



Pillar Point Bluff Dedicated Wednesday, December 21st 2011

On a beautiful late December morning, San Mateo County Parks hosted community partners and public agency grantors at a Pillar Point Bluff Dedication Event. This event celebrated a multi-year effort to acquire the 140-acre Pillar Point Bluff for permanent protection as part of the James V. Fitzgerald Marine Reserve. Assemblymember Rich Gordon and Supervisor Don Horsley spoke about how this essential land acquisition has overlapped their tenures. Assemblymember Gordon now representing the Assembly on the Wildlife Conservation Board having previously serving as a San Mateo County Board Supervisor representing the San Mateo County coast. John Donnelly of the Wildlife Conservation Board and Janet Diehl from the California Coastal Conservancy remarked about the important strategic role of the Peninsula Open Space Trust to acquire lands, engage in habitat restoration and public access improvements before transfer to a public agency. Park neighbors joined the Park Commissioners for a walk across the Bluffs.

