



**CITY OF CHICO
BIDWELL PARK AND PLAYGROUND COMMISSION (BPPC)**

Regular Meeting Agenda
SEPTEMBER 25, 2023, 6:00 PM

City Council Chambers - 421 Main Street, Chico CA

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1. REGULAR COMMISSION MEETING

- 1.1. Call to Order
- 1.2. Roll Call

2. CONSENT AGENDA

All matters listed under the Consent Agenda are to be considered routine and enacted by one motion.

2.1. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES OF THE 8/28/23 BPPC MEETINGS

Action: Approve minutes of the BPPC's 8/28/23 Regular Meeting.

2.2. PERMIT TO HOLD MOUNTAIN BIKE RACES IN UPPER BIDWELL PARK ON SEPTEMBER 30 AND OCTOBER 01, 2023.

Chico State Cycling (Applicant) requests a permit to hold several two-day mountain bike races on both sides of Upper Bidwell Park with creek crossings at Lot T. Commission approval is required for this event because it is a multi-day event to be held in a typically non-reservable area.

Recommendation: P&NRM requests conditional approval or other BPPC direction.

3. ITEMS REMOVED FROM CONSENT – IF ANY

4. PUBLIC COMMENTS:

Members of the public may address the Commission at this time on any matter not already listed on the agenda; comments are limited to three minutes. The Commission cannot take any action at this meeting on requests made under this section of the agenda.

5. PUBLIC HEARINGS NONE

6. REGULAR AGENDA

6.1. CONSIDERATION OF AN APPLICATION FROM SPRINGBOARD CONNECTIVITY TO HOLD A WALK/RUN FUNDRAISER IN UPPER BIDWELL PARK ON 10/29/23.

Springboard Connectivity (Applicant) requests a permit to hold a walk/run from 10 am to 2 p.m. on Sunday October 29, 2023 in Upper Bidwell Park. Commission approval is required for this event because it is a new applicant and event to be held in a typically non-reservable area. (**Report –Linda Herman, Park & Natural Resources Manager**)

Recommendation: P&NRM requests conditional approval or other BPPC direction.

6.2. UPDATE ON THE SWORN RANGER PROGRAM.

At its 8/28/23 meeting, the Commission had questions regarding the status of the Sworn Ranger Program reported in the Parks Division Report and requested further discussion of this program for tonight's meeting. **(Report –Erik Gustafson, Public Work Director – Operations & Maintenance)**

Recommendation: None, this is an informational and discussion item.

7. REPORTS AND COMMUNICATIONS

Items provided for the Commission's information only. No action can be taken on any of the items unless the Commission agrees to include it on a subsequent posted agenda.

7.1. Parks Division Report – Linda Herman, Park and Natural Resources Manager.

7.2. Street Tree Division Report – Richie Bamlet, Urban Forest Manager.

8. ADJOURNMENT

Adjourn to the next regular meeting on October 30, 2023, at 6:00 P.M. in the Council Chamber of the Chico Municipal Center building located at 421 Main Street, Chico, California.



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