



**Deliverables/Scope:** *Inventory existing resources and recommend short-term (ways to partner through joint facilities usage) and long-term facilities planning (ways to improve and enhance sports fields/facilities) within the Town of Moraga*

Meeting Date: September 8, 2014

**TOWN OF MORAGA**

**STAFF REPORT**

**To: Joint Ad Hoc Facilities Planning Subcommittee Members**

**From: Jay Ingram, Parks and Recreation Director**

**Subject: September Joint Ad Hoc Facilities Planning Subcommittee**

Item VI. A.

**Comments from August 26 Tour of Pleasant Hill Recreation and Park District Facilities – (discussion 15 minutes)**

This item will be an opportunity to share thoughts, ideas and questions for those subcommittee members who attended the Pleasant Hill recreational facilities tour last month. If appropriate, questions can be shared and staff will prepare Pleasant Hill Council Member Michael Harris to respond to questions when he visits the subcommittee to speak on Tuesday, September 30.

Item VI. B.

**Consider and Discuss Matching Recreational Needs with Site Alternatives – (discussion/action – 75 minutes)**

During the August 18 meeting, the Subcommittee began the process of matching site alternatives with recreational needs. The Subcommittee identified the top three recreational needs which include; indoor gymnasium facility, multi-generational community center facility, sports fields. It was acknowledged that this process would span several meetings.

The first recreational need addressed on August 18 was sports fields. Three sites were identified as potentially needing further study; Campolindo High School lower fields, Joaquin Moraga Intermediate School Campus, and Rheem Elementary School turf field. Substantial discussion was held addressing the benefits and drawbacks of each facility. It was requested of staff to bring back the diagrams Steve Sutherland (SSA Landscape Architects) proposed for subcommittee discussions in May (see attachment A).

The agreed upon next steps were to discuss the two remaining recreational needs; indoor gymnasium facility and multi-generational community center facility and continue

1 matching the recreational needs with potential site alternatives, shown on the table in  
2 Attachment B.

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4 **Recommendation**

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6 Consider and discuss the recreational need of an indoor gymnasium facility and match  
7 that need with potential site alternatives. As time permits, the third recreational need of  
8 a multi-generational community center facility and potential matching site alternatives  
9 can be discussed as well.