



## SAN DIEGUITO RIVER VALLEY CONSERVANCY ACQUIRES LAND AT SAN DIEGUITO LAGOON OCTOBER 29, 2021

Increasing access to outdoor recreation is a major goal of the City of Del Mar and the San Dieguito River Valley Conservancy (SDRVC).

The River Path Del Mar provides a scenic overlook of the San Dieguito Lagoon and River, complete with interpretive signage of the flora and fauna of the River and Lagoon. An existing trail travels from Jimmy eastward from the coast to the Grand Avenue Overlook and parallels the south edge of the river, providing beautiful water views and Information regarding this important wetland and natural resource.



The last segment of the River Path Del Mar (Phase 3), will add 2,200 feet of pedestrian and bike path along the San Dieguito River north of San Dieguito Drive, and provide key links to the Coast to Crest Trail and a walkable trail encircling Del Mar. The City of Del Mar is leading this project with assistance from SDRVC. Construction will be completed in the Fall of 2023.

The owner of two remaining private parcels located in the area, Philip Wyatt, agreed to sell .36 acres of lagoon-front property to the SDRVC. Escrow closed and SDRVC became the new owner in October 2021. SDRVC has offered these parcels for inclusion into the project for utilization as on-site mitigation for the Phase 3 wetland impacts as part of a lagoon restoration component of the River Path Del Mar Phase 3 project.

SDRVC supporters contributed over \$156,800 to acquire these parcels. People like Philip Wyatt and our passionate members make great things happen!  
**THANK YOU!**

