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To provide for restoration, economic development, recreation, and conservation on Federal lands in Northern California, and for other purposes.

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Mr. Huffman (for himself, Mr. Carbajal, and Ms. Judy Chu of California) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources

A BILL

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE; TABLE OF CONTENTS.
- 4 (a) Short Title.—This Act may be cited as the
- 5 "Northwest California Wilderness, Recreation, and Work-
- 6 ing Forests Act".
- 7 (b) Table of Contents.—The table of contents for
- 8 this Act is as follows:
 - Sec. 1. Short title; table of contents.
 - Sec. 2. Definitions.

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- Sec. 101. South Fork Trinity-Mad River Restoration Area.
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- Sec. 305. Sanhedrin Conservation Management Area.

TITLE IV—MISCELLANEOUS

Sec. 401. Maps and legal description.

1 SEC. 2. DEFINITIONS.

- 2 In this Act:
- 3 (1) Secretary.—The term "Secretary"
- 4 means—
- 5 (A) with respect to land under the jurisdic-
- 6 tion of the Secretary of Agriculture, the Sec-
- 7 retary of Agriculture; and
- 8 (B) with respect to land under the jurisdic-
- 9 tion of the Secretary of the Interior, the Sec-
- 10 retary of the Interior.
- 11 (2) STATE.—The term "State" means the State
- of California.

1 TITLE I—RESTORATION AND 2 ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

3	SEC. 101. SOUTH FORK TRINITY-MAD RIVER RESTORATION
4	AREA.
5	(a) Definitions.—In this section:
6	(1) Collaboratively Developed.—The term
7	"collaboratively developed" means projects that are
8	developed and implemented through a collaborative
9	process that—
10	(A) includes—
11	(i) appropriate Federal, State, and
12	local agencies; and
13	(ii) multiple interested persons rep-
14	resenting diverse interests; and
15	(B) is transparent and nonexclusive.
16	(2) Plantation.—The term "plantation"
17	means a forested area that has been artificially es-
18	tablished by planting or seeding.
19	(3) Restoration.—The term "restoration"
20	means the process of assisting the recovery of an
21	ecosystem that has been degraded, damaged, or de-
22	stroyed by establishing the composition, structure,
23	pattern, and ecological processes necessary to facili-
24	tate terrestrial and aquatic ecosystem sustainability,

- resilience, and health under current and future conditions.
 - (4) RESTORATION AREA.—The term "restoration area" means the South Fork Trinity-Mad River Restoration Area, established by subsection (b).
 - (5) Stewardship contract.—The term "stewardship contract" means an agreement or contract entered into under section 604 of the Healthy Forests Restoration Act of 2003 (16 U.S.C. 6591c).
 - (6) Shaded fuel break" means a vegetation treatment that effectively addresses all project-generated slash and that retains: adequate canopy cover to suppress plant regrowth in the forest understory following treatment; the longest-lived trees that provide the most shade over the longest period of time; the healthiest and most vigorous trees with the greatest potential for crown-growth in plantations and in natural stands adjacent to plantations; and all mature hardwoods, when practicable.
 - (7) WILDLAND-URBAN INTERFACE.—The term "wildland-urban interface" has the meaning given the term by section 101 of the Healthy Forests Restoration Act of 2003 (16 U.S.C. 6511).

1	(b) Establishment.—Subject to valid existing
2	rights, there is established the South Fork Trinity-Mad
3	River Restoration Area, comprising approximately
4	729,089 acres of Federal land administered by the Forest
5	Service and approximately 1,280 acres of Federal land ad-
6	ministered by the Bureau of Land Management, as gen-
7	erally depicted on the map entitled "South Fork Trinity-
8	Mad River Restoration Area—Proposed" and dated July
9	3, 2018, to be known as the "South Fork Trinity-Mad
10	River Restoration Area".
11	(c) Purposes.—The purposes of the restoration area
12	are to—
13	(1) establish, restore and maintain fire-resilient
14	forest structures containing late successional forest
15	structure characterized by large trees and multisto-
16	ried canopies, as ecologically appropriate;
17	(2) protect late successional reserves;
18	(3) enhance the restoration of Federal lands
19	within the restoration area;
20	(4) reduce the threat posed by wildfires to com-
21	munities within the restoration area;
22	(5) protect and restore aquatic habitat and
23	anadromous fisheries;
24	(6) protect the quality of water within the res-
25	toration area, and

1	(7) allow visitors to enjoy the scenic, natural,
2	cultural, and wildlife values of the restoration area.
3	(d) Management.—
4	(1) In General.—The Secretary shall manage
5	the restoration area—
6	(A) in a manner consistent with the pur-
7	poses described in subsection (c);
8	(B) in a manner that—
9	(i) in the case of the Forest Service,
10	prioritizes restoration of the restoration
11	area over other nonemergency vegetation
12	management projects on the portions of
13	the Six Rivers and Shasta-Trinity national
14	forests in Humboldt and Trinity counties;
15	and
16	(ii) in the case of the United States
17	Fish and Wildlife Service, establishes with
18	the Forest Service an agreement for co-
19	operation to ensure timely completion of
20	consultation required by section 7 of the
21	Endangered Species Act (15 U.S.C. 1536)
22	on restoration projects within the restora-
23	tion area and agreement to maintain and
24	exchange information on planning sched-
25	ules and priorities on a regular basis:

1	(C) in accordance with—
2	(i) the laws (including regulations)
3	and rules applicable to the National Forest
4	System for land managed by the Forest
5	Service;
6	(ii) the Federal Land Policy and Man-
7	agement Act of 1976 (43 U.S.C. 1701 et
8	seq.) for land managed by the Bureau of
9	Land Management;
10	(iii) this Act; and
11	(iv) any other applicable law (includ-
12	ing regulations); and
13	(D) in a manner consistent with congres-
14	sional intent that consultation for restoration
15	projects within the restoration area are com-
16	pleted in a timely and efficient manner.
17	(2) Conflict of Laws.—
18	(A) IN GENERAL.—The establishment of
19	the restoration area shall not change the man-
20	agement status of any land or water that is
21	designated wilderness or as a wild and scenic
22	river, including lands and waters designated by
23	this Act.
24	(B) RESOLUTION OF CONFLICT.—If there
25	is a conflict between the laws applicable to the

1	areas described in subparagraph (A) and this
2	section, the more restrictive provision shall con-
3	trol.
4	(3) Uses.—
5	(A) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary shall
6	only allow uses of the restoration area that the
7	Secretary determines would further the pur-
8	poses described in subsection (c).
9	(B) Priority.—The Secretary shall
10	prioritize restoration activities within the res-
11	toration area.
12	(4) WILDLAND FIRE.—
13	(A) In general.—Nothing in this section
14	prohibits the Secretary, in cooperation with
15	other Federal, State, and local agencies, as ap-
16	propriate, from conducting wildland fire oper-
17	ations in the restoration area, consistent with
18	the purposes of this section.
19	(B) Priority.—The Secretary shall use
20	prescribed burning and wildland fire to the ex-
21	tent practicable to achieve the purposes of this
22	section.
23	(5) Road decommissioning.—
24	(A) In general.—To the extent prac-
25	ticable, the Secretary shall decommission

1	unneeded National Forest System roads identi-
2	fied for decommissioning and unauthorized
3	roads identified for decommissioning within the
4	restoration area—
5	(i) subject to appropriations;
6	(ii) consistent with the analysis re-
7	quired by subparts A and B of part 212 of
8	title 36, Code of Federal Regulations; and
9	(iii) in accordance with existing law.
10	(B) Additional requirement.—In mak-
11	ing determinations regarding road decommis-
12	sioning under subparagraph (A), the Secretary
13	shall consult with—
14	(i) appropriate State, Tribal, and local
15	governmental entities; and
16	(ii) members of the public.
17	(C) Definition.—As used in subpara-
18	graph (A), the term "decommission" means—
19	(i) to reestablish vegetation on a road;
20	and
21	(ii) to restore any natural drainage,
22	watershed function, or other ecological
23	processes that are disrupted or adversely
24	impacted by the road by removing or

1	hydrologically disconnecting the road
2	prism.
3	(6) Vegetation management.—
4	(A) In general.—Subject to subpara-
5	graphs (B), (C), and (D), the Secretary may
6	conduct vegetation management projects in the
7	restoration area only where necessary to—
8	(i) maintain or restore the character-
9	istics of ecosystem composition and struc-
10	ture;
11	(ii) reduce wildfire risk to commu-
12	nities by promoting forests that are fire re-
13	silient;
14	(iii) improve the habitat of threatened,
15	endangered, or sensitive species;
16	(iv) protect or improve water quality;
17	or
18	(v) enhance the restoration of lands
19	within the restoration area.
20	(B) Additional requirements.—
21	(i) Shaded fuel breaks.—In car-
22	rying out subparagraph (A), the Secretary
23	shall prioritize the establishment of a net-
24	work of shaded fuel breaks within—

1	(I) the portions of the wildland-
2	urban interface that are within 150
3	feet from private property contiguous
4	to Federal land;
5	(II) one hundred and fifty feet
6	from any road that is open to motor-
7	ized vehicles as of the date of enact-
8	ment of this Act—
9	(aa) except that, where to-
10	pography or other conditions re-
11	quire, the Secretary may estab-
12	lish shaded fuel breaks up to 275
13	feet from a road so long as the
14	combined total width of the
15	shaded fuel breaks for both sides
16	of the road does not exceed 300
17	feet; and
18	(bb) provided that the Sec-
19	retary shall include vegetation
20	treatments within a minimum of
21	25 feet of the road where prac-
22	ticable, feasible, and appropriate
23	as part of any shaded fuel break;
24	or

1	(III) one hundred and fifty feet
2	of any plantation.
3	(ii) Plantations; Riparian re-
4	SERVES.—The Secretary may undertake
5	vegetation management projects—
6	(I) in areas within the restora-
7	tion area in which fish and wildlife
8	habitat is significantly compromised
9	as a result of past management prac-
10	tices (including plantations); and
11	(II) within designated riparian
12	reserves only where necessary to
13	maintain the integrity of fuel breaks
14	and to enhance fire resilience.
15	(C) COMPLIANCE.—The Secretary shall
16	carry out vegetation management projects with-
17	in the restoration area—
18	(i) in accordance with—
19	(I) this section; and
20	(II) existing law (including regu-
21	lations);
22	(ii) after providing an opportunity for
23	public comment; and
24	(iii) subject to appropriations.

1	(D) BEST AVAILABLE SCIENCE.—The Sec-
2	retary shall use the best available science in
3	planning and implementing vegetation manage-
4	ment projects within the restoration area.
5	(7) Grazing.—The grazing of livestock in the
6	restoration area, where established before the date of
7	enactment of this Act, shall be permitted to con-
8	tinue—
9	(A) subject to—
10	(i) such reasonable regulations, poli-
11	cies, and practices as the Secretary con-
12	siders necessary; and
13	(ii) applicable law (including regula-
14	tions); and
15	(B) in a manner consistent with the pur-
16	poses described in subsection (c).
17	(e) Withdrawal.—Subject to valid existing rights,
18	the restoration area is withdrawn from—
19	(1) all forms of entry, appropriation, and dis-
20	posal under the public land laws;
21	(2) location, entry, and patent under the mining
22	laws; and
23	(3) disposition under all laws relating to min-
24	eral and geothermal leasing or mineral materials.

