



## Measure F: Sausalito Park Improvement/Safety Measure Questions and Answers

**Q: What is Measure F?**

A: The Sausalito Park Improvement/Safety Measure (Measure F) authorizes the City to proceed with a previously-approved financing plan for essential improvements and upgrades to the City's deteriorating parks – specifically Robin Sweeny, Southview, and Dunphy parks and the MLK site through a common public financing mechanism used by scores of cities and other public agencies throughout California. Measure F will not raise any existing taxes, nor will it establish any new taxes.

**Q: How would Measure F address the needs of local parks?**

A: Parks give children safe places to play – keeping them focused and out of trouble – and provide seniors with space for exercise and recreation. However, Sausalito's parks are old, deteriorating and need significant repairs and safety upgrades. Measure F would bring our parks up to today's safety codes and standards, improve playgrounds, add restrooms, and restore wetlands, all with no increase in taxes. As well-used public spaces, our parks contribute to our beautiful community and local property values.

**Q: What specific park improvements would be made?**

A: Measure F would improve Robin Sweeny, Southview, and Dunphy parks and the MLK site by making the following repairs now, before they become more expensive to make in the future:

- Bringing parks up to current safety standards
- Replacing unsafe playground equipment
- Upgrading safety lighting
- Adding needed restrooms
- Repairing leaky roofs, deteriorating buildings, and hillside retaining walls
- Improving play courts and sports fields
- Restoring wetlands and natural areas

**Q: Why was this placed on the ballot?**

A: Placing this Measure on the November ballot allows the City to expeditiously and transparently move forward with a fiscally prudent financing option for improving our deteriorating parks, without raising taxes, which residents have said is a top priority for them.

**Q: When is the election?**

A: Tuesday, November 3, 2015.

To register to vote visit: [www.sos.ca.gov/elections/voter-registration](http://www.sos.ca.gov/elections/voter-registration)

**Q: How can I find out more information?**

A: To learn more about these issues, please call Lilly Whalen at (415) 289-4134 or visit our website <http://www.ci.sausalito.ca.us/index.aspx?page=2136>