



A Tradition of Stewardship
A Commitment to Service

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NAPA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS Board Agenda Letter

TO: Board of Supervisors
FROM: Lawrance Florin - Director
Housing and Intergovernmental Affairs
REPORT BY: JoAnn Melgar, STAFF ASSISTANT - BOS - 299-1478
SUBJECT: Proclamation for Wilderness Act (Sierra Club request)

RECOMMENDATION

Presentation of a proclamation to Marc Pandone, Chair of the Napa Sierra Club, commemorating the 50th anniversary of the Federal Wilderness Act.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

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FISCAL IMPACT

Is there a Fiscal Impact? No

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT

ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION: The proposed action is not a project as defined by 14 California Code of Regulations 15378 (State CEQA Guidelines) and therefore CEQA is not applicable.

BACKGROUND AND DISCUSSION

On September 3, 1964, President Lyndon Johnson signed the Wilderness Act into law, creating America's National

Wilderness Preservation system. The iconic wilderness areas of our region, including the federally-designated Cedar Roughs, which lies within the borders of Napa County, draw tourists from across the Country and around the world. The Wilderness Act has had a profound influence on America's cultural, scientific, historical and spiritual heritage and it is appropriate to recognize its fiftieth anniversary through the presentation of a proclamation.

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

A . 50th Anniversary of the Federal Wilderness Act

CEO Recommendation: Approve

Reviewed By: Molly Rattigan