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THE OCEAN BEACH MASTER PLAN and PROGRESS ON THE GMP

Dear Park Friends,

We begin 2011 with a number of important park plans underway. This brief note highlights two of those plans and lets you know how you can participate in their development.

OCEAN BEACH MASTER PLAN - Public Workshop

Under the leadership of <u>SPUR</u> (SF Planning + Urban Research Association), with strong support from the California State Coastal Conservancy and the City of San Francisco, we are partnering on a new long-range planning effort for Ocean Beach. Please come to a public workshop in the Great Hall of the <u>SF Zoo</u> <u>Education Center</u> (1 Zoo Road, at Sloat Blvd.) on Saturday, January 15 and contribute your ideas on the future of Ocean Beach.

The workshop will be held as an "Open House." You are welcome to attend at any time between 9 AM and 2 PM, and stay for as long as you wish. The design team will be available throughout the day to provide project background information and collect your input and ideas on a host of issues, including:

- Improvements to Public Access and Amenities
- Protection of Ecological, Aesthetic, and Historical Resources
- Coastal Management in light of erosion, sea-level rise, and climate change
- Infrastructure Planning
- Interagency Management

We are working with many stakeholders, including residents, beach users, activists, elected officials, and other public agencies on this key area of San Francisco.

More information is available at www.spur.org/ocean-beach

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GENERAL MANAGEMENT PLAN - End of Internal Review

Just in time for the holidays in December, we finished the internal review of the Draft General Management Plan/EIS. The working draft was well received by NPS national leadership. The planning team is now focused on addressing internal comments and preparing the document for public review, which will begin in May.

You can expect an email announcement this spring about how to stay involved in the plan and participate in public meetings the park will host to explain the plan and gather comments.

OTHER PLANS

In addition to the Ocean Beach Master Plan and GMP, you can anticipate getting notices from us about other park plans coming out for public review. The documents and other related information (public meeting dates and locations, etc.) will be posted on the web at: http://parkplanning.nps.gov/. We hope you will take the time to review and comment on these plans because your input is important to us.

- The Dog Management Draft Plan/EIS will be available for public review and comment for 90 days, beginning on January 14 and ending on April 14. The park

comment for 90 days, beginning on January 14 and ending on April 14. The park will host several public meetings in early March to describe the draft and collect comments. A separate notice regarding this plan will be sent to you.

- The Draft plan/EIS for Extending the F-Line Streetcar Service to Fort Mason/EIS is scheduled for release in February.
- Publication of the Marin Equestrian Stable Plan/EA is targeted for April.

THANK YOU

We appreciate your continued involvement in shaping the management of Golden Gate National Recreation Area and wish you the best in 2011. Please contact us if you have any questions.

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