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Dear Mr. Wycko,

On September 21, 2011, the Historic Preservation Commission (HPC) held a public hearing and took public comment on the Draft Environmental Impact Report (DEIR) for the proposed Significant Natural Resources Area Management Plan. After discussion, the HPC arrived at the comments below:

- The HPC did not have consensus on the historical integrity of the Sharp Park Golf Course. Some commissioners thought that the property does not retain sufficient integrity to convey the property's historical significance per the National Register of Historic Places and/or California Register of Historical Resources, while others thought that the property does retain sufficient integrity.
- The HPC suggest that the mitigation measure described in M-CP-1 (Page 11) should be modified to specify that the future historic resource evaluations should be completed by a qualified professional landscape architectural historian.
- The HPC suggests that the mitigation measure described in M-CP-7 (Page 13) should be modified to specify that a qualified professional landscape architectural historian should be retained to document the cultural landscape.
- The HPC suggests that implementation of the Sharp Park restoration activity to construct a post and rail fence along the seawall of the golf course described in I-CP- 8 (Page 14) *would* cause a substantial adverse change in the significance of the Sharp Park Golf Course.
- The HPC also commented that it is likely that future projects involving federal permitting or funding will be reviewed and commented on by the Commission as part of the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) process.

The HPC appreciates the opportunity to participate in review of this environmental document.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Charles Chase".

Charles Chase, President
Historic Preservation Commission