Coastal Commission-Approved Plan
Work Completed to Date

- Trail Closure Notices and Sign and Trail Barrier Installation
- Release of Public Notice for Tree Removal on 9-28-17
- Althouse & Meade Preconstruction Butterfly Survey on 9-29-17
- Storrer Environmental Preconstruction Bird Survey on 9-30-17
- Tree Contractor Environmental Awareness Training on 9-30-17
- Removal of 5 Trees on 9-30-17
- Environmental Monitoring Occurred During all Work Activities
Hollister Parking Lot Trail Closure Informational Sign

TRAILS LEADING TO & THROUGH THE FOREST ARE TEMPORARILY CLOSED

Trails in and through the forest are temporarily closed on Ellwood Mesa due to the presence of dead and distressed trees, which pose a safety hazard to visitors.

Efforts are underway to remove hazardous trees to enhance public safety within this area. Trails will re-open after work is completed and is safe for public access.

Thank you for your patience.

For more information, please contact Bret McNulty, Project Manager at (805) 961-7548. You can also text GOLETA ELLWOOD to 468311 to receive updates. Find project information here: http://tinyurl.com/goletaellwoodmesa

LOS CAMINOS QUE LLEVAN A Y QUE ATRAVIESAN EL BOSQUE ESTÁN TEMPORALMENTE CERRADOS

Los caminos dentro y a lo largo del bosque están temporalmente cerrados en Ellwood Mesa debido a la presencia de árboles muertos y en mal estado, el cual representa un peligro de seguridad para los visitantes.

Se están realizando esfuerzos para eliminar los árboles peligrosos y mejorar la seguridad pública en esta área. Los caminos se volverán a abrir después de que el trabajo esté terminado y sea seguro para el acceso público. Gracias por su paciencia.

Para mayor información favor de comunicarse con, Bret McNulty, Gerente del Programa al (805) 961-7548, O enviar un mensaje de texto a GOLETA ELLWOOD al 468311 para recibir actualizaciones. Encuentre información sobre el Proyecto aquí: http://tinyurl.com/goletaellwoodmesa
Trail Closure Sign

TRAIL CLOSED DUE TO UNSAFE CONDITIONS

CAMINO CERRADO DEBIDO A CONDICIONES INSEGURAS
Trail Closure Informational Signage
Work Remaining Under the Emergency Permit

- Remove remaining 24 trees with monitoring and public notice.
- Re-open four trail segments (trails #6, #16, #18, and #25).
- Address tree risks on City properties in vicinity of Ellwood (Mathilda Dr)
- Prepare Draft HMP with tree removal mitigation and restoration.
- Re-open remaining trails after Plan is approved and implemented.
End of Presentation

Staff will report back to Council after completion of the remaining tree removals.

More information about the Ellwood Mesa Tree Removal and Trail Closure Project can be retrieved from: http://www.cityofgoleta.org/projects-programs/ellwood-mesa-habitat-project