Sharp Park is a 400-acre recreation area and natural wetland located in Pacifica, owned and operated by the City and County of San Francisco. Currently, it is managed primarily as a golf course who’s regular draining of the course has imperilled the wetland. But, it can be transformed into a new public park that everyone can enjoy in partnership with the National Park Service.

**WHAT'S REALLY HAPPENING AT SHARP PARK**

**THE GOLF COURSE (IN SAN MATEO) IS A DRAIN ON OUR LOCAL SAN FRANCISCO FINANCIAL RESOURCES**

In the 1930s, before environmental laws prohibited such development, Sharp Park Golf Course was built on endangered species’ habitats.

Operations to maintain the course, such as pumping, mowing and course traffic are the major factors destroying the endangered species’ habitats.

**DESTRUCTIVE COURSE MANAGEMENT IS KILLING ENDANGERED & THREATENED LOCAL WILDLIFE**

**THE CALIFORNIA RED-LEGGED FROG HAS NOW LOST 70% OF THEIR HISTORICAL HABITAT...**

**TODAY there are LESS THAN 2000 SAN FRANCISCO GARTER SNAKES LEFT IN THE WILD ONLY 10 - 20 REMAIN in Sharp Park of Pacifica, California**

The California Red Legged Frog, also known as, Twain’s frog, inspired Mark Twain’s short story The Celebrated Jumping Frog of Calaveras County —and unless we act quickly to restore their lost habitats, we risk losing them forever.

**LEGISLATION IS NEEDED TO BE PASSED TO PRIORITIZE SPENDING & REINVEST IN OUR COMMUNITIES**

The City of San Francisco is in debt. In fact, The City has endured 3 consecutive years of deficits. There have been over $2MM in cuts to youth and family services while San Mateo Golf is subsidized.

Legislation to turn over ownership of the failing Golf Course from The City of San Francisco to the National Park Service is a direct investment in sustainable communities and equitable development.

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The sea wall is not necessary for protecting endangered species or to prevent flooding of neighborhoods; it is, in fact, contributing to flood risk and the unsustainable character of the existing land use.

**WHAT'S REALLY HAPPENING AT SHARP PARK**

**FACTS ABOUT OUR MISSION**

**THE GOLF COURSE DID NOT CREATE THE WETLANDS IN PACIFICA. EFFORTS FOR GOLF COURSE IN SPANISH SPEAKERS IN A LANGUAGE.**

**THE GOLF COURSE IS NOT A HISTORICAL RESOURCE OR CARDMAK...**

**ACCORDING TO THE RECREATION AND PARKS DEPT., SHARP PARK GOLF COURSE IS LOSING OVER $162,000 EVERY YEAR**

**SPEEK UP FOR TRANSFORMATION AND BECOME ADVOCATES FOR ISSUES SUCH AS EDUCATION, HOUSING, HEALTH CARE, INFRASTRUCTURE, AND MOBILITY AS THEY BUILD A CITY THAT MATCHES THEIR SPECIFIC NEEDS...**

**ACCESS TO AFFORDABLE HOUSING**

**INCREASE RECREATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES**

**EQUITABLE DEVELOPMENT**

**IMPROVED LAND USE MORE $5 TO CITY SERVICES**

**IMPROVED CITY PARKING**

**REDIRECT FUNDS TO BETTER GOLF COURSES**

**ENHANCED PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION**

**MINIMIZED ENVIRONMENTAL DEGRADATION**

**INCREASE RESOURCES FOR PUBLIC EDUCATION, PARENTING SUPPORT, COMMUNITY ART SPACES, HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES, SENIOR SERVICES.**

**LET'S HELP TRANSFORM WASTEFUL SPENDING INTO COMMUNITY INVESTMENTS.**

**TO CONTINUE THE GAME OF GOLF AT SHARP PARK IT WILL COST THE CITY $50 MIL...**

**TO OVERHAUL THE FACILITY, PROTECT IT FROM SEA LEVEL RISE AND PAY FOR ENDANGERED SPECIES COMPLIANCE WORK.**

**LET'S HELP TRANSFORM WASTEFUL SPENDING INTO COMMUNITY INVESTMENTS.**