



COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

For the meeting of: 10/9/2018

File #: 18-1311

To: Board of Supervisors

From: Supervisor Ryan Sundberg

SUBJECT:

Presentation on the Big Lagoon Signage Project (Supervisor Ryan Sundberg)

RECOMMENDATION(S):

That the Board of Supervisors hear the presentation and take appropriate action, if required.

SOURCE OF FUNDING:

Green Diamond Resource Company and State Farm Insurance Agent donations.

DISCUSSION:

On July 27, 2018 and August 8, 2018, a total of 16 "Deadly Steep Beach" signs were installed at Big Lagoon County Park and nearby county roads with beach access to warn the public about uniquely dangerous conditions that have resulted in four fatalities (one in April, 2018 and three in November, 2012).

The sign information and graphics were developed by the National Weather Service in consultation with the Water Safety Coalition of Northwestern California.

Funds for the project were donated by State Farm Insurance Agents and Green Diamond Resource Company to cover the external costs for sign fabrication and installation. The signs were then installed by County Park staff.

Troy Nicolini from the National Weather Service and Paul Nicholson, retired State Farm Agent will highlight the work that went into the Big Lagoon Signage Project and thank all of our community partners that worked on the project.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

N/A

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT:

Community Partners include Green Diamond Resource Company, State Farm Insurance Agents, the Water Safety Coalition of Northwestern California and the Humboldt County Public Works Department.

ALTERNATIVES TO STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

Board discretion.

ATTACHMENTS:

Photos of new signage.

PREVIOUS ACTION/REFERRAL:

Board Order No.: N/A

Meeting of: N/A