Firehouse Community Park Agency
(a.k.a. Mesa Park Board)
Special meeting minutes
Tuesday, January 05, 2021 at 7:00 p.m.
VIA ZOOM

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Call meeting to order at 7:07 p.m.

Board members present: Charles Whitefield, Leilani Fraser, Melinda Stone, Kevin McElroy

Others present: Michael Cavette, Remick Hart, Kim Tully-Sutton, Aidan O'Connell, Jeff, Nancy and Herb Tully, Kamala Tully, Janine Aroyan, Eugenia McNaughton, Jeff Clapp, Dani Conner, BA Conner, Jennie Pfeiffer.

Action Item #1: Vote on board response to the community about the idea of relocating 31 Wharf Road housing project to Downtown Park. Parks manager Michael Cavette read a draft letter for the Board's consideration:

"Firehouse Community Park Agency would like to address the idea of relocating the Bolinas Community Land Trust low cost housing units currently under development to the Downtown Park property.

Firehouse Community Park Agency (FCPA) is a California Special District that governs Bolinas Mesa Park and Downtown Park. FCPA accepted a cash donation for the express purpose of purchasing the downtown parcel to develop it as a public park. Because FCPA is a government agency, it must adhere to the terms under which it accepts donations, so Downtown Park may not legally be anything but a public park.

Since this idea has been floated as a viable possibility, FCPA is obligated to respond and let the community know that legally, it is not."

Discussion with the public ensued. Specific questions about the Downtown Park property

(title, deed, etc.) should be directed to Jack Siedman.

Board votes to publish Michael Cavette's letter as an official Board response. Melinda motions, Kevin seconds, passes 3-0. (Leilani abstains)

## Other Business:

1. Board members are introduced.

## **Public Expression**

1. None further.

Next Meeting: Tuesday January 12, 2021 at 7:00 p.m.

Meeting adjourned at 7:44 p.m.