

**HONEYDEW BRIDGE  
NAMING NOMINATION  
FROM  
THE HINDLEY FAMILY**



**HONEYDEW BRIDGE NAMING**  
**NOMINATION SUBMISSION**  
**REPORT OUTLINE**

- **SUBMISSION LETTER FROM  
LAURENCE & LISA HINDLEY**
- **HISTORY OF GEORGE HINDLEY'S  
LEGACY**
- **LETTERS OF SUPPORT FROM  
MUSEUMS AND HISTORICAL  
SOCIETIES**
- **LETTERS OF SUPPORT FROM FAMILY,  
FRIENDS, ORGANIZATIONS &  
BUSINESS'S**
- **PETITIONS OF SUPPORT FROM THE  
COMMUNITY**

August 10, 2025

Mr. Mattson,

Please accept this packet as our family's official proposal, requesting the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors give full consideration to naming the new Honeydew bridge in memory of our family patriarch and former District 1 Supervisor, George Hindley.

The submitted documents indicate a history of influence not only in the Mattole Valley, but also in the Eel River Valley and Humboldt County as a whole. As an early settler to the Valley and founder of our six-generation ranch, Supervisor George Hindley, was by historical documentation, a hardworking, honest and dedicated family man and public servant.

In compiling our family proposal, we enjoyed the opportunity to learn even more about both the history of George and the Hindley family in general. More specifically, his role as extensive landowner, businessman and recognized leader for both the Mattole Valley and Humboldt County.

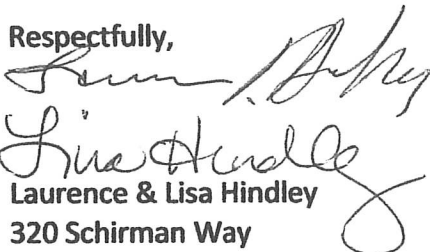
This process has brought us closer together as a family and reinforced our connections to the community. We are appreciative and humbled by the encouragement, enthusiasm and love from our community, family and friends. All who have provided support and assistance for this journey.

We also owe a heartfelt thank you to the museums, historical societies, agencies, and individuals who researched, wrote letters and signed petitions recognizing George's contributions and advocating for the Hindley family proposal.

Additionally we are appreciative for the opportunity to share the story of George Hindley and to the County of Humboldt for their consideration of naming the bridge at Honeydew in his honor.

Thank you very much for your time and consideration. Please reach out to us with any questions or if there is a need for additional information.

Respectfully,



Laurence & Lisa Hindley

320 Schirman Way

Fortuna, CA 95540

Cell: 707-599-9088

Email: hindleyranch@gmail.com

**George Hindley—Supervisor, rancher and farmer, substantial landowner, patriarch of large and hospitable family, and now potential namesake of the new Honeydew Bridge.**

“The death of George Hindley has cast a gloom over all Humboldt county. He was known to old and young in every part of the county and was universally esteemed and respected. Of a sunny disposition, he attracted and held friends, and a chat with him was a sure cure for the blues. A testimony of his popularity is seen in the fact that he was elected Supervisor time after time as a Democrat, though the district was strongly Republican.” So stated George Hindley’s obituary in the *Ferndale Enterprise* of March 13, 1914, three days after his death at the age of 67.

A similar sentiment was revealed in J.M. Guinn’s *History of the State of California*: “George Hindley is one of the [most] extensive and successful stockmen in Humboldt County. A man of ability, intelligence, and excellent business talent, he is very influential in the management of public affairs, and is now rendering good service to the community in which he resides as supervisor of District No. 1. ... Mr. Hindley... is one of the most active and respected men of his community.”

George Hindley’s story begins, of course, with his parents: Henry Hindley, born 1822 in England and orphaned at a young age, was married to Elizabeth “Betty” Lawton in England in January, 1846. Betty was a bit older than Henry, born in 1816. In what was evidently a very busy year, the couple emigrated to Ohio, then up to Port Stanley, Elgin, in what was then called Western Canada—now Ontario. George Hindley was born October 13, 1846, as a Canadian of English parents. He seems to have been given no middle name. Apparently, George stayed with his mother in the Port Stanley area for several years while father Henry returned to the States, butchering and mining in the Weaverville area of Trinity County from 1851 ‘til 1859. At almost the age of 8, Betty Hindley brought children George, Rebecca (later Mrs. Harvey), and Elizabeth (later Mrs. McAlpine) to Trinity County; 1854 marked George’s immigration to the U.S. A few years later, the entire family moved to Hydesville, where in 1859 Henry was engaged in the stock business (however, they do appear on the Oregon Gulch, Trinity Co., census in 1860. My guess is that, being very enterprising people, they kept ranch business going in several locations simultaneously).