1	(f) USE OF STEWARDSHIP CONTRACTS.—To the
2	maximum extent practicable, the Secretary shall—
3	(1) use stewardship contracts to implement this
4	section; and
5	(2) use revenue derived from such stewardship
6	contracts for restoration and other activities within
7	the restoration area which shall include staff and ad-
8	ministrative costs to support timely consultation ac-
9	tivities for restoration projects.
10	(g) Collaboration.—In developing and imple-
11	menting restoration projects in the restoration area, the
12	Secretary shall consult with collaborative groups with an
13	interest in the restoration area.
14	(h) Environmental Review.—A collaboratively de-
15	veloped restoration project within the restoration area may
16	be carried out in accordance with the provisions for haz-
17	ardous fuel reduction projects set forth in sections 104,
18	105, and 106 of the Healthy Forests Restoration Act of
19	2003 (16 U.S.C. 6514–6516).
20	(i) Multiparty Monitoring.—The Secretary of
21	Agriculture shall—
22	(1) in collaboration with the Secretary of the
23	Interior and interested persons, use a multiparty
24	monitoring, evaluation, and accountability process to
25	assess the positive or negative ecological, social, and

1	economic effects of restoration projects within the
2	restoration area; and
3	(2) incorporate the monitoring results into the
4	management of the restoration area.
5	(j) Funding.—The Secretary shall use all existing
6	authorities to secure as much funding as necessary to ful-
7	fill the purposes of the restoration area.
8	(k) Forest Residues Utilization.—
9	(1) In general.—In accordance with applica-
10	ble law, including regulations, and this section, the
11	Secretary may utilize forest residues from restora-
12	tion projects, including shaded fuel breaks, in the
13	restoration area for research and development of
14	bio-based products that result in net carbon seques-
15	tration.
16	(2) Partnerships.—In carrying out para-
17	graph (1), the Secretary may enter into partnerships
18	with universities, non-governmental organizations,
19	industry, tribes, and Federal, State, and local gov-
20	ernmental agencies.
21	SEC. 102. REDWOOD NATIONAL AND STATE PARKS RES-
22	TORATION.
23	(a) FINDINGS.—Congress finds that—

- 1 (1) Coast redwoods are an iconic California re-2 source that represents the beauty and natural gran-3 deur of the Golden State.
 - (2) These ancient redwood forests contain the tallest trees on Earth, which grow to be more than 3,500 years old.
 - (3) Redwood forests serve as the most effective forest-based carbon sink in the world, storing 3 times or more carbon per acre than any other forest ecosystem.
 - (4) Healthy old-growth redwood forests provide important ecological benefits, including clean air, habitat for special status plants and animals, and water resources that are critical to the health and sustainability of federally listed salmon fisheries.
 - (5) Redwood forests are true wonders of the world, inspiring more than 31 million visitors every year in California's redwood parks and supporting a multi-billion dollar outdoor recreation economy.
 - (6) The redwood forests of northern California are the ancestral home of several tribal nations, whose members use stewardship and natural resource management expertise to protect and restore these forestlands.

- 1 (7) After the 1849 Gold Rush, demand for lum-2 ber devastated ancient redwood forests and today 3 only 5 percent of the original old-growth coast red-4 woods remain.
 - (8) Redwood National and State Parks safeguard more than one-third of the world's remaining old-growth coast redwood forests.
 - (9) These parks contain tens of thousands of acres of redwood forests that have been logged, and require innovative application of science and technology to improve forest stewardship and accelerate forest regeneration.
 - (10) Restoration of these forest ecosystems will hasten the return of healthy old-growth forests, while providing jobs in local communities and enhancing native habitat for numerous plant and animal species.
 - (11) Redwood National and State Parks are partnering with nongovernmental organizations and tribes to restore these redwood forest ecosystems.
- 21 (12) Redwood forest restoration benefits the 22 people of California for generations to come.
- 23 (b) Partnership Agreements.—The Secretary of 24 the Interior is authorized to undertake initiatives to re-25 store degraded redwood forest ecosystems in Redwood Na-

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- 1 tional and State Parks in partnership with the State of
- 2 California, local agencies, and nongovernmental organiza-
- 3 tions.
- 4 (c) Compliance.—In carrying out any initiative au-
- 5 thorized by subsection (a), the Secretary of the Interior
- 6 shall comply with all applicable law.

7 SEC. 103. NORTHWEST CALIFORNIA PUBLIC LANDS REME-

- 8 **DIATION PARTNERSHIP.**
- 9 (a) Definitions.—In this section:
- (1) Remediation.—The term "remediation" 10 11 means to facilitate the recovery of lands and waters 12 that have been degraded, damaged, or destroyed by 13 illegal marijuana cultivation or another illegal activ-14 ity. Remediation includes but is not limited to re-15 moval of trash, debris, and other material, and es-16 tablishing the composition, structure, pattern, and 17 ecological processes necessary to facilitate terrestrial 18 and aquatic ecosystem sustainability, resilience, and 19 health under current and future conditions.
 - (2) Partnership.—The term "partnership" means the Northwest California Public Lands Remediation Partnership, established by subsection (b).
- 23 (3) PRIORITY LANDS.—The term "priority 24 lands" means Federal land within the Klamath, 25 Shasta-Trinity, Six Rivers, and Mendocino National

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1 Forests, and public land administered by the Bureau 2 of Land Management within the Redding, Arcata, and Ukiah field offices. 3 4 (b) ESTABLISHMENT.—There is hereby established a Northwest California Public Lands Remediation Partner-6 ship. 7 (c) Purposes.—The purposes of the partnership are 8 to— 9 (1) coordinate the activities of Federal, State, 10 Tribal, and local authorities, and the private sector, 11 in the remediation of priority lands in the State af-12 fected by illegal marijuana cultivation or other illegal 13 activities; and 14 (2) use the resources and expertise of each 15 agency, authority, or entity in implementing remedi-16 ation activities on priority lands in the State. 17 (d) Membership.—The members of the partnership 18 shall include the following: 19 (1) The Secretary of Agriculture, or a designee 20 of the Secretary of Agriculture to represent the For-21 est Service. 22 (2) The Secretary of the Interior, or a designee 23 of the Secretary of the Interior, to represent the

United States Fish and Wildlife Service, Bureau of

Land Management, and National Park Service.

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1	(3) The Director of the Office of National Drug
2	Control Policy, or a designee of the Director.
3	(4) The Secretary of the State Natural Re-
4	sources Agency, or a designee of the Secretary, to
5	represent the California Department of Fish and
6	Wildlife.
7	(5) A designee of the California State Water
8	Resources Control Board.
9	(6) A designee of the California State Sheriffs'
10	Association.
11	(7) One member to represent federally recog-
12	nized Indian Tribes, to be appointed by the Sec-
13	retary of Agriculture.
14	(8) One member to represent nongovernmental
15	organizations with an interest in Federal land reme-
16	diation, to be appointed by the Secretary of Agri-
17	culture.
18	(9) One member to represent local govern-
19	mental interests, to be appointed by the Secretary of
20	Agriculture.
21	(10) A law enforcement official from each of
22	the following:
23	(A) The Department of the Interior.
24	(B) The Department of Agriculture.

1	(11) A scientist to provide expertise and advise
2	on methods needed for remediation efforts, to be ap-
3	pointed by the Secretary of Agriculture.
4	(12) A designee of the National Guard Counter
5	Drug Program.
6	(e) Duties.—To further the purposes of this section,
7	the partnership shall—
8	(1) identify priorities for remediation on pri-
9	ority lands in the State;
10	(2) secure resources from Federal and non-Fed-
11	eral sources to apply to remediation of priority lands
12	in the State;
13	(3) carry out remediation on priority lands in
14	the State;
15	(4) support efforts by Federal, State, Tribal,
16	and local agencies, and nongovernmental organiza-
17	tions in carrying out remediation of priority lands in
18	the State;
19	(5) support research and education on the im-
20	pacts of, and solutions to, illegal marijuana cultiva-
21	tion and other illegal activities on priority lands in
22	the State;
23	(6) involve other Federal, State, Tribal, and
24	local agencies, nongovernmental organizations, and

1	the public in remediation efforts, to the extent prac-
2	ticable; and
3	(7) take any other actions necessary to address
4	remediation of priority lands in the State.
5	(f) AUTHORITIES.—To implement this section, the
6	partnership may, subject to the prior approval of the Sec-
7	retary of Agriculture—
8	(1) make grants to the State, political subdivi-
9	sions of the State, nonprofit organizations, and
10	other persons;
11	(2) enter into cooperative agreements with, or
12	provide grants or technical assistance to, the State
13	political subdivisions of the State, nonprofit organi-
14	zations, Federal agencies, and other interested par-
15	ties;
16	(3) hire and compensate staff;
17	(4) obtain funds or services from any source
18	including Federal and non-Federal funds, and funds
19	and services provided under any other Federal law
20	or program;
21	(5) contract for goods or services; and
22	(6) support activities of partners and any other
23	activities that further the nurneses of this section

1	(g) Procedures.—The partnership shall establish
2	such rules and procedures as it deems necessary or desir-
3	able.
4	(h) Local Hiring.—The partnership shall, to the
5	maximum extent practicable and in accordance with exist-
6	ing law, give preference to local entities and persons when
7	carrying out this section.
8	(i) Service Without Compensation.—Members of
9	the partnership shall serve without pay.
10	(j) Duties and Authorities of the Secretary
11	OF AGRICULTURE.—
12	(1) In general.—The Secretary of Agriculture
13	shall convene the partnership on a regular basis to
14	carry out this section.
15	(2) Technical and financial assistance.—
16	The Secretary of Agriculture and Secretary of the
17	Interior may provide technical and financial assist-
18	ance, on a reimbursable or nonreimbursable basis, as
19	determined by the appropriate Secretary, to the
20	partnership or any members of the partnership to
21	carry out this Act.
22	(3) Cooperative agreements.—The Sec-
23	retary of Agriculture and Secretary of the Interior
24	may enter into cooperative agreements with the

partnership, any members of the partnership, or

- 1 other public or private entities to provide technical,
- 2 financial, or other assistance to carry out this Act.

3 SEC. 104. TRINITY LAKE VISITOR CENTER.

- 4 (a) In General.—The Secretary of Agriculture, act-
- 5 ing through the Chief of the Forest Service, may establish,
- 6 in cooperation with any other public or private entities
- 7 that the Secretary may determine to be appropriate, a vis-
- 8 itor center in Weaverville, California—
- 9 (1) to serve visitors; and
- 10 (2) to assist in fulfilling the purposes of the
- 11 Whiskeytown-Shasta-Trinity National Recreation
- 12 Area.
- 13 (b) Requirements.—The Secretary shall ensure
- 14 that the visitor center authorized under subsection (a) is
- 15 designed to interpret the scenic, biological, natural, histor-
- 16 ical, scientific, paleontological, recreational, ecological, wil-
- 17 derness, and cultural resources of the Whiskeytown-Shas-
- 18 ta-Trinity National Recreation Area and other nearby
- 19 Federal lands.
- 20 (c) Cooperative Agreements.—The Secretary of
- 21 Agriculture may, in a manner consistent with this Act,
- 22 enter into cooperative agreements with the State and any
- 23 other appropriate institutions and organizations to carry
- 24 out the purposes of this section.

