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TO

Shekeetah Allen Genoway, Assistant Field Manager
Bureau of Land Management Central Coast Field Office
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Sent via USPS and email

Dear Assistant Field Manager Genoway,

Pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. Sec 552, the Privacy Act 5 U.S.C. Sec 552(a), and as you suggested in our recent phone conversation, Davenport North Coast Association (DNCA), Friends of the North Coast (FONC), and Rural Bonny Doon Association (RBDA) are requesting, by way of this letter, an opportunity to either inspect or receive copies of the following in relation to the Bureau of Land Management's (BLM) planning and implementation efforts for the Cotoni-Coast Dairies California Coastal National Monument (C-CD) limited to the time period from 2018 to the present:

- a. All communications, studies, environmental analysis, and third party/other agency references related to BLM's consideration and/or rejection of the trailhead parking site south of the Mocettini Barn as an alternative in the C-CD RMPA-EA;
- b. Biological Baseline or inventory information collected to date;
- c. C-CD Biological Monitoring Plan;
- d. GAOA Grant Application and Award documentation related to the restoration and reuse of the Mocettini Barn
- e. Any preliminary or final cultural assessments, studies, plans and/or site plans related to the Mocettini Barn restoration.

Once you have informed us of any estimated fees, costs, or expenses and the volume of material involved to search for and copy the requested records, and we have chosen to receive copies of the records, please email the information to the aforementioned addresses.

If any records cannot be provided in electronic form, and we have chosen to receive copies of such record, after having been informed of the fees, costs, or expenses, please mail a copy of the record to the address above for DNCA.

However, if the fees, costs, or expenses exceed \$200, we would like to request a waiver of all fees as the disclosure of the requested information is for our knowledge and/or in the public interest and will contribute significantly to the awareness and/or understanding of the information contained within the aforementioned documents and/ files. This information is not being sought after for any commercial purposes.

In the event we decide to review the information in person, please notify us of the address of the office where we could undertake that review.

This information should not be subject to exemptions from the FOIA, and access to the requested documents should be granted within 20 working days.

We also request that if you determine that any part of the information requested is exempt from the FOIA, this information be identified by document. We request that you provide statutory basis for your claim and reasons for not exercising your discretion to release this information. FOIA also provides that if any portions of the file are exempt from release, the remainder of the file must be released. Therefore, we request that we be provided with any and all non-exempt portions that can reasonably be segregated.

In the event that you are unable to provide the information requested, please let us know within seven (7) working days so that further arrangements or appeals can be made.

Thank you for your time and cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

John Barnes

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