

CITY OF HERMOSA BEACH

**Parks, Recreation, and Community Resources Advisory
Commission**

Meeting Minutes



**March 4, 2025, 7:00 PM
Council Chambers
1315 Valley Drive
Hermosa Beach, CA 90254**

Members Present: Chairperson Jani Lange, Vice Chairperson Lauren Pizer Mains,
Commissioner Barbara Ellman, Commissioner Thomas
Moroney, Commissioner Traci Horowitz

1. CALL TO ORDER

Chairperson Lange called the Open Session to order at 7:00 p.m.

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Chairperson Lange.

3. ROLL CALL

Office Assistant Kalyn Kaemerle announced a quorum.

4. ANNOUNCEMENTS—UPCOMING CITY EVENTS

Community Resources Director Lisa Nichols gave a presentation.

5. PRESENTATIONS

6. COMMUNITY RESOURCES DIRECTOR REPORT

Community Resources Director Lisa Nichols gave the report.

7. PUBLIC COMMENT

Coming forward to address the Commission at this time:

Mark Paaluhi, Hermosa Beach resident

Gail Rose, Hermosa Beach resident

8. COMMISSIONER COMMENTS

9. CONSENT CALENDAR

Moved by: Commissioner Barbara Ellman
Seconded by: Commissioner Traci Horowitz

To approve the Consent Calendar.

Ayes (5): Chairperson Jani Lange, Vice Chairperson Lauren Pizer Mains, Commissioner Barbara Ellman, Commissioner Thomas Moroney, and Commissioner Traci Horowitz

Motion Carried

9.a ACTION MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF FEBRUARY 4, 2025

9.b JANUARY 2025 ACTIVITY REPORT

10. PUBLIC HEARINGS

10.a APPROVAL OF IMPACT LEVEL III NEW 2025 SPECIAL EVENT - 25-CR-020

Moved by: Commissioner Thomas Moroney
Seconded by: Commissioner Traci Horowitz

To continue the discussion of this item to the April 1st Parks, Recreation, and Community Resources Advisory Commission meeting:

- The inclusion of Impact Level III new special event, the Los Angeles (LA) Kings Smartwater and Coca Cola Zero Hydration Zone south of the Pier on Monday, September 15, 2025, through Wednesday, September 24, 2025, on the 2025 Special Events Calendar; and
- Exemptions to the Special Event Policy Guide (**Attachment 1**) to exceed the monthly event day limit in September and daily special event limit on Saturday, September 20, 2025.

Ayes (5): Chairperson Jani Lange, Vice Chairperson Lauren Pizer Mains, Commissioner Barbara Ellman, Commissioner Thomas Moroney, and Commissioner Traci Horowitz

Motion Carried

11. MATTERS FOR COMMISSION CONSIDERATION

11.a CONSIDERATION OF THE REQUEST TO RENAME THE GREENBELT PEDESTRIAN TRAIL IN HONOR OF GEOFF HIRSCH AND CASEY ROHRER AND THE SOUTH PARK ACCESSIBLE PLAYGROUND IN HONOR OF CASEY ROHRER - 25-CR-024

Public Comment:

Moved by: Commissioner Traci Horowitz
Seconded by: Commissioner Barbara Ellman

To receive and file the Greenbelt Pedestrian Trail and South Park Accessible Playground Renaming Subcommittee Report (**Attachment 1**) and recommend to City Council with the amendment to add additional clarification to the resolution that the Green Pedestrian Trail runs from Pier Avenue to 8th Street:

1. The adoption of a resolution of the City of Hermosa Beach, California, renaming the Greenbelt Pedestrian Trail in honor of Casey Rohrer and Geoff Hirsch (**Attachment 2**);
2. The adoption of a resolution of the City of Hermosa Beach, California, renaming the South Park Accessible Playground in honor of Casey Rohrer (**Attachment 3**);
3. Approval of the installation of a bench and plaque on the Greenbelt Pedestrian Trail acknowledging the naming;
4. Approval of the installation of a plaque on an existing bench near the South Park Accessible Playground acknowledging the naming.

Ayes (5): Chairperson Jani Lange, Vice Chairperson Lauren Pizer Mains, Commissioner Barbara Ellman, Commissioner Thomas Moroney, and Commissioner Traci Horowitz

Motion Carried

- 12. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**
- 13. PUBLIC COMMENT**
- 14. ADJOURNMENT**

The meeting was adjourned at 8:50p.m.

Chair

City Clerk