

# AMBROSE RECREATION & PARK DISTRICT

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**BOARD MEETING DATE: September 10, 2020**

**ITEM TITLE: Discussion on Allowing Chickens at the Ambrose Community Garden**

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**RECOMMENDATION:**

That the Board of Directors discuss allowing chickens at the Ambrose Community Garden and provide staff with direction.

**FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:**

The garden is maintained by volunteers. The current budget for the community garden is \$2,000. Any costs related to the care of chickens would be limited to the allocated funds.

**BACKGROUND:**

Contra Costa County ordinance permits one hen for every 1,000 square feet of residential property up to a total of 20. The garden is estimated to be 5,000 square feet. Further research is required to determine if the District can establish its own policy specific to parkland.

Respectfully submitted,

Doug Long, General Manager