

RESOLUTION NO. 24-012

RESOLUTION OF THE MENDOCINO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AUTHORIZING THE PROCESSING OF A CONSOLIDATED COASTAL DEVELOPMENT PERMIT BY THE CALIFORNIA COASTAL COMMISSION FOR THE NATURE CONSERVANCY TO RESTORE AND ENHANCE RIVERINE HABITAT FOR JUVENILE AND ADULT SALMONIDS IN THE SOUTH FORK TEN MILE RIVER IN THE CLEONE AREA

WHEREAS, the Coastal Act was amended by Senate Bill 1843 effective January 1, 2007, which allows for a consolidated permitting process for projects for which the Coastal Development Permit authority is shared by a local government and the California Coastal Commission; and

WHEREAS, SB 1843 requires that the applicant, the local government, and the California Coastal Commission agree to the consolidation; and

WHEREAS, the proposed habitat restoration project consisting of both in-channel and off-channel habitat element restoration such as wood structures, numerous alcove constructions, wetland improvement, and bioengineered channels between the various habitats along the South Fork Ten Mile River in the Cleone Area (the "Project") is under the coastal development permit authority of both Mendocino County and the California Coastal Commission and would otherwise require a Coastal Development Permit from both Mendocino County and the California Coastal Commission for the improvements located within each jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 30601.3, added by SB 1843, consolidation may only proceed where public participation is not substantially impaired by the consolidation; and

WHEREAS, public participation will not be substantially impaired as the California Coastal Commission will hold a public hearing, which may be attended by all interested parties (by either being present during a properly noticed California Coastal Commission meeting or by timely submitting comments in advance of a meeting) and the consolidation of the permit process will allow for the Project, which involves both in-channel and off-channel habitat element restoration such as wood structures, numerous alcove constructions, wetland improvement, and bioengineered channels between the various habitats along the South Fork Ten Mile River in the Cleone Area, to be evaluated in its entirety.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mendocino County Board of Supervisors authorizes the California Coastal Commission to accept and process a consolidated Coastal Development Permit application for The Nature Conservancy for the Project along the South Fork Ten Mile River in the Cleone Area finding that pursuant to Public Resources Code Section 30601.3 consolidation for the Project is appropriate as public participation will not be substantially impaired by the consolidation.

The foregoing Resolution introduced by Supervisor Haschak, seconded by Supervisor Williams, and carried this 23rd day of January, 2024, by the following vote:

AYES: Supervisors McGourty, Mulheren, Haschak, Gjerde and Williams
NOES: None
ABSENT: None

WHEREUPON, the Chair declared said Resolution adopted and SO ORDERED.

ATTEST: DARCIE ANTLE
Clerk of the Board

MAUREEN MULHEREN, Chair
Mendocino County Board of Supervisors

Deputy

I hereby certify that according to the provisions of Government Code Section 25103, delivery of this document has been made.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:
JAMES R. ROSS
Interim County Counsel

BY: DARCIE ANTLE
Clerk of the Board

Deputy