1 SEC. 105. DEL NORTE COUNTY VISITOR CENTER.

- 2 (a) In General.—The Secretary of Agriculture and
- 3 Secretary of the Interior, acting jointly or separately, may
- 4 establish, in cooperation with any other public or private
- 5 entities that the Secretaries determine to be appropriate,
- 6 a visitor center in Del Norte County, California—
- 7 (1) to serve visitors; and
- 8 (2) to assist in fulfilling the purposes of Red-
- 9 wood National and State Parks, the Smith River
- National Recreation Area, and other nearby Federal
- 11 lands.
- 12 (b) REQUIREMENTS.—The Secretaries shall ensure
- 13 that the visitor center authorized under subsection (a) is
- 14 designed to interpret the scenic, biological, natural, histor-
- 15 ical, scientific, paleontological, recreational, ecological, wil-
- 16 derness, and cultural resources of Redwood National and
- 17 State Parks, the Smith River National Recreation Area,
- 18 and other nearby Federal lands.
- 19 SEC. 106. MANAGEMENT PLANS.
- 20 (a) In General.—In revising the land and resource
- 21 management plan for the Shasta-Trinity, Six Rivers,
- 22 Klamath, and Mendocino National Forests, the Secretary
- 23 shall include a comprehensive fire management plan for
- 24 the wilderness areas and wilderness additions established
- 25 by this Act.

1	(b) REQUIREMENT.—In carrying out the revisions re-
2	quired by subsection (a), the Secretary shall—
3	(1) develop the fire management plans in ac-
4	cordance with—
5	(A) the Guidance for Implementation of
6	Federal Wildland Fire Management Policy
7	dated February 13, 2009, including any amend-
8	ments to that guidance; and
9	(B) other appropriate policies;
10	(2) ensure that a fire management plan for a
11	wilderness area expanded by section 301—
12	(A) applies to the entire wilderness area,
13	including the addition; and
14	(B) provides consistent direction regarding
15	fire management to the entire wilderness area;
16	and
17	(3) consult with—
18	(A) appropriate State, Tribal, and local
19	governmental entities; and
20	(B) members of the public.
21	SEC. 107. STUDY; PARTNERSHIPS RELATED TO OVERNIGHT
22	ACCOMMODATIONS.
23	(a) Study.—The Secretary of the Interior shall con-
24	duct a study to evaluate the feasibility and suitability of
25	establishing overnight accommodations on Federal land at

1	the southern and northern boundaries or on land within
2	20 miles of the southern and northern boundaries of Red-
3	wood National and State parks in consultation with inter-
4	ested Federal, State, Tribal, and local entities, and private
5	and nonprofit organizations.
6	(b) Partnerships.—
7	(1) AGREEMENTS AUTHORIZED.—If the study
8	conducted under subsection (a) determines that es-
9	tablishing the described accommodations is suitable
10	and feasible, the Secretary may enter into agree-
11	ments with qualified private and nonprofit organiza-
12	tions for the development, operation, and mainte-
13	nance of overnight accommodations.
14	(2) Contents.—Any agreements entered into
15	under paragraph (1) shall clearly define the role and
16	responsibility of the Secretary and the private or
17	nonprofit organization.
18	(3) COMPLIANCE.—The Secretary shall enter
19	agreements under paragraph (1) in accordance with
20	existing law.
21	(4) Effect.—Nothing in this subsection—
22	(A) reduces or diminishes the authority of
23	the Secretary to manage land and resources

under the jurisdiction of the Secretary; or

1	(B) amends or modifies the application of
2	any existing law (including regulations) applica-
3	ble to land under the jurisdiction of the Sec-
4	retary.
5	TITLE II—RECREATION
6	SEC. 201. HORSE MOUNTAIN SPECIAL MANAGEMENT AREA.
7	(a) Establishment.—Subject to valid existing
8	rights, there is established the Horse Mountain Special
9	Management Area (referred to in this section as the "spe-
10	cial management area") comprising approximately 7,399
11	acres of Federal land administered by the Forest Service
12	in Humboldt County, California, as generally depicted on
13	the map entitled "Horse Mountain Special Management
14	Area—Proposed' and dated April 13, 2017.
15	(b) Purposes.—The purpose of the special manage-
16	ment area is to enhance the recreational and scenic values
17	of the special management area while conserving the
18	plants, wildlife, and other natural resource values of the
19	area.
20	(c) Management Plan.—
21	(1) In general.—Not later than 3 years after
22	the date of enactment of this Act and in accordance
23	with paragraph (2), the Secretary shall develop a
24	comprehensive plan for the long-term management
25	of the special management area.

1	(2) Consultation.—In developing the man-
2	agement plan required under paragraph (1), the
3	Secretary shall consult with—
4	(A) appropriate State, Tribal, and local
5	governmental entities; and
6	(B) members of the public.
7	(3) Additional requirement.—The manage-
8	ment plan required under paragraph (1) shall ensure
9	that recreational use within the special management
10	area does not cause significant adverse impacts on
11	the plants and wildlife of the special management
12	area.
13	(d) Management.—
14	(1) In General.—The Secretary shall manage
15	the special management area—
16	(A) in furtherance of the purposes de-
17	scribed in subsection (b); and
18	(B) in accordance with—
19	(i) the laws (including regulations)
20	generally applicable to the National Forest
21	System;
22	(ii) this section; and
23	(iii) any other applicable law (includ-
24	ing regulations).

(2) Recreation.—The Secretary shall continue to authorize, maintain, and enhance the recreational use of the special management area, including hunting, fishing, camping, hiking, hang gliding, sightseeing, nature study, horseback riding, rafting, mountain biking, and motorized recreation on authorized routes, and other recreational activities, so long as such recreational use is consistent with the purposes of the special management area, this section, other applicable law (including regulations), and applicable management plans.

(3) Motorized vehicles.—

- (A) IN GENERAL.—Except as provided in subparagraph (B), the use of motorized vehicles in the special management area shall be permitted only on roads and trails designated for the use of motorized vehicles.
- (B) Use of snowmobiles.—The winter use of snowmobiles shall be allowed in the special management area—
 - (i) during periods of adequate snow coverage during the winter season; and
 - (ii) subject to any terms and conditions determined to be necessary by the Secretary.

1	(4) New trails.—
2	(A) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary may
3	construct new trails for motorized or non-
4	motorized recreation within the special manage-
5	ment area in accordance with—
6	(i) the laws (including regulations)
7	generally applicable to the National Forest
8	System;
9	(ii) this section; and
10	(iii) any other applicable law (includ-
11	ing regulations).
12	(B) Priority.—In establishing new trails
13	within the special management area, the Sec-
14	retary shall—
15	(i) prioritize the establishment of
16	loops that provide high-quality, diverse rec-
17	reational experiences; and
18	(ii) consult with members of the pub-
19	lic.
20	(e) Withdrawal.—Subject to valid existing rights,
21	the special management area is withdrawn from—
22	(1) all forms of appropriation or disposal under
23	the public land laws;
24	(2) location, entry, and patent under the mining
25	laws: and

1 (3) disposition under laws relating to mineral 2 and geothermal leasing. 3 SEC. 202. BIGFOOT NATIONAL RECREATION TRAIL. 4 (a) Feasibility Study.— (1) In General.—Not later than 3 years after 6 the date of the enactment of this Act, the Secretary 7 of Agriculture, in cooperation with the Secretary of 8 the Interior, shall submit to the Committee on Nat-9 ural Resources of the House of Representatives and 10 Committee on Energy and Natural Resources of the 11 Senate a study that describes the feasibility of estab-12 lishing a nonmotorized Bigfoot National Recreation 13 Trail that follows the route described in paragraph 14 (2).15 (2) ROUTE.—The trail described in paragraph 16 (1) shall extend from the Ides Cove Trailhead in the 17 Mendocino National Forest to Crescent City, Cali-18 fornia, by roughly following the route as generally 19 depicted on the map entitled "Bigfoot National Recreation Trail—Proposed" and dated July 25, 20 21 2018. 22 (3)Additional REQUIREMENT.—In 23 pleting the study required by subsection (a), the Sec-

retary of Agriculture shall consult with—

1	(A) appropriate Federal, State, Tribal, re-
2	gional, and local agencies;
3	(B) private landowners;
4	(C) nongovernmental organizations; and
5	(D) members of the public.
6	(b) Designation.—
7	(1) In General.—Upon a determination that
8	the Bigfoot National Recreation Trail is feasible and
9	meets the requirements for a National Recreation
10	Trail in 16 U.S.C. 1243, the Secretary of Agri-
11	culture shall designate the Bigfoot National Recre-
12	ation Trail in accordance with—
13	(A) the National Trails System Act (Public
14	Law 90–543);
15	(B) this Act; and
16	(C) other applicable law (including regula-
17	tions).
18	(2) Administration.—Upon designation by
19	the Secretary of Agriculture, the Bigfoot National
20	Recreation Trail (referred to in this section as the
21	"trail") shall be administered by the Secretary of
22	Agriculture, in consultation with—
23	(A) other Federal, State, Tribal, regional,
24	and local agencies;
25	(B) private landowners; and

1	(C) other interested organizations.
2	(3) Private property rights.—
3	(A) In general.—No portions of the trail
4	may be located on non-Federal land without the
5	written consent of the landowner.
6	(B) Prohibition.—The Secretary of Agri-
7	culture shall not acquire for the trail any land
8	or interest in land outside the exterior boundary
9	of any federally managed area without the con-
10	sent of the owner of the land or interest in the
11	land.
12	(C) Effect.—Nothing in this section—
13	(i) requires any private property
14	owner to allow public access (including
15	Federal, State, or local government access)
16	to private property; or
17	(ii) modifies any provision of Federal,
18	State, or local law with respect to public
19	access to or use of private land.
20	(c) Cooperative Agreements.—In carrying out
21	this section, the Secretary of Agriculture may enter into
22	cooperative agreements with State, Tribal, and local gov-
23	ernment entities and private entities to complete needed
24	trail construction, reconstruction, realignment, mainte-

1	nance, or education projects related to the Bigfoot Na-
2	tional Recreation Trail.
3	(d) Map.—
4	(1) Map required.—Upon designation of the
5	Bigfoot National Recreation Trail, the Secretary of
6	Agriculture shall prepare a map of the trail.
7	(2) Public availability.—The map referred
8	to in paragraph (1) shall be on file and available for
9	public inspection in the appropriate offices of the
10	Forest Service.
11	SEC. 203. ELK CAMP RIDGE RECREATION TRAIL.
12	(a) Designation.—
13	(1) In General.—In accordance with para-
14	graph (2), the Secretary of Agriculture after an op-
15	portunity for public comment, shall designate a trai
16	(which may include a system of trails)—
17	(A) for use by off-highway vehicles or
18	mountain bicycles, or both; and
19	(B) to be known as the "Elk Camp Ridge
20	Recreation Trail".
21	(2) REQUIREMENTS.—In designating the Elk
22	Camp Ridge Recreation Trail (referred to in this
23	section as the "trail"), the Secretary shall only in-
24	clude trails that are—

1	(A) as of the date of enactment of this
2	Act, authorized for use by off-highway vehicles
3	or mountain bikes, or both; and
4	(B) located on land that is managed by the
5	Forest Service in Del Norte County.
6	(3) MAP.—A map that depicts the trail shall be
7	on file and available for public inspection in the ap-
8	propriate offices of the Forest Service.
9	(b) Management.—
10	(1) In general.—The Secretary shall manage
11	the trail—
12	(A) in accordance with applicable laws (in-
13	cluding regulations);
14	(B) to ensure the safety of citizens who
15	use the trail; and
16	(C) in a manner by which to minimize any
17	damage to sensitive habitat or cultural re-
18	sources.
19	(2) Monitoring; evaluation.—To minimize
20	the impacts of the use of the trail on environmental
21	and cultural resources, the Secretary shall annually
22	assess the effects of the use of off-highway vehicles
23	and mountain bicycles on—
24	(A) the trail;

