

From: [REDACTED]
To: [BoardComment](#)
Subject: East Fiscalini community park follow up.
Date: Friday, November 4, 2022 12:49:59 PM

Greetings PROS committee,

Some time has passed since we submitted our ideas to you for community recreational uses in East Fiscalini (Rodeo Grounds). Since then we have watched the monthly ZOOM meetings to follow any progress.

It seems the current idea is to recommend three possible projects:
Picnic tables/benches, Trash cans and an "Equipment Circuit".

We don't know what an "equipment circuit" is exactly. Picnic tables, benches and trash cans sound a bit premature. Why provide them if there is little reason for people to use them? Currently there is little reason to use the Rodeo grounds unless you have dogs. There is nothing to attract visitors so why add unnecessary trash cans and benches?

In our initial recommendations we pushed for a walking/exercise path that would allow ALL residents (young & old) a safe place to walk, exercise and enjoy the East Fiscalini .

Many of the projects that have been completed or are proposed only serve a small percentage of the population in Cambria. The dog park is specifically constructed for dog owners. The skate park is obviously intended primarily for children and teens.

Children play equipment or soccer fields provide nothing for older residents.

We ask the PROS committee to please consider the interests and needs of ALL our residents not just the most vocal minority. Cambria has many older residents in need of a safe place to walk and exercise. Streets and sidewalks are not designed for that purpose. They are designed for pedestrian and vehicle traffic, not exercise activities. Trying to combine the two only creates a dangerous situation.

Another idea we mentioned was a "disc golf course". These can be constructed for nominal cost (\$5000) and provide recreational opportunities for all ages. The equipment is durable and requires little maintenance. The "9 hole course" could extend into areas of East Fiscalini where other projects aren't currently feasible.

Cambria could have its own disc golf league! What a great family activity for locals and visitors.

Some have stated that there are safe walking trails in West Ranch so there is no need for such amenities in East Fiscalini. That is great news for those lucky folks living near West Fiscalini. Let's try to also provide some basic amenities for residents living near East Fiscalini.

Mark and Susan Garman

From: [REDACTED]
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Subject: Comment For PROS meeting on 12/6/22...
Date: Thursday, December 1, 2022 8:02:16 AM

Re: Lighting on bathroom at dog park: No more lighting please. Cambria is trying to become a “Dark Skies” community and those in charge seem to want to continue to put up more lighting.

Re: Soccer field: We have plenty of fields not in use at the schools in Cambria and don’t need more, and certainly don’t need lights added. Bad for animals. We came to Cambria 35 years ago because there were lots of trees, local wildlife, and places to hike. Do we really want to change Cambria into Pismo or Carmel...nice towns, but not what we have here.

A Park is what we all agreed upon. Let’s keep it open space.

Thank you.

Dave & Karen Pearson

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