

Document Organization

Brief Description of the Community Trails Master Plan Sections

The Community Trails Master Plan (CTMP) is made up of the following sections:

Executive Summary

A synopsis of the County Trails Program

Section 1: Introduction

A brief overview of the Community Trails Master Plan including scope, purpose, and management

Section 2: County Trails Program Objectives

Explains the relationship between the Trails Program objectives and conformance with County's Strategic Plan Initiatives

Section 3: County Trails Program Framework

Provides background for the development of the County Trails Program including the major components, structure, General Plan and Public Facilities Element

Section 4: The Need for Trails and Trail Benefits

Describes the surveys conducted regarding the need for and demand for trails and the myriad of benefits that trails provide.

Section 5: Countywide Goals and Policies

Contains the Countywide Goals and Policies and Implementation Strategies will apply to regional and community trails in the unincorporated area of the County.

Section 6: Trail Planning Considerations

Provides information about County policies and programs that will be integrated with all aspects of trail development.

Section 7: Design and Construction Guidelines

Provides design and construction details for trail construction and trail types, trail structure and features for new and improvement of existing trails.

Section 8: Program Management

Provides guidance to all of the County of San Diego staff as well as private developers with all aspects of trail system management.

Section 9: Program Implementation

Provides information about trail acquisition, dedication and incentives, County trail policies and ordinances and recommendations on how to implement and manage the program

Section 10: Regional Trails Plan

Includes a discussion and a map of the nine regional trails located in the County of San Diego

Section 11: Community Trails Planning Process

The outreach process the County conducted with the community planning and sponsor groups to assist them with the development of their community trail maps

Section 12: Individual Community Trails Plan Sections

Individual chapters with trail text and maps for communities participating in the CTMP

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