In 1866, George Hindley married Margaret Jane Holman, who had been born July, 1852, in Wisconsin, to Nicholas and Mary Ann Merritt Holman. The wedding was on Christmas day, in Weaverville; the bride would have been only 14 years old. Margaret’s brothers, Richard Merritt (Dick) and Joseph Holman, as well as her father, Nicholas, were often-seen names around the Ferndale-to-Honeydew areas in local pioneer rancher history. Her mother and sister, also named Mary Ann— Mrs. Harkey—also seemed to visit the family often, both in Mattole and later in Ferndale. According to J.M. Guinn’s *History of the State of California: Historical and Biographical Record* (probably a 1903 edition; p. 755), 1866 also marked the beginning of George’s own career; at a mere 20 years old, he moved to the Upper Mattole area and began working cattle and sheep on a ranch that eventually exceeded 2800 acres.

In 1867, son George Lawton Hindley was born; by 1870, though active in Upper Mattole, the family is still listed on the Weaverville census: George Hindley, 24, a teamster; Margaret, 18; and young George L., age 2.

All told, 13 live children were born to Mr. and Mrs. George Hindley, although four of them died before adulthood. Anna, born 1872, married Walter Hackett; Margaretta "Cora" was a schoolteacher at Bull Creek and Honeydew, among others places, and married Walter Reishus (their one child died in infancy). Ernest is present in almost all of the family photos, and stayed with the family 'til old age; he was "feeble-minded" and illiterate, though he seemed to be an active ranch worker. Verna (sometimes seen as Vera or Verena) married George C. Lindley and lived at Upper Mattole, having at least four children. Enid married Mr. Waddington and moved to the same-named area outside Ferndale. Rebecca (Tudy) married a Mr. Keating. The two youngest children, Joseph and Henry, had long and publicly visible lives: Joseph, or "JND" for Joseph Nicholas Delamatra, or "Doc" Hindley, was a dentist in Ferndale, well-known as a "father of the Fair" as well as being the literal father of George A. Hindley, who lived 'til over 100, passing away in 2020; Jean (Mrs. Bud) Myers; C.J.; and Harlan Hindley. Henry Hindley married Ione Holbrook; Henry and Ione's names and photos show up occasionally in local history, and they left behind at least one photo album full of fascinating glimpses of rural Mattole life around the 1920s. They had no children.

Speaking of revealing records of the past, in 1880, George Hindley, firmly planted in the area above what's now Honeydew as a rancher, orchardist, builder, helpful neighbor, and family man, kept a diary. (It is unclear exactly when the Hindleys moved their primary home down to the flats around what is now Honeydew proper, although an 1886 map shows the family name on the northwest quarter of Sec. 6 there—on what we call the Old Hindley Ranch Road area—and in the southeast quarter of Sec. 36, site of the present Hindley Ranch.) Although there are only about two to eight lines per daily entry, he did keep the record faithfully, and the names, places, and activities mentioned are an excellent illumination of Mattole pioneer struggles and rewards. A notable trend in his family's life was the neighborly cooperation; friends were always stopping by on business or pleasure, spending the night or a week. George himself often went for long stays with neighbors, building homes or barns, separating or gathering livestock, helping with fence-building projects, etc.—and very often, going on hunting parties, almost always successfully bringing home the venison.

A large box of photo albums from a bit later in the family's history (mainly the 1890s through 1910s) shows, often, not only the nine surviving biological children—three others died in infancy, and Charles, in 1877 at the age of seven, from diphtheria—but close friends, probable "servants," and unofficially adopted youth. A Roderick Elwood shows up in many of the pictures, and is also included as part of the household in the 1910 Ferndale census—he was supposedly an Irish orphan. The pictures also show many parties, people dressed up in silly costumes, and a general sense of good humor and love of fun. The impression left by the photographic and census records is of a very generous, inclusive, and progressive family.

Highlights standing out in the historical record for George Hindley include being shot in the face by Cyrus C. Fitzgerald, a neighbor up near Cathey's Peak who appears regularly and uneventfully in George's 1880 journal; the shooting occurred in the summer of 1883, after some altercation involving property with George's father Henry, and led to a verdict against Fitzgerald and prison time. Voters' Registers from the 1890s describe George as light-complected, blue-eyed, grey-haired, and with a scar on his forehead and right cheek.

