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STATE PARKS SETS HEARING ON WILDWOOD CANYON PURCHASE

YUCAIPA – The California Department of Parks and Recreation will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, Oct. 9, to solicit comments on the proposed acquisition of up to 3,500 acres of mostly undeveloped land in the Wildwood Canyon area of San Bernardino County. The public hearing will begin at 7 p.m. in the Yucaipa City Hall at 34272 Yucapia Boulevard. The hearing room is accessible to all persons.

The purpose of the hearing is to record comments from local public officials and the general public on reasons why the properties should or should not be acquired for state park purposes. California State Parks staff and project proponents will make a background presentation and answer questions before opening the meeting to public comment. A summary of the comments will be submitted to the Legislature prior to any acquisition efforts.

Written comments will be accepted for the record if received no later than October 15. They should be addressed to Warren Westrup, Chief, Office of Acquisition and Real Property Services, California Department of Parks and Recreation, One Capitol Mall, Suite 500, Sacramento, CA 95814, or e-mail to wwest@parks.ca.gov.

Inquiries regarding the hearing or requests for special assistance should be directed to Skip Mills at (916) 445-9088 or smill@parks.ca.gov.

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