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Dear :

Thank you for your message regarding Sharp Park and its future use. There is no federal money available for the golf course. The area that is frog and snake habitat could eventually become federal property and/or be managed by the National Parks Service. I am leading discussions about that option at this time. My own belief is that federal parks management of the habitat would probably be a good outcome.

Ultimately the city of San Francisco will have to decide what it wants to do with the course as the land is owned and managed by the city. Over the long-term, there are a number of costs associated with owning and managing the course. Some of these are still unknown and, in particular, the cost of working on the existing seawall that protects the habitat is still being studied.

Thank you again for your message about the golf course and habitat. I am helping to identify the options that exist. At a minimum, the habitat must be substantially enhanced.

All the best,


JACKIE SPEIER
Member of Congress

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