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CASTRO VALLEY MUNICIPAL ADVISORY 3RD PUBLIC WORKSHOP PROPOSED WATERCOURSE PROTECTION ORDINANCE REVISIONS

CASTRO VALLEY, CA –The Castro Valley Municipal Advisory Council will be conducting a 3rd workshop regarding the proposed revisions to the Watercourse Protection Ordinance on Monday May 12, 2014, at the Castro Valley Library, located 3600 Norbridge Avenue. The workshop will begin immediately after the conclusion of the regularly scheduled Municipal Advisory Council meeting.

For background, the Alameda County Board of Supervisors appointed a Watercourse Task force to identify and address the community's concerns regarding development projects that had the potential to degrade the quality of creeks and their riparian corridors. The Task Force presented their Final Report of Recommendations for Proposed Revisions of the Alameda County Watercourse Protection Ordinance to the Board of Supervisors Transportation and Planning Committee. The Public Works and Community Development Agencies prepared a proposed watercourse protection ordinance revision based on those recommendations.

- The following documents are posted on the PWA website at http://acgov.org/pwa, a link to the documents are provided in the Quick Links Section:
 - Final Report of Recommendations for Revisions of the Alameda County Watercourse Protection Ordinance prepared by the San Lorenzo Creek Watershed Task Force
 - o County Response to the Task Force Recommendations
 - o Proposed Revisions to the Watercourse Protection Ordinance

The purpose of the workshop will be to review and provide an opportunity to comment on the proposed revisions. For additional information, please call the Public Works Agency Construction Department at (510) 670-5431 or visit the Agency's website at www.acgov.org/pwa.

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