From: Gillian Fennessy
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From: Melissa Bower <m-bower@earthlink.net> Sent: Monday, September 23, 2019 11:10 AM

To: Kim Dominguez <a href="mailto:kdominguez@cityofgoleta.org">kdominguez@cityofgoleta.org</a> Subject: Goleta Creek Protection Re: General Plan Policy

Chair Smith and Commissioners,

I am writing to respectfully request that the City make creek protection a priority in Goleta with regards to the General Plan Policy CE 2.2.

I support the recommendations made by the Environmental Defense Center and Urban Creeks Council to adopt the California Coastal Commission's language for analyzing when the 100 foot setback is feasible.

We must maintain, enhance, and restore the precious creeks of the City of Goleta for today and for future generations!

Sincerely, Melissa Bower