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MARIN COUNTY FISH AND WILDLIFE COMMISSION MINUTES

February 13th, 2024

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Members Present: Ed Schulze, Susan Ristow, Laurette Rogers, Craig Anderson, Brad Stompe, David

Lewis (UCCE) ex-officio

Excused/Absent: None

Non-excused/Absent: Al Nichelini, Brook Halsey

Guests Present: John Ristrow

1. Meeting called to order: 5:03 pm

2. Agenda: Agenda Accepted

- 3. Approve Minutes January 9th, 2024 minutes approved as amended
- 4. **Correspondence and Announcements:** Letter to Recology dated and mailed Feb 9, 2024 to facilitate a joint meeting with North Bay Bear Council (NBBC) to discuss future bear proof receptacle lids. Waiting on a response from Recology.
- 5. Public Expression on non-agenda items but subject to our advisement: None
- 6. **Presentations:** None
- 7. Old Business:
 - Review receipt compliance from grants 2 years ago
 - Waiting on responses and will evaluate responses for future considerations
 - New grant application deadline is the first Monday in March. March 4st 2024
- 8. New Business:
 - Meeting on March 12th: Initial review of Grant Applications by Commissioners
 - Meeting on April 9th, 5pm: In-person Grant Application review and Applicant Q&A
 - Zoom meeting will be made available for Grant Applicant's Q&A
 - Discussion regarding Field Trip to review Grant Projects
- 9. Meeting Adjournment: 5:25 pm

Important Dates:

Next Commission Meeting: Tuesday, March 12th, 2024, at 5pm in-person

NOTE:

To ensure a quorum, any committee member who cannot attend, please call Ed Schulze at 415-897-8969 within 24 hours of the meeting.