

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT, STATE OF CALIFORNIA
Certified copy of portion of proceedings, Meeting on August 15, 2023

RESOLUTION NO. 23-117

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF AVENUE OF THE GIANTS AND CONTROLLED TRAFFIC ON THE MATTOLE ROAD FOR THE HUMBOLDT REDWOODS HALF MARATHON AND 5K ON SUNDAY, OCTOBER 8, 2023

WHEREAS, the Six Rivers Running Club is planning the 43rd Humboldt Redwoods Half Marathon and 5K on Sunday, October 8, 2023 from 8:00 A.M. to 2 P.M. and is requesting that the following specific sections of Avenue of the Giants be closed temporarily with controlled traffic:

1. Both lanes of Highway 254 from the southern Redcrest exit from Highway 101 to 6.55 miles south of Dryerville Bridge closed to all traffic but official race and emergency vehicles. People attending church or leaving/returning home would be allowed to pass; and
2. Mattole Road traffic, at the Dyerville Bridge will be controlled by Eureka Volunteer Patrol (EVP); and

WHEREAS, the proposed staging area is in southern Humboldt County – the Dyerville Bridge/Overlook area and the surrounding roads. Vehicular traffic is affected for approximately 5 to 7 miles to the north, south, and west of the bridge/overlook area. The majority of the foot race course is held within the park, but also includes approximately 1.5 miles of Humboldt County Mattole Road west of approximately 5.5 miles of park road; and

WHEREAS, the California Department of Transportation requires an adopted resolution from the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors authorizing the above closures.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors authorizes the temporary closure of Avenue of the Giants, the southbound Honeydew Exit, and the eastern portion of the Mattole Road on October 8, 2023 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 2 p.m. in order to allow the Six Rivers Running Club to conduct the Annual Humboldt Redwood Half Marathon and 5K; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this resolution be forwarded to the District One Director of the California Department of Transportation and to the Six Rivers Running Club.

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The foregoing Resolution is hereby passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors on August 15, 2023, by the following vote:

Adopted on motion by Bushnell, seconded by Wilson and the following vote:

AYES: Supervisors: Bushnell, Wilson, Bohn, Madrone

NOES: Supervisors:

ABSENT: Supervisors: Arroyo

ABSTAIN: Supervisors:



Steve Madrone, Chair
Humboldt County Board of Supervisors

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)

) ss.
County of Humboldt)

I, NIKKI TURNER, Deputy Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, County of Humboldt, State of California, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a full, true and correct copy of the original made in the above-entitled matter by said Board of Supervisors at a meeting held in Eureka, California as the same now appears of record in my office, and which has not been altered, amended or repealed.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto
set my hand and affixed the Seal of
said Board of Supervisors

NIKKI TURNER
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of
the County of Humboldt, State of
California

By 

Nikki Turner, Deputy Clerk of the Board