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RESOLUTION 2014-16

SUPPORT FOR THE LITTLE RIVER TRAIL AND INCLUSION IN THE CITY OF TRINIDAD'S REGIONAL NON-MOTORIZED TRANSPORTATION PLAN

WHEREAS: The completion of California Coastal Trail from the Mexico border to the Oregon border has been identified by the California Coastal Commission as a high priority project;

WHEREAS: A major gap in the California Coastal Trail exists between Clam Beach Drive and Scenic Drive with Highway 101 being the only option for non-motorized users, a freeway with high speed traffic creating unsafe conditions for bicyclists, pedestrians, and other non-motorized users;

WHEREAS: A feasibility study for extending the California Coastal Trail from Clam Beach Drive to Scenic Drive has been prepared by the Redwood Community Action Agency and has identified an alignment for the Little River Trail section of the California Coastal Trail;

WHEREAS: The State Coastal Conservancy supports providing a grant to move the trail closer to completion by conducting CEQA analysis and developing designs to the 75% level for the trail and 65% for the bridge design;

WHEREAS: The completion of the Little River Trail has widespread community support as well as support from project partners including Caltrans, California State Parks, Green Diamond Resource Company, the State Coastal Conservancy, the Trinidad Coastal Land Trust, and the McKinleyville Land Trust;

WHEREAS: The completion of the Little River Trail will provide recreational and non-motorized transportation opportunities for citizens of Trinidad and the greater Trinidad area, as well as for visitors from around the United States and the world;

THEREFORE IT BE RESOLVED, that the City of Trinidad hereby declares its support for the Little River Trail and directs the City's representative on the Humboldt County Association of Governments (HCAOG) to advocate for the Little River Trail and request that HCAOG make the Little River Trail a priority in its regional non-motorized transportation plan

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE TRINIDAD CITY COUNCIL of Humboldt County of the State of California this 12th Day of November, 2014.

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly adopted by the Trinidad City Council by the following vote:

Ayes: West, Miller, Fulkerson, Baker, Davies
Noes: None
Absent: None
Abstain: None

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Mayor