

Bob Doyle is a veteran of the parks and open space field with a career spanning 35 plus years. He currently serves as General Manager of the East Bay Regional Park District (EBRPD) in the San Francisco Bay area which is the largest local Park District in the United States, serving a diverse population of users in an urban interface setting.

Doyle is a founding member of Save Mount Diablo, a nonprofit land trust and conservation organization that serves to save lands from development and add acreage to the California State Park Mount Diablo, one of the Ecological Treasures of the San Francisco Bay Area. As Board president, he led the growth of the organization from 1,000 to 5,000 members. He has also served as a board member of the Bay Area Open Space Council, as a founding board member of the Bay Area Ridge Trail Council, and was appointed to the first Board of Directors of the Agricultural-Natural Resources Trust of Contra Costa County. He has received industry recognition including a Mountain Star Award from Save Mount Diablo (2002) and a Lifetime Achievement Award from California Trails and Greenways (2010).

He began his career as a park ranger, serving at diverse parks within EBRPD and moving to the administrative side first working in Planning & Design Department and then on trails in the Land Department, later becoming a Chief and then Assistant General Manager in 1990, where he served for 21 years. Mr. Doyle's achievements at the Park District include co-authoring expenditure plans for both the \$500 million Bond Measure WW Extension approved by voters in 2008, and the earlier Measure AA approved in 1988. He developed the master plan for the Park District's nationally recognized multi-use urban trail system, which received a \$10.2 million U.S. Department of Transportation Grant in 2010. Mr. Doyle was also the lead negotiator for a partnership with the East Contra Costa County Habitat Conservancy that has resulted in thousands of acres of preserved open space in eastern Contra Costa County.

He attended Diablo Valley College, San Francisco State University, and Saint Mary's College in Moraga, as well as completing continuing education courses at University of California at Davis, the International Right of Way Association, and the National Park and Recreation Association. He is a resident of Walnut Creek and was born and raised in Contra Costa County.

OBJECTIVE: General Manager, East Bay Regional Park District

PROFILE: 36 years of Extensive Park Planning and Management

QUALIFICATIONS: Experience with Public and Project Administration:

- Local Planning, Land Use and Regulation Processes
- Legislative Advocacy, Public Funding and Grant Writing
- Extensive Experience in Negotiating Successful Multi-Agency and Non-Profit Partnerships
- Extensive Experience in Managing Eminent Domain, CEQA and Land Use Litigation
- Environmental Mediations and Conflict Resolution
- Urban Waterfront Restoration and SF Bay Habitat Enhancement
- Land Acquisition, Public Access Recreational Planning, and Capital Project Administration
- Personnel and Budget Management
- Extensive Experience in Local, Regional and State Funding Measures
- 29 Years of State and Federal Legislature Advocacy
- Managed Environmental Round Table Comprised of 8 East Bay Environmental Groups, Obtained WW Endorsement From All 8 Groups
- Primary Spokesperson for all Development Projects Impacting East Bay Regional Parks, Lead Negotiator with Development Community
- Authored a \$300 in million Measure WW Regional Open Space, Wildlife, Shoreline and Parks Bond Extension

ACHIEVEMENTS:

- Authored a \$126 million in Measure AA Park and Wildlife Bond
- Obtained \$100 million in Local, State and Federal grants for trail and land projects
- Managed \$50 million in Development for mitigation dedications.
- Completed over 42,000 acres in land acquisition projects
- Completed a \$40 million urban shoreline park project on behalf of California State Parks and Recreation
- Lead negotiator for partnership with Contra Costa County Habitat Conservation Plan
- Successfully proposed and recommended 6 new EBRPD park master plan sites in 2008
- Developed master plan for EBRPD's nationally recognized multi-use urban trail system
- Established Resources Enhancement Mitigation Program, which has funded \$15 million in park restoration projects, \$15 million in new acquisitions and \$5 million in endowments
- As vice-chair of Shell Oil Spill Trustees Committee brought \$28 million in restoration funding for EBRPD and Contra Costa County projects

- Community Relations:
- Successfully planned and coordinated environmental and recreational projects with 31 cities, two Counties and ten Special Districts
  - Conceived and planned a multi-use regional trail Master Plan for Alameda and Contra Costa counties
  - Extensive experiences with media & Editorial Boards
- Non-Profit Experience:
- Founding Board member of Save Mt. Diablo, Inc. a nonprofit land trust and conservation organization. As Board President, lead the organization from 1,000 to 5,000 members
  - Negotiated acquisitions of 5,000 acres for Mt. Diablo State Park, hired first full time staff of Save. Mt. Diablo
  - Founding Board member of the East Bay Conservationist Corps, an urban youth corps to provide youth employment and education in the conservation field
  - Founding Board member of the Bay Area Open Space Council, and current Executive Committee member
  - Appointed to the first Contra Costa County Agricultural Trust Board of Directors

#### EMPLOYMENT HISTORY:

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| 2011 to Present    | General Manager, East Bay Regional Park District  |
| 1990 to 2010       | Assistant General Manager, East Bay Regional Park District<br>Manage Interagency Planning, Regional Trail Planning, Land Acquisition, Environmental Review/GIS and Resource Enhancements, East Bay Regional Park District |
| 1986 to 1990       | Chief of Land and Trail Planning and Acquisition, East Bay Regional Park District<br>Managed land, water, and public access acquisitions  |
| 1979 to 1986       | Trail Specialist, , East Bay Regional Park District<br>Trails administration, planning, budget administration, acquisition and development  |
| 1978 to 1979       | Resource Analyst, , East Bay Regional Park District<br>Planning & Design Department   |
| 1973, 1975 to 1978 | Park Ranger in seven regional parks, East Bay Regional Park District  |
| 1974 to 1975       | Lindsay Wildlife Museum, Interpretive Supervisor  |
| 1973 to 1975       | City of Martinez, Marina Attendant  |

#### EDUCATION:

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| 1985-1986 | Saint Mary's College, Moraga, California | B. A. Management*<br>*B.A. held in suspension due to 3 units needed for completion |
| 1975-1976 | San Francisco State University           | Geography Major  |
| 1973-1975 | Diablo Valley College                    | Associate of Arts  |

Continuing Education:	University of California at Davis	California Land Use Law Seminar
		California Environmental Quality Act
		Geographic Information Systems
	International Right of Way Association	Advanced Real Estate
		Principles of Negotiation
	National Recreation and Park Association	Project Administration
		Park Planning, Best Practices
		Park Management Seminar
		Legislative and Public Interest Seminar

**MEMBERSHIPS & NONPROFIT BOARDS:**

Founding Board Member	Save Mt. Diablo, Inc.
Founding Board Member	East Bay Conservation Corps
Founding Board Member	Bay Area Ridge Trail Council
Board Member	Bay Area Open Space Council
Board Member, Vice Chair	Shell Oil Spill Trustees Committee
Board Member	Contra Costa County Ag Trust
Board Member, President	Mt. Diablo Interpretive Association
Board Member, President	East Bay Trails Council

**AWARDS:**

April, 2010	Lifetime Achievement Award	California Trails and Greenways
April, 2006	Loeb Fellowship Finalist	Harvard University
September, 2002	Mountain Star Award	Save Mt. Diablo

**REFERENCES:**

Pat O'Brien	East Bay Regional Park District	General Manager
Jerry Kent	East Bay Regional Park District	Asst. General Manager Operations, Retired
Catherine Kutsuris	Contra Costa County	Director of Community Development
Michael Mantell	Resources Law Group	Attorney
Bettina Ring	Bay Area Open Space Council	Executive Director
Clem Shute	Shute, Mihaly & Weinberger	Attorney