1	(B) land located in proximity to the trail;
2	and
3	(C) plants, wildlife, and wildlife habitat.
4	(3) Closure.—The Secretary, in consultation
5	with the State and Del Norte County, and subject
6	to paragraph (4), may temporarily close or perma-
7	nently reroute a portion of the trail if the Secretary
8	determines that—
9	(A) the trail is having an adverse impact
10	on—
11	(i) wildlife habitats;
12	(ii) natural resources;
13	(iii) cultural resources; or
14	(iv) traditional uses;
15	(B) the trail threatens public safety; or
16	(C) closure of the trail is necessary—
17	(i) to repair damage to the trail; or
18	(ii) to repair resource damage.
19	(4) Repouting.—Any portion of the trail that
20	is temporarily closed by the Secretary under para-
21	graph (3) may be permanently rerouted along any
22	road or trail—
23	(A) that is—
24	(i) in existence as of the date of the
25	closure of the portion of the trail;

1	(ii) located on public land; and
2	(iii) open to motorized or mechanized
3	use; and
4	(B) if the Secretary determines that re-
5	routing the portion of the trail would not sig-
6	nificantly increase or decrease the length of the
7	trail.
8	(5) Notice of available routes.—The Sec-
9	retary shall ensure that visitors to the trail have ac-
10	cess to adequate notice relating to the availability of
11	trail routes through—
12	(A) the placement of appropriate signage
13	along the trail; and
14	(B) the distribution of maps, safety edu-
15	cation materials, and other information that the
16	Secretary concerned determines to be appro-
17	priate.
18	(c) Effect.—Nothing in this section affects the
19	ownership, management, or other rights relating to any
20	non-Federal land (including any interest in any non-Fed-
21	eral land).
22	SEC. 204. TRINITY LAKE TRAIL.
23	(a) Trail Construction.—
24	(1) Feasibility Study.—Not later than 18
25	months after the date of enactment of this Act. the

1	Secretary shall study the feasibility and public inter-
2	est of constructing a recreational trail for non-
3	motorized uses around Trinity Lake.
4	(2) Construction.—
5	(A) Construction authorized.—Sub-
6	ject to appropriations, and in accordance with
7	paragraph (3), if the Secretary determines
8	under paragraph (1) that the construction of
9	the trail described in such paragraph is feasible
10	and in the public interest, the Secretary may
11	provide for the construction of the trail.
12	(B) Use of volunteer services and
13	CONTRIBUTIONS.—The trail may be constructed
14	under this section through the acceptance of
15	volunteer services and contributions from non-
16	Federal sources to reduce or eliminate the need
17	for Federal expenditures to construct the trail.
18	(3) Compliance.—In carrying out this section,
19	the Secretary shall comply with—
20	(A) the laws (including regulations) gen-
21	erally applicable to the National Forest System;
22	and
23	(B) this Act.
24	(b) Effect.—Nothing in this section affects the
25	ownership, management, or other rights relating to any

- non-Federal land (including any interest in any non-Fed-2 eral land). SEC. 205. TRAILS STUDY. 3 4 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 2 years after the 5 date of enactment of this Act, the Secretary of Agriculture, in accordance with subsection (b) and in consulta-6 tion with interested parties, shall conduct a study to im-8 prove motorized and nonmotorized recreation trail opportunities (including mountain bicycling) on land not des-10 ignated as wilderness within the portions of the Six Rivers, Shasta-Trinity, and Mendocino National Forests located 11 in Del Norte, Humboldt, Trinity, and Mendocino counties. 12 13 (b) Consultation.—In carrying out the study required by subsection (a), the Secretary of Agriculture shall 14 15 consult with the Secretary of the Interior regarding opportunities to improve, through increased coordination, recre-16 ation trail opportunities on land under the jurisdiction of 17 the Secretary of the Interior that shares a boundary with 18 the national forest land described in subsection (a). 19 20 206. CONSTRUCTION OF MOUNTAIN BICYCLING 21 ROUTES. 22 (a) Trail Construction.—
- 23 (1) FEASIBILITY STUDY.—Not later than 18 24 months after the date of enactment of this Act, the

25 Secretary of Agriculture shall study the feasibility

and public interest of constructing recreational trails for mountain bicycling and other nonmotorized uses on the routes as generally depicted in the report titled "Trail Study for Smith River National Recreation Area Six Rivers National Forest" and dated 2016.

(2) Construction.—

- (A) Construction authorized.—Subject to appropriations, and in accordance with paragraph (3), if the Secretary determines under paragraph (1) that the construction of one or more routes described in such paragraph is feasible and in the public interest, the Secretary may provide for the construction of the routes.
- (B) Modifications.—The Secretary may modify the routes as necessary in the opinion of the Secretary.
- (C) USE OF VOLUNTEER SERVICES AND CONTRIBUTIONS.—Routes may be constructed under this section through the acceptance of volunteer services and contributions from non-Federal sources to reduce or eliminate the need for Federal expenditures to construct the route.

1	(3) Compliance.—In carrying out this section,
2	the Secretary shall comply with—
3	(A) the laws (including regulations) gen-
4	erally applicable to the National Forest System;
5	and
6	(B) this Act.
7	(b) Effect.—Nothing in this section affects the
8	ownership, management, or other rights relating to any
9	non-Federal land (including any interest in any non-Fed-
10	eral land).
11	SEC. 207. PARTNERSHIPS.
12	(a) Agreements Authorized.—The Secretary is
13	authorized to enter into agreements with qualified private
14	and nonprofit organizations to undertake the following ac-
15	tivities on Federal lands in Mendocino, Humboldt, Trinity,
16	and Del Norte counties:
17	(1) trail and campground maintenance;
18	(2) public education, visitor contacts, and out-
19	reach; and
20	(3) visitor center staffing.
21	(b) Contents.—Any agreements entered into under
22	subsection (a) shall clearly define the role and responsi-
23	bility of the Secretary and the private or nonprofit organi-
24	zation.

1	(c) COMPLIANCE.—The Secretary shall enter agree-
2	ments under subsection (a) in accordance with existing
3	law.
4	(d) Effect.—Nothing in this section—
5	(1) reduces or diminishes the authority of the
6	Secretary to manage land and resources under the
7	jurisdiction of the Secretary; or
8	(2) amends or modifies the application of any
9	existing law (including regulations) applicable to
10	land under the jurisdiction of the Secretary.
11	TITLE III—CONSERVATION
12	SEC. 301. DESIGNATION OF WILDERNESS.
13	(a) In General.—In accordance with the Wilderness
14	Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.), the following areas in the
15	State are designated as wilderness areas and as compo-
16	nents of the National Wilderness Preservation System:
17	(1) Black butte river wilderness.—Cer-
18	tain Federal land managed by the Forest Service in
19	the State, comprising approximately 11,117 acres
20	as generally depicted on the map entitled "Black
21	Butte River Wilderness—Proposed" and dated April
22	13, 2017, which shall be known as the Black Butte
23	River Wilderness.
24	(2) Chanchelulla wilderness addi-
25	TIONS.—Certain Federal land managed by the For-

est Service in the State, comprising approximately
6,212 acres, as generally depicted on the map entitled "Chanchelulla Wilderness Additions—Proposed"
and dated July 16, 2018, which is incorporated in,
and considered to be a part of, the Chanchelulla Wilderness, as designated by section 101(a)(4) of the
California Wilderness Act of 1984 (16 U.S.C. 1132)

note; 98 Stat. 1619).

- (3) Chinquapin Wilderness.—Certain Federal land managed by the Forest Service in the State, comprising approximately 26,890 acres, as generally depicted on the map entitled "Chinquapin Wilderness and Potential Wilderness—Proposed" and dated March 11, 2019, which shall be known as the Chinquapin Wilderness.
 - (4) English Ridge Wilderness.—Certain Federal land managed by the Bureau of Land Management in the State, comprising approximately 6,204 acres, as generally depicted on the map entitled "English Ridge Wilderness—Proposed" and dated March 29, 2019, which shall be known as the English Ridge Wilderness.
- (5) Headwaters forest wilderness.—Certain Federal land managed by the Bureau of Land Management in the State, comprising approximately

4,360 acres, as generally depicted on the map entitled "Headwaters Forest Wilderness—Proposed" and dated July 24, 2018, which shall be known as

the Headwaters Forest Wilderness.

- 5 (6) Mad river buttes wilderness.—Certain 6 Federal land managed by the Forest Service in the 7 State, comprising approximately 6,002 acres, as gen-8 erally depicted on the map entitled "Mad River 9 Buttes Wilderness—Proposed" and dated July 25, 10 2018, which shall be known as the Mad River 11 Buttes Wilderness.
 - (7) MOUNT LASSIC WILDERNESS ADDITION.—
 Certain Federal land managed by the Forest Service in the State, comprising approximately 1,292 acres, as generally depicted on the map entitled "Mount Lassic Wilderness Addition—Proposed" and dated February 23, 2017, which is incorporated in, and considered to be a part of, the Mount Lassic Wilderness, as designated by section 3(6) of Public Law 109–362 (16 U.S.C. 1132 note; 120 Stat. 2065).
 - (8) NORTH FORK EEL WILDERNESS ADDITION.—Certain Federal land managed by the Forest Service and the Bureau of Land Management in the State, comprising approximately 17,182 acres, as generally depicted on the map entitled "North Fork

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- 1 Eel Wilderness Addition—Proposed" and dated Feb-
- 2 ruary 23, 2017, which is incorporated in, and con-
- 3 sidered to be a part of, the North Fork Eel Wilder-
- 4 ness, as designated by section 101(a)(19) of the
- 5 California Wilderness Act of 1984 (16 U.S.C. 1132
- 6 note; 98 Stat. 1621).
- 7 (9) Pattison Wilderness.—Certain Federal
- 8 land managed by the Forest Service in the State,
- 9 comprising approximately 28,595 acres, as generally
- depicted on the map entitled "Pattison Wilderness—
- 11 Proposed" and dated July 16, 2018, which shall be
- 12 known as the Pattison Wilderness.
- 13 (10) Sanhedrin Wilderness addition.—
- 14 Certain Federal land managed by the Forest Service
- in the State, comprising approximately 112 acres, as
- generally depicted on the map entitled "Sanhedrin
- Wilderness Addition—Proposed" and dated March
- 18 29, 2019, which is incorporated in, and considered
- to be a part of, the Sanhedrin Wilderness, as des-
- ignated by section 3(2) of Public Law 109–362 (16
- 21 U.S.C. 1132 note; 120 Stat. 2065).
- 22 (11) Siskiyou wilderness addition.—Cer-
- tain Federal land managed by the Forest Service in
- 24 the State, comprising approximately 27,747 acres,
- as generally depicted on the map entitled "Siskiyou

- 1 Wilderness Addition and Potential Wilderness—Pro-
- 2 posed" and dated July 24, 2018, which is incor-
- porated in, and considered to be a part of, the
- 4 Siskiyou Wilderness, as designated by section
- 5 101(a)(30) of the California Wilderness Act of 1984
- 6 (16 U.S.C. 1132 note; 98 Stat. 1623) (as amended
- 7 by section 3(5) of Public Law 109–362 (16 U.S.C.
- 8 1132 note; 120 Stat. 2065)).
- 9 (12) South fork eel river wilderness ad-
- 10 DITION.—Certain Federal land managed by the Bu-
- reau of Land Management in the State, comprising
- approximately 313 acres, as generally depicted on
- the map entitled "South Fork Eel River Wilderness"
- 14 Addition—Proposed" and dated April 9, 2019,
- which is incorporated in, and considered to be a part
- of, the South Fork Eel River Wilderness, as des-
- ignated by section 3(10) of Public Law 109–362 (16)
- 18 U.S.C. 1132 note; 120 Stat. 2066).
- 19 (13) South fork trinity river wilder-
- NESS.—Certain Federal land managed by the Forest
- 21 Service in the State, comprising approximately
- 22 26,446 acres, as generally depicted on the map enti-
- tled "South Fork Trinity River Wilderness and Po-
- tential Wilderness—Proposed" and dated March 11,

