

YOUR help is needed NOW to maintain safe windsurfing access at Coyote Point!

The Coyote Point windsurf access is in **dangerous disrepair**. Completion of the County-funded multi-million dollar beachfront and promenade restoration is a few years away.

The interim solution of temporary sandbag ramps has been approved by the County and the necessary permits have been obtained. San Mateo County Parks and Recreation Foundation has earmarked \$25,000 of the \$35,000 project.

We need to fund the final \$10,000 before April 15th as there is a limited window of opportunity for installation of these ramps due to restrictions by the Regional Water Quality Control Board.

A complete closure of the launch might follow should a single injury happen caused by the current deteriorated ramp if we fail to collect the above amount. Do we need more launch sites closed in the Bay? For many Bay sailors, Treasure Island is just a warm memory, now in the past.

Moreover, the **public authorities would not treat the needs of windsurfers with any priority** if the number of people who donated would be low, more so if we also fail to collect the \$10,000 needed.

If you sail Coyote Point, consider contributing \$100 or more - think of the expense as the insurance for the repair of the boards that will eventually be dinged on treacherous dips of the current ramp. Remember, each of your dollars buys \$2.50 in public funds needed to provide safe access!

Please join us even if you don't sail at Coyote Point Park, even \$20 would get your name on the list and help your fellow sailors have their chance to ride the wind.

Donate at:

<http://www.supportparks.org/donor.html>

- a 501(c)3 tax deductible donation.

