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AGENDA ITEM

Overview of the partnership with the San Mateo County Resource Conservation District

GENERAL MANAGER'S RECOMMENDATION



No action required.

SUMMARY

The Executive Director of the San Mateo County Resource Conservation District (RCD), Kellyx Nelson, will provide a verbal overview of the partnership between Midpeninsula Regional Open Space District (Midpen) and the RCD.

DISCUSSION

Founded in 1939, the San Mateo County Resource Conservation District (RCD) provides technical assistance, project implementation, conservation planning, and education and outreach to the community it serves. The RCD focuses their program on four aspects: water, climate, wildlife, and food systems.

This overview will illustrate the primary value of the partnership between the RCD and Midpen. The RCD has collaborated with Midpen in multiple ways, including the slender false brome eradication program, creek habitat restoration, collaborative networks, water quality monitoring, and permit streamlining.

FISCAL IMPACT

None.

BOARD COMMITTEE REVIEW

None.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public notice was provided as required by the Brown Act.

CEQA COMPLIANCE

This item is not a project subject to the California Environmental Quality Act.

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NEXT STEPS

None.

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