

NOTICE OF CONTINUANCE PUBLIC HEARING DRAFT ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT REPORT (DEIR) FOR THE PROPOSED ESTERO TRAIL PROJECT

A scoping meeting was held for the project on December 13, 2017 at the Valley Ford School House in Valley Ford, CA. A Draft EIR has been prepared to provide more information to the public and to responsible agencies and is currently available for review.

Project Location: The proposed project site is located at the Bordessa Ranch property, 17000 Valley Ford Cutoff, in unincorporated Sonoma County, west of the town of Valley Ford.

Proposed Project: The project would establish two pedestrian/hiker-only trail corridors with associated staging areas (trailheads/parking lots) that would allow for low-intensity public access to pursue outdoor, recreational, and educational uses. Future uses may include hiking, nature study, bird watching, sightseeing, picnicking, outdoor education, docent led tours, scientific research and observation, and other similar uses. Allowable uses may also include limited, seasonal walk-in access to the Estero for pedestrians and hand-carried, non-motorized boats, such as kayaks and canoes.

The Sonoma County Planning Commission was previously scheduled to conduct a public hearing to accept oral or written comments on the adequacy of the DEIR March 19, 2020 at 1:20 PM.

THIS HEARING HAS BEEN CONTINUED TO MAY 7, 2020 AT 1:20 PM.

**ADDITIONAL
MATERIALS:**

Prior to the future hearing, updated project materials and documents will be available at Permit Sonoma, 2550 Ventura Avenue, Santa Rosa.

**GETTING
INVOLVED:**

For Further Information: If you have questions regarding the DEIR-FEIR, or the hearings, please contact Senior Environmental Specialist, Rich Stabler at (707) 565-8352 or at Rich.Stabler@sonoma-county.org.

DATE:

March 16, 2020

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