- 2019, which shall be known as the South Fork Trinity River Wilderness.
- 3 (14) Trinity alps wilderness addition.— 4 Certain Federal land managed by the Forest Service 5 in the State, comprising approximately 62,695 acres, 6 as generally depicted on the map entitled "Trinity 7 Alps Wilderness Addition and Potential Wilder-8 ness—Proposed" and dated July 18, 2018, which is 9 incorporated in, and considered to be a part of, the 10 Trinity Alps Wilderness, as designated by section 11 101(a)(34) of the California Wilderness Act of 1984 12 (16 U.S.C. 1132 note; 98 Stat. 1623) (as amended 13 by section 3(7) of Public Law 109–362 (16 U.S.C. 14 1132 note; 120 Stat. 2065)).
 - (15) Underwood wilderness.—Certain Federal land managed by the Forest Service in the State, comprising approximately 15,127 acres, as generally depicted on the map entitled "Underwood Wilderness—Proposed" and dated July 19, 2018, which shall be known as the Underwood Wilderness.
 - (16) Yolla Bolly-Middle Eel Wilderness Addition.—Certain Federal land managed by the Forest Service and the Bureau of Land Management in the State, comprising approximately 10,729 acres, as generally depicted on the map entitled "Yolla"

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- 1 Bolly-Middle Eel Wilderness Addition and Potential
- 2 Wilderness—Proposed" and dated June 7, 2018,
- which is incorporated in, and considered to be a part
- 4 of, the Yolla Bolly-Middle Eel Wilderness, as des-
- 5 ignated by section 3 of the Wilderness Act (16
- 6 U.S.C. 1132) (as amended by section 3(4) of Public
- 7 Law 109–362 (16 U.S.C. 1132 note; 120 Stat.
- 8 2065)).
- 9 (17) Yuki Wilderness Addition.—Certain
- 10 Federal land managed by the Forest Service and the
- Bureau of Land Management in the State, com-
- prising approximately 10,866 acres, as generally de-
- picted on the map entitled "Yuki Wilderness Addi-
- tion and Potential Wilderness—Proposed" and dated
- 15 February 15, 2017, which is incorporated in, and
- 16 considered to be a part of, the Yuki Wilderness, as
- designated by section 3(3) of Public Law 109–362
- 18 (16 U.S.C. 1132 note; 120 Stat. 2065).
- 19 (b) Redesignation of North Fork Wilderness
- 20 AS NORTH FORK EEL RIVER WILDERNESS.—Subsection
- 21 101(a)(19) Public Law 98-425 (98 Stat. 1621; 16 U.S.C.
- 22 1132 note) is amended by striking "North Fork Wilder-
- 23 ness" and inserting "North Fork Eel River Wilderness".
- 24 Any reference in a law, map, regulation, document, paper,
- 25 or other record of the United States to the North Fork

- 1 Wilderness shall be deemed to be a reference to the North
- 2 Fork Eel River Wilderness.
- 3 (c) Elkhorn Ridge Wilderness Adjustments.—
- 4 The boundary of the Elkhorn Ridge Wilderness estab-
- 5 lished by section 6(d) of Public Law 109–362 (16 U.S.C.
- 6 1132 note) is adjusted by adding approximately 260 acres
- 7 of Federal land and deleting approximately 30 acres of
- 8 Federal land as generally depicted on the map entitled
- 9 "Elkhorn Ridge Wilderness Adjustments—Proposed" and
- 10 dated April 9, 2019.

11 SEC. 302. ADMINISTRATION OF WILDERNESS.

- 12 (a) In General.—Subject to valid existing rights,
- 13 the wilderness areas and wilderness additions established
- 14 by section 301 shall be administered by the Secretary in
- 15 accordance with this title and the Wilderness Act (16
- 16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.), except that—
- 17 (1) any reference in the Wilderness Act to the
- 18 effective date of that Act shall be considered to be
- a reference to the date of enactment of this Act; and
- 20 (2) any reference in that Act to the Secretary
- of Agriculture shall be considered to be a reference
- to the Secretary.
- 23 (b) Fire Management and Related Activi-
- 24 TIES.—

- 1 (1) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary may take 2 such measures in a wilderness area or wilderness ad-3 dition designated by section 301 as are necessary for 4 the control of fire, insects, and diseases in accord-5 ance with section 4(d)(1) of the Wilderness Act (16 6 U.S.C. 1133(d)(1)) and House Report 98–40 of the 98th Congress.
 - (2) Funding priorities.—Nothing in this title limits funding for fire and fuels management in the wilderness areas or wilderness additions designated by this Act.
 - (3) ADMINISTRATION.—Consistent with paragraph (1) and other applicable Federal law, to ensure a timely and efficient response to fire emergencies in the wilderness additions designated by this title, the Secretary of Agriculture shall—
 - (A) not later than 1 year after the date of enactment of this Act, establish agency approval procedures (including appropriate delegations of authority to the Forest Supervisor, District Manager, or other agency officials) for responding to fire emergencies; and
 - (B) enter into agreements with appropriate State or local firefighting agencies.

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- 1 (c) Grazing.—The grazing of livestock in the wilder-2 ness areas and wilderness additions designated by this
- 3 Act, if established before the date of enactment of this
- 4 Act, shall be administered in accordance with—
- 5 (1) section 4(d)(4) of the Wilderness Act (16
- 6 U.S.C. 1133(d)(4); and
- 7 (2)(A) for lands under the jurisdiction of the
- 8 Secretary of Agriculture, the guidelines set forth in
- 9 the report of the Committee on Interior and Insular
- 10 Affairs of the House of Representatives accom-
- panying H.R. 5487 of the 96th Congress (H. Rept.
- 12 96–617); or
- (B) for lands under the jurisdiction of the Sec-
- retary of the Interior, the guidelines set forth in Ap-
- pendix A of the report of the Committee on Interior
- and Insular Affairs of the House of Representatives
- accompanying H.R. 2570 of the 101st Congress (H.
- 18 Rept. 101–405).
- 19 (d) FISH AND WILDLIFE.—
- 20 (1) In general.—In accordance with section
- 4(d)(7) of the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C.
- 22 1133(d)(7)), nothing in this Act affects the jurisdic-
- 23 tion or responsibilities of the State with respect to
- fish and wildlife on public land in the State.

1	(2) Management activities.—In furtherance
2	of the purposes and principles of the Wilderness Act
3	(16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.), the Secretary may conduct
4	any management activities that are necessary to
5	maintain or restore fish, wildlife, and plant popu-
6	lations and habitats in the wilderness areas or wil-
7	derness additions designated by section 301, if the
8	management activities are—
9	(A) consistent with relevant wilderness
10	management plans; and
11	(B) conducted in accordance with—
12	(i) the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C.
13	1131 et seq.); and
14	(ii) appropriate policies, such as the
15	policies established in Appendix B of
16	House Report 101–405.
17	(e) Buffer Zones.—
18	(1) In general.—Congress does not intend for
19	designation of wilderness or wilderness additions by
20	this Act to lead to the creation of protective perim-
21	eters or buffer zones around each wilderness area or
22	wilderness addition.
23	(2) Activities or uses up to boundaries.—
24	The fact that nonwilderness activities or uses can be
25	seen or heard from within a wilderness area shall

1 not, of itself, preclude the activities or uses up to the 2 boundary of the wilderness area. (f) MILITARY ACTIVITIES.—Nothing in this title pre-3 4 cludes— (1) low-level overflights of military aircraft over 5 6 the wilderness areas or wilderness additions des-7 ignated by section 301; 8 (2) the designation of new units of special air-9 space over the wilderness areas or wilderness addi-10 tions designated by section 301; or 11 (3) the use or establishment of military flight 12 training routes over the wilderness areas or wilder-13 ness additions designated by section 301. 14 (g) Horses.—Nothing in this title precludes horse-15 back riding in, or the entry of recreational or commercial saddle or pack stock into, an area designated as a wilder-16 17 ness area or wilderness addition by section 301— 18 (1) in accordance with section 4(d)(5) of the 19 Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1133(d)(5)); and 20 (2) subject to any terms and conditions deter-21 mined to be necessary by the Secretary. 22 (h) WITHDRAWAL.—Subject to valid existing rights, 23 the wilderness areas and wilderness additions designated by section 301 are withdrawn from—

- 1 (1) all forms of entry, appropriation, and dis-2 posal under the public land laws;
 - (2) location, entry, and patent under the mining laws; and
 - (3) operation of the mineral materials and geothermal leasing laws.

(i) Use by Members of Indian Tribes.—

(1) Access.—In recognition of the past use of wilderness areas and wilderness additions designated by this Act by members of Indian Tribes for traditional cultural and religious purposes, the Secretary shall ensure that Indian Tribes have access to the wilderness areas and wilderness additions designated by section 301 for traditional cultural and religious purposes.

(2) Temporary closures.—

(A) In General.—In carrying out this section, the Secretary, on request of an Indian Tribe, may temporarily close to the general public one or more specific portions of a wilderness area or wilderness addition to protect the privacy of the members of the Indian Tribe in the conduct of the traditional cultural and religious activities in the wilderness area or wilderness addition.

1	(B) REQUIREMENT.—Any closure under
2	subparagraph (A) shall be made in such a man-
3	ner as to affect the smallest practicable area for
4	the minimum period of time necessary for the
5	activity to be carried out.
6	(3) APPLICABLE LAW.—Access to the wilder-
7	ness areas and wilderness additions under this sub-
8	section shall be in accordance with—
9	(A) Public Law 95–341 (commonly known
10	as the "American Indian Religious Freedom
11	Act") (42 U.S.C. 1996 et seq.); and
12	(B) the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et
13	seq.).
14	(j) Incorporation of Acquired Land and Inter-
15	ESTS.—Any land within the boundary of a wilderness area
16	or wilderness addition designated by section 301 that is
17	acquired by the United States shall—
18	(1) become part of the wilderness area in which
19	the land is located;
20	(2) be withdrawn in accordance with subsection
21	(h); and
22	(3) be managed in accordance with this section,
23	the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.), and
24	any other applicable law.

- 1 (k) CLIMATOLOGICAL DATA COLLECTION.—In ac-2 cordance with the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.) 3 and subject to such terms and conditions as the Secretary
- 4 may prescribe, the Secretary may authorize the installa-
- 5 tion and maintenance of hydrologic, meteorologic, or cli-
- 6 matological collection devices in the wilderness areas and
- 7 wilderness additions designated by section 301 if the Sec-
- 8 retary determines that the facilities and access to the fa-
- 9 cilities are essential to flood warning, flood control, or
- 10 water reservoir operation activities.
- 11 (l) AUTHORIZED EVENTS.—The Secretary may con-
- 12 tinue to authorize the competitive equestrian event per-
- 13 mitted since 2012 in the Chinquapin Wilderness estab-
- 14 lished by section 301 in a manner compatible with the
- 15 preservation of the area as wilderness.
- 16 (m) Recreational Climbing.—Nothing in this Act
- 17 prohibits recreational rock climbing activities in the wil-
- 18 derness areas, such as the placement, use, and mainte-
- 19 nance of fixed anchors, including any fixed anchor estab-
- 20 lished before the date of the enactment of this Act—
- 21 (1) in accordance with the Wilderness Act (16
- 22 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.); and
- 23 (2) subject to any terms and conditions deter-
- 24 mined to be necessary by the Secretary.

