



**CITY OF BIG BEAR LAKE
CITY COUNCIL AND PLANNING COMMISSION
SPECIAL JOINT MEETING NOTICE
JANUARY 23, 2017**

To: Mayor Bill Jahn
Mayor Pro Tem Rick Herrick
Councilmember David Caretto
Councilmember Bob Jackowski
Councilmember Randall Putz

Planning Commission Chairman Craig Smith
Planning Commission Vice-Chair Anne Bush
Planning Commissioner Tim Breunig
Planning Commissioner Ron Tholen
Planning Commissioner Paul Senft

City Manager
City Attorney
Division Managers
Local Media

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the City Council and Planning Commission will conduct a Special Joint Meeting on Monday, January 23, 2017, at 5:30 p.m., at 39707 Big Bear Boulevard, Big Bear Lake, California; said meeting being called pursuant to Section 54956 of the Government Code of the State of California for the purpose of considering the following matters:

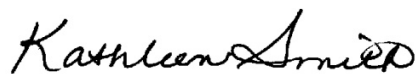
PUBLIC COMMUNICATIONS

DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEM

1. RATHBUN CORRIDOR SUSTAINABILITY PLAN

Council and Commission consideration of receiving a presentation from MIG regarding the Rathbun Corridor Sustainability Plan.

I hereby certify under penalty of perjury, under the laws of the State of California, that the foregoing notice was posted in accordance with the applicable legal requirements. Dated this 20th day of January, 2017.



Kathleen Smith, COO/ Acting City Clerk



City of Big Bear Lake



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SPECIAL JOINT MEETING AGENDA
January 23, 2017**

Meeting Time - 5:30 p.m.

Meeting Place – 39707 Big Bear Blvd., Big Bear Lake (Hofert Hall)

OPEN SESSION

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

ROLL CALL

PUBLIC COMMUNICATIONS: Any member of the public is entitled to speak only on items listed on the agenda

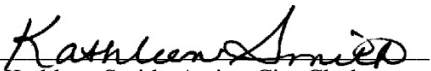
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ADJOURNMENT

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Kathleen Smith, Acting City Clerk

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AGENDA REPORT

Meeting Date: January 23, 2017

To: Honorable Mayor and City Council
Planning Commissioners

From: Jeff Mathieu, City Manager

Reviewed By: Kathleen Smith, Chief Operations Officer

Prepared By: James J. Miller, Community Development Director

Subject: **Rathbun Corridor Sustainability Plan**

BACKGROUND

In April of 2014 the City of Big Bear Lake received a \$198,000 grant in professional services support from the Southern California Association of Governments (SCAG) to develop a sustainability plan for the Rathbun/Moonridge Corridor. In July of 2014 the City entered into a contract with MIG, the consultants on the Master Trails Plan, to assist staff with developing the Plan. Since then staff with the support of the consultant services has been gathering data on the Rathbun Corridor and reaching out to the community to solicit input and participation. The draft plan being presented tonight is a culmination of those efforts.

DISCUSSION

The Rathbun Corridor Sustainability Plan emerged from the Big Bear Valley Pedestrian, Bicycle, and Equestrian Master Plan as the next logical step in the planning process. The Plan was to specifically ultimately construct a system of biking, walking, and horseback riding trails along Rathbun Creek that will draw visitors to the Moonridge Business District. The Plan also identifies opportunities to restore the creek back to its natural state by removing trash, debris and non-native vegetation. In addition, projects have been identified to improve the quality the water flowing into the lake such as constructing flood control and sedimentation basins and groundwater recharge facilities. Most importantly the plan will focus on optimizing economic opportunities for private businesses and new real estate development that will ultimately create a commercial/recreational destination point for visitors and a neighborhood amenity that all residents can enjoy.

FISCAL IMPACT

None

RECOMMENDATION

Receive Presentation from MIG Consultants.