The purpose of the Committee is to provide recommendations to the San Luis Obispo County Flood Control District regarding appropriate actions to provide flood protection for the properties within the boundaries of Flood Control Zones 1 and 1A.

- Excerpt from Bylaws endorsed by Steering Committee, June 2001

MINUTES

1) Welcome and Introductions

Members in attendance: Gary Kobara, Charlie Lackie, Dianna Lackie, Greg Cobb, Jeremy Ghent

Other in attendance: Nola Engelskirger, County Public Works

2) Public Comment – None

3) Announcements – None

4) Review and Approval of Past Minutes

Member Charlie Lackie made motion, Member Greg Cobb seconded, and the July Minutes were approved unanimously.

5) Membership Update

On September 18, Jeremy Ghent was appointed by the Board of Supervisors to be a member of the Advisory Committee.

6) International Coast Cleanup Day, September 15

- The Oceano Beach Community Association, in conjunction with Surfrider SLO, held a cleanup at Arroyo Grande Creek in Oceano for International Coastal Cleanup Day on September 15.
- 36 volunteers signed a waiver to pickup trash in the channel starting at 22nd Street bridge and working west towards the beach.
- Almost 800 pounds of trash was removed from the channel.

7) Winter Prep & Channel Maintenance

County Staff Nola Engelskirger reported:

- Flap gate maintenance will be done next month. All flap gates will be inspected for proper operation, vegetation and sediment blocking gates will be removed.
• Temporary Levee Protection is ready to be installed, if needed. All materials have been inventoried and are available for installation. Labor contracts/reservations for inmate labor are in place.

Member Charlie Lackie requested that Public Works check the sandbag wall on levee at Bejo Seeds when checking flap gates.

Member Jeremy Ghent observed that the main sand dune near the end of the north levee at Sand Canyon Flap Gates appears to be creeping east towards gates and noted that continual movement of the sand dune in this direction could eventually cover flap gates. Public Works will continue to observe this area.

8) **Waterway Management Program Alt 3a/Mod 3c**

County Staff Nola Engelskirger provided the following project update:

- We have received our first permit for the project from the Army Corps. This permit is contingent upon receipt of a Coastal Development Permit and the RWQCB 401 Certification.
- Staff has resubmitted permit applications to regulatory agencies, including revisions resulting from the NMFS biological opinion; we expect to receive permits in the next 6 months.
- Staff is also working on completing design efforts. Cannon has been hired to update topographic information and prepare easement documents. Cannon is currently working on completing boundary survey so that they can prepare needed easement documents.
- Staff will be reaching out to property owners in the next few months to start discussions about needed construction easements and permanent easements.
- So far, previously awarded grant funds are expected to stay with the project through completion. Prop 84 and Prop 1 will need to be re-appropriated, which is an internal process through DWR.

9) **Open Forum / Suggestions for next agenda** – None

10) **Set date for next meeting** - Advisory Committee requested scheduling the meeting for November 13 (2nd Tuesday instead of 3rd Tuesday) due to Thanksgiving holiday.

11) **Adjourned** 4:30 pm.

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