

Land Use Services Department Planning Division

Board of Supervisors

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Applicant: RCK Properties, Inc.

Agenda Item Number 61

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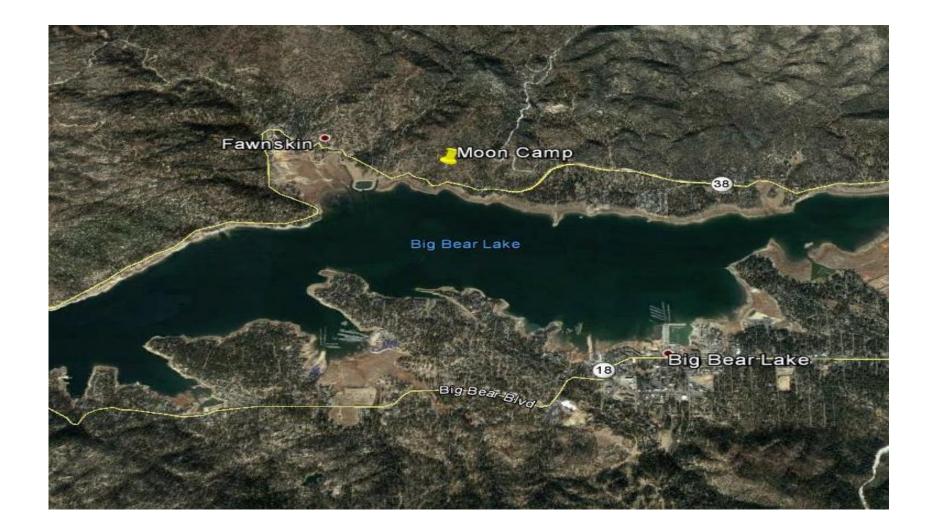
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Moon Camp Residential Subdivision

- General Plan amendment to change the land use designation on 62.43 acres from BV/RL-40 (Bear Valley/Rural Living 40-ac.) to BV/RS-20m (Bear Valley/Single Residential 20,000 s.f.)
- Tentative Tract Map 16136 a 50-lot subdivision with residential lots ranging from 20,000 sq. ft. to 2.7 acres. (average lot size = 39,000 s.f.)

CEQA Action: Certification of a Final Environmental Impact Report (EIR)

Vicinity Map



Existing General Plan Land Use Map



Proposed General Plan Land Use Map



Site Photos



Looking southerly from north of State Route 38 across the project site. C



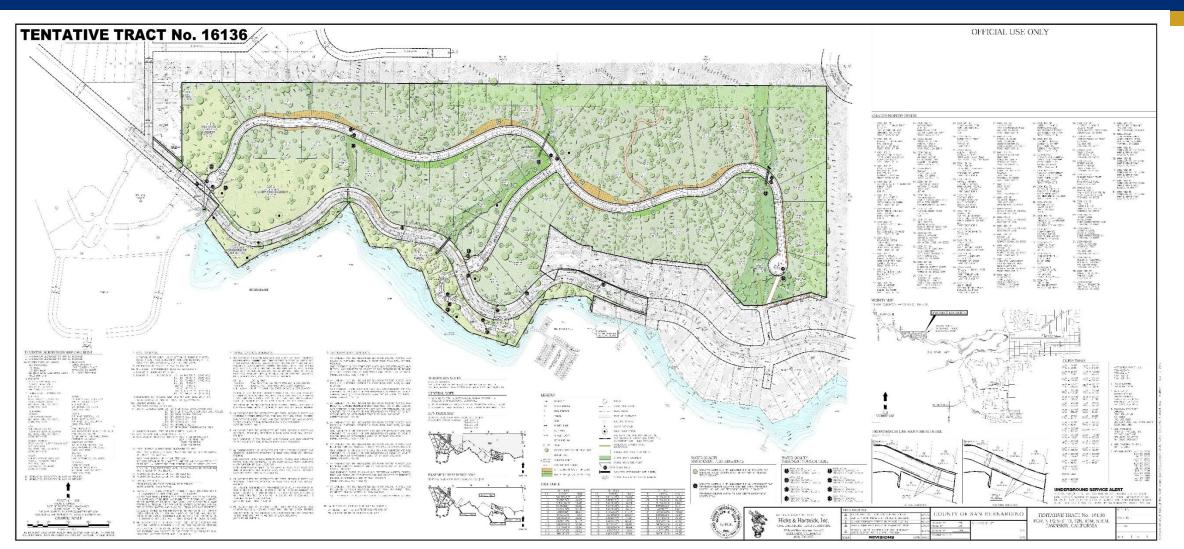
Views of the project site from Oriole Lane located to the west of the F project site.



