Resolution No.

County of Sonoma
Santa Rosa, CA 95403

Date: 12/13/2011

Resolution Of The Board Of Supervisors Of The County Of Sonoma, State Of California, Approving The Grant Of Funds From The State Coastal Conservancy For The Bay Area Ridge Trail Project From Hood Mountain to Highway 12.

Whereas, the Legislature of the State of California has established the State Coastal Conservancy (“Conservancy”) under Division 21 of the California Public Resources Code, and has authorized the Conservancy to award grants to public agencies and nonprofit organizations to implement the provisions of Division 21; and.

Whereas, the Conservancy awards grants for projects that it determines are consistent with Division 21 of the Public Resources Code and with the Conservancy’s Strategic Plan and that best achieve the Conservancy’s statutory objectives, in light of limited funding; and.

Whereas, at its September 22, 2011 meeting, the Conservancy adopted a resolution authorizing a grant to Sonoma County, Regional Parks Department (“grantee”) for the completion of the Bay Area Ridge Trail, Hood to Highway 12 project (“the project”). The resolution was adopted by the Conservancy pursuant to and is included in the Conservancy September 22, 2011 staff recommendation, a copy of which is on file with the grantee and with the Conservancy; and.

Whereas, the Conservancy requires that the governing body of the grantee certify through a resolution that it approves the award of Conservancy grant funding and authorizes the execution by a representative of the grantee of a grant agreement on terms and conditions required by the Conservancy.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved that the Board of Supervisors hereby:

1. Approves the award of grant funding from the Conservancy for the project.

2. Acknowledges that it has or will have sufficient funds to complete the project and, if any property is acquired as part of the project to operate and maintain the property, and, if any facilities are constructed as a part of the project, to operate and maintain the facilities for a reasonable period, not less than the useful life of the facilities.

3. Agrees to provide any funds beyond the Conservancy grant funds necessary to complete the projects.

4. Agrees to be bound by all terms and conditions of the grant agreement.
and any other agreement or instrument as may be required by the Conservancy and as may be necessary to fulfill the terms of the grant agreement and to complete the project.

5. Authorizes any of the following named officers or employees of the grantee to act as a representative of the grantee, to negotiate and execute on behalf of the grantee all agreements and instruments necessary to complete the project and to comply with the Conservancy's grant requirements, including, without limitation, the grant agreement: Director of Regional Parks.

Supervisors:

Brown: Rabbitt: Zane: McGuire: Carrillo:

Ayes: Noes: Absent: Abstain:

So Ordered.