drainage ditch and downspout issues. Clean out ditches, drains, and gutters for proper water flow away from your structure. Know multiple escape routes from your home and yard and evacuate your property if you discover earth movement or landslide.

Power outage or downed power lines. Power outages should be reported to PG&E at (800)743-5002 or [online](#). Downed power lines should be reported to PG&E and 911.

Driver safety. Use extra caution and keep your headlights on. Obey the speed limit and follow other traffic signals or detours from a safe distance.

Richardson Bay Sanitation District Pond Closure Project Continues



This summer, the Town purchased land adjacent to the Richardson Bay Sanitation District that was occupied by several out-of-service water treatment ponds.

The contractor has begun work on the State-mandated closure process and recently removed 18 tons of organic material from the site in preparation for filling and grading the pond area. The closure process will also consist of: demolishing existing wastewater pond piping and structures, demolishing existing retaining walls and fences around the perimeter of the ponds, placing and compacting clean fill within the ponds, smooth grading the area, installation of storm drain infrastructure, and hydroseeding the area for a smooth and usable finish.

Work will continue until the end of November. The Old Rail Trail will remain open during this period with traffic control in place.

Town Storm Drains Rehabilitation Project



Ever wondered about the infrastructure beneath your feet? The Town recently completed a project to rehabilitate various storm drain line segments throughout town. This 48" diameter storm drain line was recently rehabilitated under the Old Rail Trail. This particular line and outfall is a crucial component of the network that conveys stormwater runoff from watersheds above the Old Rail Trail area.

Town Council Regular Meeting | November 6, 6:30 p.m.

The next regular meeting of the Council will be November 6 at 6:30 p.m. Members of the public may attend the meeting in person at Town Hall or remotely via Zoom.

The agenda and Zoom link is posted on the Town's website. [Click here.](#)

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Town Hall Holiday Schedule | November & December



Tiburon Town Hall will be **closed for the Thanksgiving Holiday on Thursday, November 28 and Friday, November 29, 2024.** No construction work is permitted on Thanksgiving Day.

Additionally, Town Hall will be **closed for the winter holidays beginning Tuesday, December 24, 2024 and will resume regular working hours on Monday, January 6, 2024.** The Tiburon Police Department will be operating normally.

Artist Reception | Tuesday, November 12, 6-8 p.m.

Artist Reception

Revati Natesan
**Threads of Tradition:
Contemporary Indian Folk Art**

November 12 | 6 - 8 p.m.



Tiburon Town Hall | 1505 Tiburon Blvd, Tiburon | www.townoftiburon.org

Music at Old St. Hilary's | Sunday, November 17, 4:00 p.m. Hiroya Tsukamoto, A Journey Through Strings and Stories



Hiroya Tsukamoto brings a blend of masterful finger style guitar and evocative storytelling that transcends cultural barriers. He is a soulful performer, with compositions that combine intricate multi-track guitar work with lyrical performance and spoken stories from his life.

Tickets are \$25; \$20 for seniors and under 18. At the door, \$30 and \$25. Presented by: Belvedere-Tiburon Landmarks Society with generous support from the

Tiburon Heritage & Arts Commission and The Belvedere Land Company.

TICKETS

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c/o Town of Tiburon