

**RESOLUTION NO. 2010-\_\_\_\_\_**  
**RESOLUTION OF THE MARIN COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**  
**GRANTING A MITIGATED NEGATIVE DECLARATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT FOR**  
**CREEKSIDE PARK RENOVATION**

**WHEREAS**, in 2009, the County of Marin adopted an updated Master Plan for Creekside Park, which was constructed in the 1970s. The proposed project includes the renovation of Creekside Park by constructing a new children's play area in the vicinity of the existing playground, expanding the picnic area, renovating the amphitheater, gardens, pathways, marsh overlook, and restrooms, and restoring upland marsh habitat on the park edges. While the Master Plan also includes improvements to the Corte Madera Creek Multi-Use Pathway, the proposed project only includes improving existing pathway connections to the park and adding signage to the connections; and

**WHEREAS**, the Marin County Department of Parks and Open Space prepared an Initial Study for the project, which determined that, as modified, no significant effects would occur and there is no evidence that there would be a significant effect on the environment; and

**WHEREAS**, the Marin County Environmental Coordinator has determined that, based on the Initial Study, a Mitigated Negative Declaration of Environmental Impact is required for the project pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA).

**WHEREAS**, on March 8, 2010, an Initial Study and proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration of Environmental Impact were completed and distributed to agencies and interested parties to commence a 30-day public review period for review and comment on the Negative Declaration, and a Notice of the public review period and Marin County Board of Supervisors hearing date to consider granting final approval of the Negative Declaration was published in a general circulation newspaper pursuant to CEQA.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Marin County Board of Supervisors hereby makes the following findings:

1. Notice of the initial public review period and hearing on the Mitigated Negative Declaration for the Creekside Park Renovation was given as required by law and said hearing was conducted pursuant to Sections 15073 and 15074 of the State CEQA Guidelines and the County CEQA process.
2. All individuals, groups and agencies desiring to comment on the Mitigated Negative Declaration for the Creekside Park Renovation were given the opportunity to address the Marin County Board of Supervisors. Responses were prepared for all comments received.
3. The Mitigated Negative Declaration of Environmental Impact for the project consists of the proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration, the Initial Study, responses to comments and all supporting information incorporated by reference therein.
4. The proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration of Environmental Impact was completed in compliance with the intent and requirements of CEQA, the State CEQA Guidelines and the County's CEQA process.

**LET IT BE FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Marin County Board of Supervisors hereby grants the Mitigated Negative Declaration of Environmental Impact for the Creekside Park Renovation as an adequate and complete environmental document for the purposes of approving the project and declares that the Mitigated Negative Declaration has been completed and considered, together with the comments thereto, in compliance with CEQA, the State of California CEQA Guidelines and the County's CEQA process

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** at a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Marin held on this \_\_\_\_th day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2010, by the following vote:

AYES: SUPERVISORS

NOES:

ABSENT:

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PRESIDENT, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

ATTEST:

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CLERK