Original Moon Camp Subdivision Plan (2004) – 92 lots



Current Moon Camp Subdivision Proposal – 50 lots



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Key Changes in the Project Design

Original 92-lot Project Design:

- Minimum lot size of 7,200 sq. ft.
- Realignment of North Shore Drive (SR-38)
- 31 lakefront lots

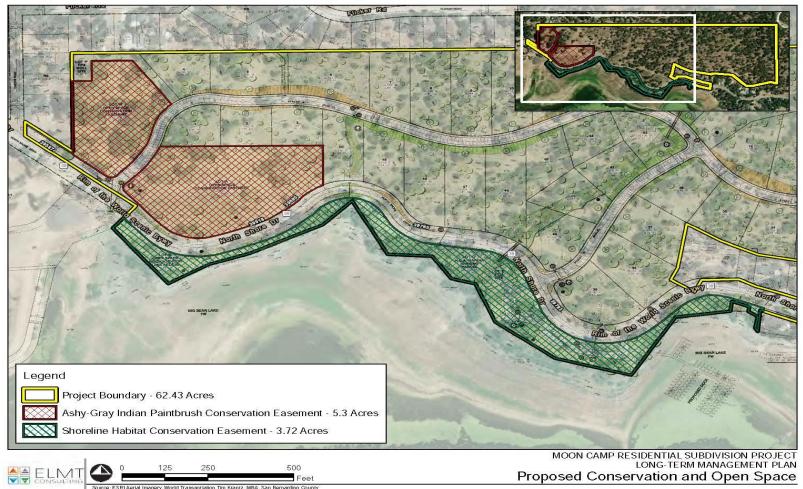
Changes in design, beginning in 2010:

- Reduced the number of lots from 92 to 50
- Increased the minimum lot size from 7,200 sq. ft. to 20,000 sq. ft.
- Eliminated realignment of North Shore Drive (SR-38)
- Eliminated all lakefront lots
- Added open space, marina parking and neighborhood lake access

- On-site and off-site conservation areas established to protect biological resources
 5.3-acre on-site conservation easement for Ashy-Gray Indian Paintbrush
 3.72-acre Shoreline Habitat Conservation Easement established
 10-acre Pebble Plain Conservation Area established off-site
- Conservation of Eagle perch trees on undeveloped shoreline area
- Long-Term Management Plan for Bald Eagle and Rare Plant Habitat

Conservation and Open Space





Sugarloaf Pebble Plain Conservation Area





Eagle Perch Trees





- Project EIR concludes that with implementation of recommended mitigation, all environmental impacts of the Project will be less than significant, with the possible exception of impacts to the Bald Eagle.
- A Statement of Overriding Considerations is proposed to document public benefits of the project that offset its adverse impact to the Bald Eagle, including:
 - Major improvements to the Fawnskin water system to provide a new water source, back-up power generator, improved flow pressure and fire hydrants for fire protection.
 - Habitat conservation easements protected by a long-term management plan and endowment.
 - Protection of the shoreline in perpetuity for scenic views from Shoreline Drive, neighborhood lake access and use by Bald Eagles.
 - Class 2 bike lane on Shore Line Drive, consistent with Big Bear Bike & Trail Master Plan.

Planning Commission public hearing on October 4, 2018

- PC recommended certification of the EIR and approval of the GPA and TTM 16136 by a vote of 3-2 (Commissioners Allard and Smith opposed).
- Opposing votes were based on concerns regarding impacts to the Bald Eagle.

Following the Planning Commission hearing:

- Applicant proceeded with additional study and evaluation of eagle perch trees and preparation of habitat management plans, pursuant to mitigation monitoring program.
- Project plans as reviewed by the Planning Commission remain unchanged.

Recommendations

- Conduct a Public Hearing.
- Certify the Environmental Impact Report.
- Adopt the CEQA Findings of Fact and Overriding Considerations.
- Adopt the Mitigation Monitoring/Reporting Program.
- Consider Ordinance amending the General Plan land use map, changing 62.43 acres from BV/RL-40 to BV/RS-20m.
- Make alterations, if necessary to the proposed Ordinance.
- Approve introduction of the proposed Ordinance.
- Read title only of the Ordinance amending the General Plan as the First Cycle Land Use Element Amendment of 2019; waive reading entire text and Adopt the Ordinance.
- Adopt a Resolution amending the Land Use Element of the County General Plan.
- Approve Tentative Tract Map No. 16136, subject to the conditions of approval.
- Adopt the recommended findings for approval of the GPA and TTM 16136.
- Direct the Clerk of the Board to File a Notice of Determination