

ENVIRONMENTAL COMMISSION MOTION 20220803-005

Date: August 3, 2022

Subject: Borders Boat Dock 1, SP-2021-0084D

Motion by: Jennifer L. Bristol

Seconded by: Perry Bedford

RATIONALE:

WHEREAS, the Environmental Commission recognizes the applicant is requesting a variance request as follows: vary from LDC 25-8-281(C)(2)(b) to allow the construction within 150-foot of a rimrock Critical Environmental Feature (CEF).

WHEREAS, the Environmental Commission recognizes the site is located in the Lake Austin watershed, and Taylor Slough South Watershed, Water Supply Suburban, Drinking Water Protection Zone; and

WHEREAS, the Environmental Commission recognizes that staff recommends this variance with conditions, having determined the findings of fact to have been met;

THEREFORE, the Environmental Commission recommends the variance request with the following:

Staff Conditions:

- 1. Mitigation plantings upslope of rimrock to assist in soil stabilization.
- 2. Signed PG Letter for long-term stability of rimrock from new walkway.

and the following Environmental Commission Conditions:

1. Remove invasive plant species in the disturbed area and use native plants in restoration and planter areas.

VOTE 9-0

For: Aguirre, Bedford, Brimer, Bristol, Nickells, Ramberg, Schiera, Scott, and Qureshi Against: None Abstain: None Recuse: None Absent: Thompson and Barrett Bixler

Approved By:

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Kevin Ramberg, Environmental Commission Chair