1 SEC. 303. DESIGNATION OF POTENTIAL WILDERNESS.

2	(a) Designation.—In furtherance of the purposes of
3	the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.), the following
4	areas in the State are designated as potential wilderness
5	areas:
6	(1) Certain Federal land managed by the For-
7	est Service, comprising approximately 4,238 acres,
8	as generally depicted on the map entitled "Chin-
9	quapin Wilderness and Potential Wilderness—Pro-
10	posed" and dated July 16, 2018.
11	(2) Certain Federal land administered by the
12	National Park Service, compromising approximately
13	31,000 acres, as generally depicted on the map enti-
14	tled "Redwood National Park Potential Wilder-
15	ness—Proposed" and dated August 21, 2017.
16	(3) Certain Federal land managed by the For-
17	est Service, comprising approximately 8,961 acres,
18	as generally depicted on the map entitled "Siskiyou
19	Wilderness Addition and Potential Wilderness—Pro-
20	posed" and dated July 24, 2018.
21	(4) Certain Federal land managed by the For-
22	est Service, comprising approximately 405 acres, as
23	generally depicted on the map entitled "South Fork

Proposed" and dated February 22, 2017.

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- 1 (5) Certain Federal land managed by the For-2 est Service, comprising approximately 1,237 acres, 3 as generally depicted on the map entitled "Trinity 4 Alps Wilderness Additions and Potential Wilder-5 ness—Proposed" and dated July 18, 2018.
- 6 (6) Certain Federal land managed by the For-7 est Service, comprising approximately 4,282 acres, 8 as generally depicted on the map entitled "Yolla 9 Bolly-Middle Eel Wilderness Additions and Potential 10 Wilderness—Proposed" and dated June 7, 2018.
- 11 (7) Certain Federal land managed by the For12 est Service, comprising approximately 1,165 acres,
 13 as generally depicted on the map entitled "Yuki Wil14 derness Addition and Potential Wilderness—Pro15 posed" and dated February 15, 2017.
- (b) Management.—Except as provided in subsection (c) and subject to valid existing rights, the Secretary shall manage the potential wilderness areas designated by subsection (a) (referred to in this section as "potential wilderness areas") as wilderness until the potential wilderness areas are designated as wilderness under subsection (d).
- 22 (c) Ecological Restoration.—
- 23 (1) IN GENERAL.—For purposes of ecological 24 restoration (including the elimination of nonnative 25 species, removal of illegal, unused, or decommis-

- sioned roads, repair of skid tracks, and any other activities necessary to restore the natural ecosystems in a potential wilderness area and consistent with paragraph (2)), the Secretary may use motorized equipment and mechanized transport in a potential wilderness area until the potential wilderness area is designated as wilderness under subsection (d).
- 8 (2) LIMITATION.—To the maximum extent 9 practicable, the Secretary shall use the minimum 10 tool or administrative practice necessary to accom-11 plish ecological restoration with the least amount of 12 adverse impact on wilderness character and re-13 sources.
- 14 (d) Eventual Wilderness Designation.—The 15 potential wilderness areas shall be designated as wilder-16 ness and as a component of the National Wilderness Pres-17 ervation System on the earlier of—
 - (1) the date on which the Secretary publishes in the Federal Register notice that the conditions in a potential wilderness area that are incompatible with the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.) have been removed; or
- 23 (2) the date that is 10 years after the date of 24 enactment of this Act for potential wilderness areas 25 located on lands managed by the Forest Service.

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1	(e) Administration as Wilderness.—
2	(1) In general.—On its designation as wilder-
3	ness under subsection (d), a potential wilderness
4	area shall be administered in accordance with sec-
5	tion 302 and the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et
6	seq.).
7	(2) Designation.—On its designation as wil-
8	derness under subsection (d)—
9	(A) the land described in subsection $(a)(1)$
10	shall be incorporated in, and considered to be a
11	part of, the Chinquapin Wilderness established
12	by section $301(a)(4)$;
13	(B) the land described in subsection (a)(3)
14	shall be incorporated in, and considered to be a
15	part of, the Siskiyou Wilderness as designated
16	by section 101(a)(30) of the California Wilder-
17	ness Act of 1984 (16 U.S.C. 1132 note; 98
18	Stat. 1623) (as amended by section 3(5) of
19	Public Law 109–362 (16 U.S.C. 1132 note;
20	120 Stat. 2065) and expanded by section
21	301(a)(12));
22	(C) the land described in subsection (a)(4)
23	shall be incorporated in, and considered to be a
24	part of, the South Fork Trinity River Wilder-
25	ness established by section 301(a)(14);

1 (D) the land described in subsection (a)(5) 2 shall be incorporated in, and considered to be a 3 part of, the Trinity Alps Wilderness as designated by section 101(a)(34) of the California 4 5 Wilderness Act of 1984 (16 U.S.C. 1132 note; 6 98 Stat. 1623) (as amended by section 3(7) of 7 Public Law 109–362 (16 U.S.C. 1132 note; 8 120 Stat. 2065) and expanded by section 9 301(a)(15); 10 (E) the land described in subsection (a)(6) 11 shall be incorporated in, and considered to be a 12 part of, the Yolla Bolly-Middle Eel Wilderness 13 as designated by section 3 of the Wilderness 14 Act (16 U.S.C. 1132) (as amended by section 15 3(4) of Public Law 109–362 (16 U.S.C. 1132 16 note; 120 Stat. 2065) and expanded by section 17 301(a)(17); and 18 (F) the land described in subsection (a)(7) 19 shall be incorporated in, and considered to be a 20 part of, the Yuki Wilderness as designated by 21 section 3(3) of Public Law 109–362 (16 U.S.C. 22 1132 note; 120 Stat. 2065) and expanded by 23 section 301(a)(18). 24 (f) Report.—Within three years after the date of en-

actment of this Act, and every three years thereafter until

the date upon which the potential wilderness is designated wilderness under subsection (d), the Secretary shall sub-3 mit a report to the Committee on Natural Resources of 4 the House of Representatives and the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources of the Senate on the status 6 of ecological restoration within the potential wilderness area and the progress toward the potential wilderness 8 area's eventual wilderness designation under subsection 9 (d). SEC. 304. DESIGNATION OF WILD AND SCENIC RIVERS. 11 Section 3(a) of the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act (16 U.S.C. 1274(a)) is amended by adding at the end the fol-13 lowing: "(214) South fork trinity river.—The fol-14 15 lowing segments from the source tributaries in the 16 Yolla Bolly-Middle Eel Wilderness, to be adminis-17 tered by the Secretary of Agriculture: 18 "(A) The 18.3-mile segment from its mul-19 tiple source springs in the Cedar Basin of the 20 Yolla Bolly-Middle Eel Wilderness in section 21 15, T27N, R10W, to .25 miles upstream of the 22 Wild Mad Road, as a wild river. 23 "(B) The .65-mile segment from .25 miles 24 upstream of Wild Mad Road to the confluence

with the unnamed tributary approximately .4

1	miles downstream of the Wild Mad Road in sec-
2	tion 29, T28N, R11W, as a scenic river.
3	"(C) The 9.8-mile segment from .75 miles
4	downstream of Wild Mad Road to Silver Creek,
5	as a wild river.
6	"(D) The 5.4-mile segment from Silver
7	Creek confluence to Farley Creek, as a scenic
8	river.
9	"(E) The 3.6-mile segment from Farley
10	Creek to Cave Creek, as a recreational river.
11	"(F) The 5.6-mile segment from Cave
12	Creek to the confluence of the unnamed creek
13	upstream of Hidden Valley Ranch in section 5,
14	T15, R7E, as a wild river.
15	"(G) The 2.5-mile segment from unnamed
16	creek confluence upstream of Hidden Valley
17	Ranch to the confluence with the unnamed
18	creek flowing west from Bear Wallow Mountain
19	in section 29, T1N, R7E, as a scenic river.
20	"(H) The 3.8-mile segment from the
21	unnamed creek confluence in section 29, T1N,
22	R7E to Plummer Creek, as a wild river.
23	"(I) The 1.8-mile segment from Plummer
24	Creek to the confluence with unnamed tributary

1	north of McClellan Place in section 6, T1N
2	R7E, as a scenic river.
3	"(J) The 5.4-mile segment from the
4	unnamed tributary confluence in section 6
5	T1N, R7E to Hitchcock Creek, as a wild river
6	"(K) The 7-mile segment from Eltapore
7	Creek to the Grouse Creek, as a scenic river.
8	"(L) The 5-mile segment from Grouse
9	Creek to Coon Creek, as a wild river.
10	"(215) East fork south fork trinity
11	RIVER.—The following segments to be administered
12	by the Secretary of Agriculture:
13	"(A) The 8.4-mile segment from its source
14	in the Pettijohn Basin in the Yolla Bolly-Middle
15	Eel Wilderness in section 10, T3S, R10W to
16	.25 miles upstream of the Wild Mad Road, as
17	a wild river.
18	"(B) The 3.4-mile segment from .25 miles
19	upstream of the Wild Mad Road to the South
20	Fork Trinity River, as a recreational river.
21	"(216) RATTLESNAKE CREEK.—The 5.9-mile
22	segment from the confluence with the unnamed trib-
23	utary in the southeast corner of section 5, T1S
24	R12W to the South Fork Trinity River to be ad-

1	ministered by the Secretary of Agriculture as a rec-
2	reational river.
3	"(217) Butter Creek.—The 7-mile segment
4	from .25 miles downstream of the Road 3N08 cross-
5	ing to the South Fork Trinity River, to be adminis-
6	tered by the Secretary of Agriculture as a scenic
7	river.
8	"(218) Hayfork creek.—The following seg-
9	ments to be administered by the Secretary of Agri-
10	culture:
11	"(A) The 3.2-mile segment from Little
12	Creek to Bear Creek, as a recreational river.
13	"(B) The 13.2-mile segment from Bear
14	Creek to the northern boundary of section 19,
15	T3N, R7E, as a scenic river.
16	"(219) Olsen Creek.—The 2.8-mile segment
17	from the confluence of its source tributaries in sec-
18	tion 5, T3N, R7E to the northern boundary of sec-
19	tion 24, T3N, R6E, to be administered by the Sec-
20	retary of the Interior as a scenic river.
21	"(220) Rusch Creek.—The 3.2-mile segment
22	from .25 miles downstream of the 32N11 Road
23	crossing to Hayfork Creek, to be administered by
24	the Secretary of Agriculture as a recreational river.

