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**OPERATIONS COMMITTEE**  
Meagan Levitan, Chair, Gloria Bonilla, Mark Buell  
**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 2013**  
**2:00 P.M.**  
**CITY HALL, ROOM 416**

**PLEASE NOTE THAT ITEM 7 THE WEST SOMA SKATE AND DOG PLAY AREA HAS BEEN REMOVED FROM CALENDAR**

1. ROLL CALL

COMMUNICATIONS

Note: Each item on the Consent or Regular agenda may include the following documents:

- a) Legislation
- b) Budget Analyst report
- c) Legislative Analyst report
- d) Recreation and Park Department cover letter and/or report
- e) Consultant report
- f) Public correspondence
- g) Report or correspondence from other Department or Agency

These items will be available for review at McLaren Lodge, 501 Stanyan St., Commission Room or online at <http://sfrecpark.org/about/recreation-park-commission/operations-committee-documents/> testimony on each item on the agenda will be permitted prior to or during consideration of that item.

*The meeting was called to order at 2:01 p.m.*

2. ACCEPTANCE OF GRANT – BIG BILLY INC. DBA SLIM'S

Discussion and possible action to: 1) accept a grant of \$76,566 from Big Billy Inc. dba Slim's on behalf of the Hardly Strictly Bluegrass festival to purchase dual-stream recycling containers, turf maintenance materials, and equipment including a club car for spreading fertilizer and transporting materials in Golden Gate Park; and 2) recommend that the Board of Supervisors accept and expend approximately \$20,000 from Big Billy Inc. dba Slim's to purchase two club cars for Golden Gate Park. (ACTION ITEM)

Staff: Lisa Bransten – 831-2704

*This item was referred to the consent calendar.*

3. **ACCEPTANCE OF GRANT – COMMITTED TO COMMUNITY**

Discussion and possible action to recommend that the Board of Supervisors accept and expend a grant from Committed to Community on behalf of Jumping Fences Inc. of at least \$100,000 generated from the April 28, 2013 Cycle SF bike ride to be used to benefit the Recreation and Park Department's scholarship program and purchase bike racks to be placed in parks throughout the City. (ACTION ITEM)

Staff: Lisa Bransten – 831-2704

*This item was referred to the consent calendar.*

4. **ACCEPTANCE OF GRANT – HELEN HILTON RAISER**

Discussion and possible action to accept and expend a grant of up to \$70,000 from Helen Hilton Raiser to support free swimming lessons for youth at Recreation and Park Department pools. (ACTION ITEM)

Staff: Abigail Maher – 831-2790

*This item was referred to the consent calendar.*

5. **PARKWIDE ACTIVITIES LEASE AMENDMENT**

Discussion and possible action to recommend that the Board of Supervisors approve a lease amendment with ParkWide Activities LLC. to: 1) expand bicycle rental operations to Alvord Lake (east end of Golden Gate Park, Stanyan Street at Haight Street) and Ocean Beach, 2) remove the existing rental location on John F. Kennedy Drive at 8th Avenue in Golden Gate Park and, 3) reduce the minimum days of operation at the four existing rental locations (the Bandshell, Marina Green, Justin Herman Plaza and Union Square). (ACTION ITEM)

Staff: Cassandra Costello – 831-2791

*Public Speaker: Ted Lowenberg*

*This item was referred to the consent calendar.*

6. **PALACE OF FINE ARTS BUILDING (EXPLORATORIUM) – SHORT-TERM LEASE WITH TOWN SCHOOL**

Discussion and possible action to adopt a resolution approving an interim, short-term lease agreement with Town School for Boys for the temporary operation of a kindergarten – eighth grade school in the space previously occupied by the Exploratorium in the Palace of Fine Arts Building. (ACTION ITEM)

Staff: Cassandra Costello – 831-2791

*Public Speakers: Nancy Doty, Damon Burris, unidentified female speaker, Leslie, Laure Ferguson, Michaela Cassidy, Nick Cofod, Gina Edwards, unidentified female speaker, Flora Mugambi-Mutungu, Pam Abendroth, Jade, Tammy Leong*

*This item was referred to the general calendar with a recommendation to approve.*

7. **WEST SOMA SKATE AND DOG PLAY AREA**

Discussion and possible action to approve an inter-departmental Memorandum of Understanding with the Department of Public Works, the Office of Economic and Workforce Development and the Real Estate Department for the design, construction and maintenance of the West Soma Skatepark and Dog Play Area. (ACTION ITEM)

Staff: Nick Kinsey – 831-2774

*This item was removed from calendar.*

8. **RECREATION AND PARK DEPARTMENT FISCAL YEARS 2013-2014 AND 2014-2015 BUDGET**

Presentation and discussion only of the Recreation and Park Department's 2013-2014 and 2014-2015 fiscal year budgets. (DISCUSSION ONLY)

Staff: Katie Petrucione – 831-2703

*This item was discussion only.*

9. **PUBLIC COMMENT**

At this time members of the public may address the Committee on items that are the subject matter jurisdiction of the Operations Committee and that do not appear on the agenda.

10. **ADJOURNMENT**

*The Operations Committee adjourned at 3:13 p.m.*

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Recreation and Park Commission  
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San Francisco, CA 94117-1898  
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Fax Number: 415-831-2096

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