



City of Santa Rosa

City Hall
100 Santa Rosa Avenue,
Room 7
Santa Rosa, CA 95404

WATERWAYS ADVISORY COMMITTEE REGULAR MEETING AGENDA AND SUMMARY REPORT - FINAL-REVISED FEBRUARY 27, 2025

**ALL PUBLIC COMMENTS WILL BE PROVIDED IN PERSON OR VIA EMAIL
IN ADVANCE OF THE MEETINGS.**

**Public Comment may be made live, in-person, during the meeting in the
1st Floor Conference Room, at 637 First Street, or submitted in advance
via email at Planning@srcity.org by 12:00 pm the Wednesday before the
Waterways Advisory Committee Meeting. Any written correspondence
will be included in the agenda before the meeting begins.**

**THE PUBLIC CAN ALSO VIEW OR LISTEN TO THE MEETING LIVE VIA
ZOOM BY VISITING [HTTPS://SRCITY-ORG.ZOOM.US/J/88945556806](https://srcity-org.zoom.us/j/88945556806), OR
BY DIALING 877-853-5257 AND ENTERING WEBINAR ID: 889 4555 6806.**

**IN THE EVENT A BOARD MEMBER PARTICIPATES REMOTELY BASED
ON JUST CAUSE OR EMERGENCY CIRCUMSTANCES PURSUANT TO AB
2449, THE BOARD WILL ALSO ALLOW FOR PUBLIC COMMENT
THROUGH THE ZOOM LINK OR DIAL-IN NUMBER ABOVE.**

9:00 A.M. - REGULAR SESSION

- 1. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL**
- 2. REMOTE PARTICIPATION UNDER AB 2449 (IF NEEDED)**

To consider and take action on any request from a Board Member to
participate in a meeting remotely due to Just Cause or Emergency
Circumstances pursuant to AB 2449 (Government Code Section 54953(f)).

- 3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**
- 4. PUBLIC COMMENTS**

This is the time when any person may address matters not listed on this
agenda, but which are within the subject matter of the jurisdiction. The public
may comment on agenda items when the item is called. Each speaker is

allowed three minutes.

5. COMMITTEE BUSINESS

5.1 STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

The role of the Waterways Advisory Committee is to review development projects, both public and private, that are located adjacent to creeks and waterways for consistency with the goals, policies and regulations for creekside development identified in the Santa Rosa General Plan, Zoning Code, Design Guidelines and Citywide Creek Master Plan. While the Committee does not take formal action on projects, it does provide advisory comments to the decision-making body. All development projects located adjacent to a creek or waterway are required to be reviewed by the WAC prior to proceeding through the entitlement process.

5.2 COMMITTEE REPORTS

5.3 OTHER (i.e. VICE CHAIR ELECTION, NEW MEMBER INTRODUCTIONS)

Chair Elections

Vice Chair Elections

6. DEPARTMENT REPORTS

This time is reserved for City staff to provide a briefing on issues of interest. No action will be taken on these matters except to possibly place a particular item on a future agenda for consideration.

6.1 PLANNING AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT REPORTS

6.2 WATER DEPARTMENT REPORTS

6.3 SONOMA WATER DEPARTMENT REPORTS

7. SCHEDULED ITEMS

7.1 PUBLIC MEETING - SANTA ROSA ACTIVE TRANSPORTATION PLAN UPDATE

BACKGROUND: The Santa Rosa Transportation and Public Works Department is conducting an update to the 2018 Bicycle and Pedestrian

Master Plan, to be renamed the Active Transportation Plan. City staff released the Public Review Draft of the Active Transportation Plan on March 3rd to solicit feedback on the document. Public comment will be accepted through March 31st. It is anticipated that the Plan will be adopted by the City Council in the Spring of 2025.

PRESENTER: Torina Wilson, Transportation Planner

Attachments: [Presentation](#)

8. ADJOURNMENT

The City of Santa Rosa does not discriminate against individuals with disabilities in its employment, services, benefits, facilities, programs, or activities. Requests for accommodations, auxiliary aids, or services necessary to participate in a City program, service, or activity, including printed information in alternate formats, are available by contacting the Recording Secretary at 707-543-4690 (TTY Relay at 711) . Requests should be submitted as far in advance as possible, but no later than two business days before the scheduled meeting.

Any writings or documents provided to a majority of the Waterways Advisory Committee prior to this meeting regarding any item on this agenda, excluding closed session items, are available for public review at the Planning and Economic Development Department, Room 3, City Hall, 100 Santa Rosa Ave, during normal business hours.