1	"(221) Eltapom creek.—The 3.4-mile seg-
2	ment from Buckhorn Creek to the South Fork Trin-
3	ity River, to be administered by the Secretary of Ag-
4	riculture as a wild river.
5	"(222) Grouse Creek.—The following seg-
6	ments to be administered by the Secretary of Agri-
7	culture:
8	"(A) The 3.9-mile segment from Carson
9	Creek to Cow Creek, as a scenic river.
10	"(B) The 7.4-mile segment from Cow
11	Creek to the South Fork Trinity River, as a
12	recreational river.
13	"(223) Madden creek.—The following seg-
14	ments to be administered by the Secretary of Agri-
15	culture:
16	"(A) The 6.8-mile segment from the con-
17	fluence of Madden Creek and its unnamed trib-
18	utary in section 18, T5N, R5E to Fourmile
19	Creek, as a wild river.
20	"(B) The 1.6-mile segment from Fourmile
21	Creek to the South Fork Trinity River, as a
22	recreational river.
23	"(224) Canyon Creek.—The following seg-
24	ments to be administered by the Secretary of Agri-
25	culture and the Secretary of the Interior:

1	"(A) The 6.6-mile segment from the outlet
2	of lower Canyon Creek Lake to Bear Creek up-
3	stream of Ripstein, as a wild river.
4	"(B) The 11.2-mile segment from Bear
5	Creek upstream of Ripstein to the southern
6	boundary of section 25, T34N, R11W, as a rec-
7	reational river.
8	"(225) NORTH FORK TRINITY RIVER.—The fol-
9	lowing segments to be administered by the Secretary
10	of Agriculture:
11	"(A) The 12-mile segment from the con-
12	fluence of source tributaries in section 24, T8N,
13	R12W to the Trinity Alps Wilderness boundary
14	upstream of Hobo Gulch, as a wild river.
15	"(B) The .5-mile segment from where the
16	river leaves the Trinity Alps Wilderness to
17	where it fully re-enters the Trinity Alps Wilder-
18	ness downstream of Hobo Gulch, as a scenic
19	river.
20	"(C) The 13.9-mile segment from where
21	the river fully re-enters the Trinity Alps Wilder-
22	ness downstream of Hobo Gulch to the Trinity
23	Alps Wilderness boundary upstream of the
24	County Road 421 crossing, as a wild river.

1	"(D) The 1.3-mile segment from the Trin-
2	ity Alps Wilderness boundary upstream of the
3	County Road 421 crossing to the Trinity River,
4	as a recreational river.
5	"(226) East fork north fork trinity
6	RIVER.—The following segments to be administered
7	by the Secretary of Agriculture:
8	"(A) The 9.5-mile segment from the river's
9	source north of Mt. Hilton in section 19, T36N,
10	R10W to the end of Road 35N20 approximately
11	.5 miles downstream of the confluence with the
12	East Branch East Fork North Fork Trinity
13	River, as a wild river.
14	"(B) The 3.25-mile segment from the end
15	of Road 35N20 to .25 miles upstream of
16	Coleridge, as a scenic river.
17	"(C) The 4.6-mile segment from .25 miles
18	upstream of Coleridge to the confluence of Fox
19	Gulch, as a recreational river.
20	"(227) New River.—The following segments
21	to be administered by the Secretary of Agriculture:
22	"(A) The 12.7-mile segment of Virgin
23	Creek from its source spring in section 22,
24	T9N, R7E to Slide Creek, as a wild river.

1	"(B) The 2.3-mile segment of the New
2	River where it begins at the confluence of Vir-
3	gin and Slide Creeks to Barron Creek, as a wild
4	river.
5	"(228) MIDDLE EEL RIVER.—The following
6	segments, to be administered by the Secretary of
7	Agriculture:
8	"(A) The 37.7-mile segment from its
9	source in Frying Pan Meadow to Rose Creek,
10	as a wild river.
11	"(B) The 1.5-mile segment from Rose
12	Creek to the Black Butte River, as a rec-
13	reational river.
14	"(C) The 10.5-mile segment of Balm of
15	Gilead Creek from its source in Hopkins Hollow
16	to the Middle Eel River, as a wild river.
17	"(D) The 13-mile segment of the North
18	Fork Middle Fork Eel River from the source on
19	Dead Puppy Ridge in section 11, T26N, R11W
20	to the confluence of the Middle Eel River, as a
21	wild river.
22	"(229) NORTH FORK EEL RIVER, CA.—The
23	14.3-mile segment from the confluence with Gilman
24	Creek to the Six Rivers National Forest boundary,

1	to be administered by the Secretary of Agriculture
2	as a wild river.
3	"(230) RED MOUNTAIN CREEK, CA.—The fol-
4	lowing segments to be administered by the Secretary
5	of Agriculture:
6	"(A) The 5.25-mile segment from its
7	source west of Mike's Rock in section 23,
8	T26N, R12E to the confluence with Littlefield
9	Creek, as a wild river.
10	"(B) The 1.6-mile segment from the con-
11	fluence with Littlefield Creek to the confluence
12	with the unnamed tributary in section 32,
13	T26N, R8E, as a scenic river.
14	"(C) The 1.25-mile segment from the con-
15	fluence with the unnamed tributary in section
16	32, T26N, R8E to the confluence with the
17	North Fork Eel River, as a wild river.
18	"(231) Redwood Creek.—The following seg-
19	ments to be administered by the Secretary of the In-
20	terior:
21	"(A) The 6.2-mile segment from the con-
22	fluence with Lacks Creek to the confluence with
23	Coyote Creek as a scenic river on publication by
24	the Secretary of a notice in the Federal Reg-
25	ister that sufficient inholdings within the

1	boundaries of the segments have been acquired
2	in fee title to establish a manageable addition
3	to the system.
4	"(B) The 19.1-mile segment from the con-
5	fluence with Coyote Creek in section 2, T8N,
6	R2E to the Redwood National Park boundary
7	upstream of Orick in section 34, T11N, R1E as
8	a scenic river.
9	"(C) The 2.3-mile segment of Emerald
10	Creek from its source in section 29, T10N,
11	R2E to the confluence with Redwood Creek as
12	a scenic river.
13	"(232) Lacks creek.—The following segments
14	to be administered by the Secretary of the Interior:
15	"(A) The 5.1-mile segment from the con-
16	fluence with two unnamed tributaries in section
17	14, T7N, R3E to Kings Crossing in section 27,
18	T8N, R3E as a wild river.
19	"(B) The 2.7-mile segment from Kings
20	Crossing to the confluence with Redwood Creek
21	as a scenic river upon publication by the Sec-
22	retary of a notice in the Federal Register that
23	sufficient inholdings within the segment have
24	been acquired in fee title or as scenic easements

1	to establish a manageable addition to the sys-
2	tem.
3	"(233) Lost man creek.—The following seg-
4	ments to be administered by the Secretary of the In-
5	terior:
6	"(A) The 6.2-mile segment of Lost Man
7	Creek from its source in section 7, T10N, R2E
8	to .25 miles upstream of the Prairie Creek con-
9	fluence as a recreational river.
10	"(B) The 2.3-mile segment of Larry
11	Damm Creek from its source in section 44,
12	T11N, R2E to the confluence with Lost Man
13	Creek as a recreational river.
14	"(C) The 1.6-mile segment of Larry
15	Damm Creek from its source in section 8,
16	T11N, R2E to the unnamed confluence with
17	the tributary in section 18, T11N, R1E, as a
18	recreational river.
19	"(D) The .75-mile segment of Larry
20	Damm Creek from the unnamed confluence
21	with the tributary in section 18, T11N, R1E to
22	the confluence with Lost Man Creek, as a sce-
23	nic river.
24	"(234) LITTLE LOST MAN CREEK.—The 3.6-
25	mile segment of Little Lost Man Creek from its

1	source in section 6, T10N, R2E to .25 miles up-
2	stream of the Lost Man Creek road crossing, to be
3	administered by the Secretary of the Interior as a
4	wild river.
5	"(235) South fork elk river.—The fol-
6	lowing segments to be administered by the Secretary
7	of the Interior through a cooperative management
8	agreement with the State of California:
9	"(A) The 3.6-mile segment of the Little
10	South Fork Elk River from the source in sec-
11	tion 21, T3N, R1E to the confluence with the
12	South Fork Elk River, as a wild river.
13	"(B) The 2.2-mile segment of the
14	unnamed tributary of the Little South Fork Elk
15	River from its source in section 15, T3N, R1E
16	to the confluence with the Little South Fork
17	Elk River, as a wild river.
18	"(C) The 3.6-mile segment of the South
19	Fork Elk River from the confluence of the Lit-
20	tle South Fork Elk River to the confluence with
21	Tom Gulch, as a recreational river.
22	"(236) Salmon Creek.—The 4.6-mile segment
23	from its source in section 27, T3N, R1E to the
24	Headwaters Forest Reserve boundary in section 18
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T3N, R1E to be administered by the Secretary of

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1	the Interior as a wild river through a cooperative
2	agreement with the State of California.
3	"(237) South fork eel river.—The fol-
4	lowing segments to be administered by the Secretary
5	of the Interior:
6	"(A) The 6.2-mile segment from the con-
7	fluence with Jack of Hearts Creek to the south-
8	ern boundary of the South Fork Eel Wilderness
9	in section 8, T22N, R5E, as a recreational river
10	to be administered by the Secretary through a
11	cooperative management agreement with the
12	State of California.
13	"(B) The 6.1-mile segment from the south-
14	ern boundary of the South Fork Eel Wilderness
15	to the northern boundary of the South Fork
16	Eel Wilderness in section 29, T23N, R16W as
17	a wild river.
18	"(238) Elder Creek.—The following seg-
19	ments to be administered by the Secretary of the In-
20	terior through a cooperative management agreement
21	with the State of California:
22	"(A) The 3.6-mile segment from its source
23	north of Signal Peak in section 6, T21N, R15W
24	to the confluence with the unnamed tributary

1	near the center of section 28, T22N, R16W, as
2	a wild river.
3	"(B) The 1.3-mile segment from the con-
4	fluence with the unnamed tributary near the
5	center of section 28, T22N, R16W to the con-
6	fluence with the South Fork Eel River, as a
7	recreational river.
8	"(C) The 2.1-mile segment of Paralyze
9	Canyon from its source south of Signal Peak in
10	section 7, T21N, R15W to the confluence with
11	Elder Creek, as a wild river.
12	"(239) Cedar Creek.—The following seg-
13	ments to be administered as a wild river by the Sec-
14	retary of the Interior:
15	"(A) The 7.7-mile segment from its source
16	in section 22, T24N, R16W to the southern
17	boundary of the Red Mountain unit of the
18	South Fork Eel Wilderness.
19	"(B) The 1.9-mile segment of North Fork
20	Cedar Creek from its source in section 28,
21	T24N, R5E to the confluence with Cedar
22	Creek.
23	"(240) East branch south fork eel
24	RIVER.—The following segments to be administered
25	by the Secretary of the Interior as a scenic river on

1	publication by the Secretary of a notice in the Fed-
2	eral Register that sufficient inholdings within the
3	boundaries of the segments have been acquired in
4	fee title or as scenic easements to establish a man-
5	ageable addition to the system:
6	"(A) The 2.3-mile segment of Cruso Cabir
7	Creek from the confluence of two unnamed trib-
8	utaries in section 18, T24N, R15W to the con-
9	fluence with Elkhorn Creek.
10	"(B) The 1.8-mile segment of Elkhorn
11	Creek from the confluence of two unnamed trib-
12	utaries in section 22, T24N, R16W to the con-
13	fluence with Cruso Cabin Creek.
14	"(C) The 14.2-mile segment of the East
15	Branch South Fork Eel River from the con-
16	fluence of Cruso Cabin and Elkhorn Creeks to
17	the confluence with Rays Creek.
18	"(D) The 1.7-mile segment of the
19	unnamed tributary from its source on the north
20	flank of Red Mountain's north ridge in section
21	2, T24N, R17W to the confluence with the
22	East Branch South Fork Eel River.
23	"(E) The 1.3-mile segment of the
24	unnamed tributary from its source on the north

flank of Red Mountain's north ridge in section

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1	1, T24N, R17W to the confluence with the
2	East Branch South Fork Eel River.
3	"(F) The 1.8-mile segment of Tom Long
4	Creek from the confluence with the unnamed
5	tributary in section 12, T25N, R4E to the con-
6	fluence with the East Branch South Fork Ee
7	River.
8	"(241) Mattole river estuary.—The 1.5-
9	mile segment from the confluence of Stansberry
10	Creek to the Pacific Ocean, to be administered as a
11	recreational river by the Secretary of the Interior.
12	"(242) Honeydew Creek.—The following seg-
13	ments to be administered as a wild river by the Sec-
14	retary of the Interior:
15	"(A) The 5.1-mile segment of Honeydew
16	Creek from its source in the southwest corner
17	of section 25, T3S, R1W to the eastern bound-
18	ary of the King Range National Conservation
19	Area in section 18, T3S, R1E.
20	"(B) The 2.8-mile segment of West Fork
21	Honeydew Creek from its source west of North
22	Slide Peak to the confluence with Honeydew
23	Creek.
24	"(C) The 2.7-mile segment of Upper East
25	Fork Honeydew Creek from its source in sec-

