



GAVIOTA COAST PLAN

Informational Workshop

July 16th 2009

Welcome!

Gaviota Coast Plan Informational Workshop

Tonight's Agenda

- Project Overview
- Plan Area Boundary
- PAC Application Information
- Schedule
- Information Tables – Meet and talk with staff



Plan Area Stats

- 101, 430 acres
- 996 parcels
- Agricultural zoning: 97,472 acres (97%)

GAVIOTA COAST PLAN BOUNDARY

What is an Area Plan?

County Comprehensive Plan

Local Coastal Plan

Area Plan

Adopts specific goals, policies, and development standards for a unique area in the County, consistent with the Comprehensive Plan.

What is the GavPAC?

The GavPAC shall advise County staff during the update of the Comprehensive Plan and Local Coastal Plan, in accordance with County GPAC Guidelines.

The role of the GavPAC shall be to

Receive input;

Develop Area Plan goals;

Review & Comment on the Draft Gaviota Coast Plan.

Apply Now!

The County of Santa Barbara is now accepting applications to participate on the Gaviota Coast Planning Advisory Committee (GavPAC)

Applications are due no later than
5:00PM on August 21st, 2009



Who can serve on the GavPAC?

- Gaviota Coast landowners, residents, business owners, and stakeholders may apply to serve on the GavPAC.
- Composition of the GavPAC will be based upon many factors including geographic areas, professional affiliations, and community groups.



What are the qualifications of an effective GavPAC member?

- General knowledge or willingness to learn about land use policies and practice.
- Proven ability to resolve differences.
- Ability to commit the necessary time and energy towards the planning process.
- Willingness to approach issues as problems to be solved rather than battles to be won.
- Willingness to be a “diplomat” for the process and for the County, rather than a lobbyist for any particular interest groups.
- Willingness to raise process problems early and resolve them amicably.
- Ability to maintain successful working relationships with PAC members and County staff.
- Ability to represent a constituency of the community, rather than solely personal interests.

How much time must I commit?



- The term of office for a PAC and its members is established by the Board of Supervisors when it creates the committee.
- Maximum term of office may be four (4) years, coinciding with the Board member's term of office.
- The GavPAC is expected to meet one or two evenings per month for approximately 14 months. Scheduling will be established during the first GavPAC meeting.
- Goal: Draft Plan for Board of Supervisor adoption hearings in the Fall/Winter of 2012.

I am interested!

How do I apply?

Applications and Required Supplemental Questionnaires are available:

Tonight!	Applications are available to complete and submit to staff this evening.
In person:	Office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors County Administration Building, 105 East Anapamu Street, Room 407, Santa Barbara
By Phone:	Clerk of the Board Office at (805) 568-2240
Online:	http://longrange.sbcountyplanning.org/planareas/gaviota/gaviota.php

When will the GavPac be selected?

- Applications and Supplemental Questionnaires are due to the Clerk of the Board no later than August 21st, 2009.
- Board of Supervisors will appoint the GavPAC by resolution in September 2009.
- GavPAC meetings will begin in October 2009.

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