

TO: GVPAC Staff, Long Range Planning  
FROM: Bonnie Freeman, Committee Member GVPAC  
DATE: Wednesday, December 17, 2008  
RE: Materials to share

I am sharing a copy of the **DVD 'GREENSCREEN'** Environmental Media Program with emphasis on the project; "Shifting Sands of Goleta Beach" that ties in with the politics and values at play in determining the future of Goleta Beach. This project, from the UCSB Film & Media Division, was photographed by Alexio Monopolis, my student with an MS. Master of Science from Oxford University in Biodiversity Conservation and Management and feel it may shed some light on the subject of Water Management we discussed at the Dec. 2<sup>nd</sup> meeting.

I would also like to list a resource home for Sustainable Living that was highlighted in the Sustainable Garden Tour that I put together in summer of 2007. The home can be visited by appointment and might be of interest to the committee or staff if it has not already been seen. Daniel Wilson, the landscaper, holds degrees in biogeo...aquatic biology, he also works as an environmental consultant. **This project, at 854 Norma Way in Goleta**, owned by Martin Stevenson, won the Annual Sustainable Landscape Design by Goleta Valley Beautiful in 2007, and besides native landscape, it also has ecologically balanced and mosquito-proof fishpond, all permeable pathways and driveway, a cistern for rainwater that filters into the landscape, catch-basins, etc.. I can arrange a tour or put you in touch with the main people.

The third is a video called **BIODIVERSITY, Exploring the Web of Life** – which I used in high school biology classes as an introduction to the subject. I am not an expert on this topic, I did a supplemental enrichment program working with teachers and this is just one of the tapes I dug up. It's entertaining and colorful, I need it back, it's my only copy and it may be unusable for our purposes but thought I'd submit it for your review.