1	tion 25, T3S, R1W to the confluence with Hon-
2	eydew Creek.
3	"(243) Bear Creek.—The following segments
4	to be administered by the Secretary of the Interior:
5	"(A) The 1.9-mile segment of North Fork
6	Bear Creek from the confluence with the
7	unnamed tributary immediately downstream of
8	the Horse Mountain Road crossing to the con-
9	fluence with the South Fork, as a scenic river.
10	"(B) The 6.1-mile segment of South Fork
11	Bear Creek from the confluence in section 2,
12	T5S, R1W with the unnamed tributary flowing
13	from the southwest flank of Queen Peak to the
14	confluence with the North Fork, as a scenic
15	river.
16	"(C) The 3-mile segment of Bear Creek
17	from the confluence of the North and South
18	Forks to the eastern boundary of the southwest
19	½ of section 11, T4S, R1E, as a wild river.
20	"(244) GITCHELL CREEK.—The 3-mile segment
21	of Gitchell Creek from its source in section 8, T4S,
22	R1E to the Pacific Ocean to be administered by the
23	Secretary of the Interior as a wild river.

1	"(245) Big flat creek.—The following seg-
2	ments to be administered by the Secretary of the In-
3	terior as a wild river:
4	"(A) The 4-mile segment of Big Flat
5	Creek from its source in section 36, T3S, R1W
6	to the Pacific Ocean.
7	"(B) The .8-mile segment of the unnamed
8	tributary from its source in section 35, T3S,
9	R1W to the confluence with Big Flat Creek.
10	"(C) The 2.7-mile segment of North Fork
11	Big Flat Creek from the source in section 34,
12	T3S, R1W to the confluence with Big Flat
13	Creek.
14	"(246) Big creek.—The following segments to
15	be administered by the Secretary of the Interior as
16	wild rivers:
17	"(A) The 2.7-mile segment of Big Creek
18	from its source in section 28, T3S, R1W to the
19	Pacific Ocean.
20	"(B) The 1.9-mile unnamed southern trib-
21	utary from its source in section 27, T3S, R1W
22	to the confluence with Big Creek.
23	"(247) Elk Creek.—The 11.4-mile segment
24	from its confluence with Lookout Creek to its con-
25	fluence with Deep Hole Creek, to be jointly adminis-

- tered by the Secretaries of Agriculture and the Interior, as a wild river.
- 3 "(248) Eden Creek.—The 2.7-mile segment
- 4 from the private property boundary in the northwest
- 5 quarter of section 27, T21N, R12W to the eastern
- 6 boundary of section 23, T21N, R12W, to be admin-
- 7 istered by the Secretary of the Interior as a wild
- 8 river.
- 9 "(249) DEEP HOLE CREEK.—The 4.3-mile seg-
- ment from the private property boundary in the
- southwest quarter of section 13, T20N, R12W to
- the confluence with Elk Creek, to be administered by
- the Secretary of the Interior as a wild river.
- 14 "(250) Indian Creek.—The 3.3-mile segment
- from 300 feet downstream of the jeep trail in section
- 16 13, T20N, R13W to the confluence with the Eel
- 17 River, to be administered by the Secretary of the In-
- terior as a wild river.
- 19 "(251) FISH CREEK.—The 4.2-mile segment
- from the source at Buckhorn Spring to the con-
- 21 fluence with the Eel River, to be administered by the
- Secretary of the Interior as a wild river.".
- 23 SEC. 305. SANHEDRIN CONSERVATION MANAGEMENT AREA.
- 24 (a) Establishment.—Subject to valid existing
- 25 rights, there is established the Sanhedrin Conservation

- 1 Management Area (referred to in this section as the "con-
- 2 servation management area"), comprising approximately
- 3 14,177 acres of Federal land administered by the Forest
- 4 Service in Mendocino County, California, as generally de-
- 5 picted on the map entitled "Sanhedrin Special Conserva-
- 6 tion Management Area—Proposed" and dated April 12,
- 7 2017.
- 8 (b) Purposes.—The purposes of the conservation
- 9 management area are to—
- 10 (1) conserve, protect, and enhance for the ben-
- efit and enjoyment of present and future generations
- the ecological, scenic, wildlife, recreational, roadless,
- 13 cultural, historical, natural, educational, and sci-
- entific resources of the conservation management
- 15 area;
- 16 (2) protect and restore late-successional forest
- structure, oak woodlands and grasslands, aquatic
- habitat, and anadromous fisheries within the con-
- 19 servation management area;
- 20 (3) protect and restore the wilderness character
- of the conservation management area; and
- 22 (4) allow visitors to enjoy the scenic, natural,
- cultural, and wildlife values of the conservation man-
- agement area.
- 25 (c) Management.—

1	(1) In General.—The Secretary shall manage
2	the conservation management area—
3	(A) in a manner consistent with the pur-
4	poses described in subsection (b); and
5	(B) in accordance with—
6	(i) the laws (including regulations)
7	generally applicable to the National Forest
8	System;
9	(ii) this section; and
10	(iii) any other applicable law (includ-
11	ing regulations).
12	(2) Uses.—The Secretary shall only allow uses
13	of the conservation management area that the Sec-
14	retary determines would further the purposes de-
15	scribed in subsection (b).
16	(d) Motorized Vehicles.—
17	(1) In general.—Except as provided in para-
18	graph (3), the use of motorized vehicles in the con-
19	servation management area shall be permitted only
20	on existing roads, trails, and areas designated for
21	use by such vehicles as of the date of enactment of
22	this Act.
23	(2) New or temporary roads.—Except as
24	provided in paragraph (3), no new or temporary

1	roads shall be constructed within the conservation
2	management area.
3	(3) Exception.—Nothing in paragraph (1) or
4	(2) prevents the Secretary from—
5	(A) rerouting or closing an existing road or
6	trail to protect natural resources from degrada-
7	tion, or to protect public safety, as determined
8	to be appropriate by the Secretary;
9	(B) designating routes of travel on lands
10	acquired by the Secretary and incorporated into
11	the conservation management area if the des-
12	ignations are—
13	(i) consistent with the purposes de-
14	scribed in subsection (b); and
15	(ii) completed, to the maximum extent
16	practicable, within three years of the date
17	of acquisition;
18	(C) constructing a temporary road on
19	which motorized vehicles are permitted as part
20	of a vegetation management project carried out
21	in accordance with subsection (e);
22	(D) authorizing the use of motorized vehi-
23	cles for administrative purposes; or
24	(E) responding to an emergency.

1	(4) Decommissioning of Temporary
2	ROADS.—
3	(A) REQUIREMENT.—The Secretary shall
4	decommission any temporary road constructed
5	under paragraph (3)(C) not later than 3 years
6	after the date on which the applicable vegeta-
7	tion management project is completed.
8	(B) Definition.—As used in subpara-
9	graph (A), the term "decommission" means—
10	(i) to reestablish vegetation on a road;
11	and
12	(ii) to restore any natural drainage,
13	watershed function, or other ecological
14	processes that are disrupted or adversely
15	impacted by the road by removing or
16	hydrologically disconnecting the road
17	prism.
18	(e) Timber Harvest.—
19	(1) In general.—Except as provided in para-
20	graph (2), no harvesting of timber shall be allowed
21	within the conservation management area.
22	(2) Exceptions.—The Secretary may author-
23	ize harvesting of timber in the conservation manage-
24	ment area—

1	(A) if the Secretary determines that the
2	harvesting is necessary to further the purposes
3	of the conservation management area;
4	(B) in a manner consistent with the pur-
5	poses described in subsection (b); and
6	(C) subject to—
7	(i) such reasonable regulations, poli-
8	cies, and practices as the Secretary deter-
9	mines appropriate; and
10	(ii) all applicable laws (including regu-
11	lations).
12	(f) Grazing.—The grazing of livestock in the con-
13	servation management area, where established before the
14	date of enactment of this Act, shall be permitted to con-
15	tinue—
16	(1) subject to—
17	(A) such reasonable regulations, policies,
18	and practices as the Secretary considers nec-
19	essary; and
20	(B) applicable law (including regulations);
21	and
22	(2) in a manner consistent with the purposes
23	described in subsection (b).
24	(g) Wildfire, Insect, and Disease Manage-
25	MENT.—Consistent with this section, the Secretary may

1	take any measures within the conservation management
2	area that the Secretary determines to be necessary to con-
3	trol fire, insects, and diseases, including the coordination
4	of those activities with a State or local agency.
5	(h) Acquisition and Incorporation of Land and
6	Interests in Land.—
7	(1) Acquisition authority.—In accordance
8	with applicable laws (including regulations), the Sec-
9	retary may acquire any land or interest in land with-
10	in the boundaries of the conservation management
11	area by purchase from willing sellers, donation, or
12	exchange.
13	(2) Incorporation.—Any land or interest in
14	land acquired by the Secretary under paragraph (1)
15	shall be—
16	(A) incorporated into, and administered as
17	part of, the conservation management area; and
18	(B) withdrawn in accordance with sub-
19	section (i).
20	(i) Withdrawal.—Subject to valid existing rights
21	all Federal land located in the conservation management
22	area is withdrawn from—
23	(1) all forms of entry, appropriation, and dis-
24	posal under the public land laws;

1	(2) location, entry, and patenting under the
2	mining laws; and
3	(3) operation of the mineral leasing, mineral
4	materials, and geothermal leasing laws.
5	TITLE IV—MISCELLANEOUS
6	SEC. 401. MAPS AND LEGAL DESCRIPTION.
7	(a) In General.—As soon as practicable after the
8	date of enactment of this Act, the Secretary shall prepare
9	maps and legal descriptions of the—
10	(1) wilderness areas and wilderness additions
11	designated by section 301;
12	(2) potential wilderness areas designated by
13	section 303;
14	(3) South Fork Trinity-Mad River Restoration
15	Area;
16	(4) Horse Mountain Special Management Area;
17	and
18	(5) Sanhedrin Conservation Management Area.
19	(b) Submission of Maps and Legal Descrip-
20	TION.—The Secretary shall file the maps and legal de-
21	scriptions prepared under subsection (a) with—
22	(1) the Committee on Natural Resources of the
23	House of Representatives; and
24	(2) the Committee on Energy and Natural Re-
25	sources of the Senate.

- 1 (c) Force of Law.—The maps and legal descrip-
- 2 tions prepared under subsection (a) shall have the same
- 3 force and effect as if included in this Act, except that the
- 4 Secretary may correct any clerical and typographical er-
- 5 rors in the map and legal description.
- 6 (d) Public Availability.—The maps and legal de-
- 7 scriptions prepared under subsection (a) shall be on file
- 8 and available for public inspection in the appropriate of-
- 9 fices of the Forest Service, Bureau of Land Management,
- 10 and National Park Service.

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