



**CITY OF SANTA BARBARA**  
**PARK & RECREATION COMMISSION REPORT**

**AGENDA DATE:** June 27, 2007

**TO:** Park and Recreation Commission

**FROM:** Administrative Division, Parks and Recreation Department

**SUBJECT:** Streaming Video Implementation for Park and Recreation Commission and Creeks Advisory Committee Meetings

**RECOMMENDATION:** That the Commission hear a presentation on the implementation of streaming video for Park and Recreation Commission and Creeks Advisory Committee meetings.

**DISCUSSION:**

Parks and Recreation Department and Information Systems are announcing that the June 27th Park and Recreation Commission meeting and the July 18th Creeks Advisory Committee meeting will be available for "live" viewing, and in an "on-demand" viewing mode after the meeting, using a newly installed Internet-based Streaming Video technology.

This Streaming Video technology will take the current live filming of the meeting and ship it to the Internet for live public viewing of the meeting. After the meeting is concluded, the video clip will be indexed to provide "jump points" (indexes) for each significant item and then uploaded to the Internet for on-demand viewing of the entire meeting or any selected items.

City Council meetings began using this Streaming Video technology in July 2006. It has been very well received. The next step is to include the 12 other filmed Commission and Committee meetings. Parks and Recreation is the first department to be converted to streaming video. For information on how to use this feature, check out the website section at: <http://www.santabarbaraca.gov/Government/Video/> .

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