According to his obituary in the *Ferndale Enterprise*, George Hindley was elected County Supervisor, District One (Mattole and Ferndale areas), in 1885, for one term; and again, in 1900, during which incumbency he was re-elected repeatedly until his death in 1914. Thereby, he served as Supervisor for over 17 years. He had moved the family to the Ferndale area in the first year or two of the twentieth century, surrendering management of the Honeydew Ranch to son-in-law George C. Lindley. Lindley himself later became a County Supervisor and road crew boss. His son, George's grandson Elwyn C. Lindley, was also a County Roads man. Perhaps George Hindley's greatest accomplishment as Supervisor was overseeing the construction of Fernbridge in 1911. His obituary says, "Mr. Hindley worked hard for the construction of the big concrete bridge over Eel river, and after it was built he was often referred to as 'Father of the Bridge.' That beautiful and substantial structure will long stand as a monument to his memory."

In late 1913, according to Jerry Rohde's research as presented in *Southwest Humboldt Hinterlands*, George had planned the extension of the Bull Creek Road from the boundary with the Second Supervisorial District westward over to the junction of Honeydew Creek, the main Mattole, and the Upper North Fork. He would have been well positioned, with his thousands of acres of ranchland stocked with cattle, sheep, and hogs, and his 40-acre orchard of apple, prune, peach, and walnut trees, to take advantage of the connection to the Northwestern Pacific Railroad station at South Fork. However, he was not to see the plan quite to fruition, as he passed away, somewhat unexpectedly (he had been feeling unwell for a couple of weeks), at the age of 67, on March 10, 1914. (Margaret Jane survived him until January, 1919.)

Still, the road from Bull Creek, Dyerville, the mainstem Eel River, and the railroad line, did accelerate development at that crossroads—a junction of not only rivers and now roads, but also the Humboldt Meridian (a north-south line) and map townships Two South and Three South (east-west)—so that we had a school named "Honey Dew" in 1915, the Honeydew Bridge in 1920, the Honeydew Store built next to the bridge by Levi Thrapp in 1923, and a Honeydew Post Office in 1926. (The original county road from Petrolia had come to this area on the north side of the river, so there was no urgent need for a bridge in 1913 when the Bull Creek road was being built, especially since there was already a bridge about a mile downstream for access to and from Etter land on that southwest side of the river.)

George Hindley was a sociable and civic-minded man, serving as a member of the building committee for the County Courthouse; a Mason, belonging to Ferndale Lodge #178; an Odd Fellow—Ferndale Lodge #220; and an Elk (BPOE) as well as a member of the Knights of Pythias.

However, his most notable contributions may have been specifically transportation projects including a bridge which is, oddly, not named for him (Fernbridge). It is past time to name a bridge for George Hindley, and the one surrounded by property he nurtured and developed, on a road he championed, is highly appropriate.



*Supervisor and Mrs. Hindley, poised to drive the first carriage across Fernbridge, November 12, 1911. The horse and buggy are ceremonial; many automobiles rapidly took advantage of this crucial link to Humboldt County at large.*

**Further info for the Hindley file:**

Obit copied from Find-a-Grave:

Ferndale Enterprise (Ferndale, California) 13 March 1914, Friday - page 1.

#### LAST CALL ANSWERED BY GEORGE HINDLEY

Last Tuesday morning, shortly after one o'clock, at his home in Ferndale, George Hindley, one of Humboldt's best known men, answered the call of the death angel after an illness of about two weeks. He had been feeling considerably improved Monday and was thought to be on the road to recovery. About midnight, however, he was taken suddenly worse, and an hour later passed away. George Hindley was a native of Elgin county, Canada West, where he was born October 13, 1846. At the time of his death he was aged 67 years, 4 months and 24 days.

In the year 1854 with his parents he came to California, the family settling in Weaverville, Trinity county. Here George Hindley grew to young manhood and shortly after he was twenty-one years of age he came to Humboldt county and settled in the Mattole valley. Here he made his home for many years, engaged in ranching and stock raising, until with his family he came to Ferndale some thirteen years ago to reside, shortly after his election as Supervisor of this district in 1900.

Mr. Hindley served this district as Supervisor one term from 1885 to 1888. He then retired to his fine ranch at Upper Mattole unit again called by the people in 1900.

He had since been re-elected at each election and had filled the office for more than thirteen years past. With his previous term he had been a member of the Board of Supervisors of this county more than seventeen years.

On December 25, 1866, George Hindley was united in marriage to Miss Margaret Jane Holman at Weaverville, Trinity county, and soon afterwards they came to Humboldt, which has since been their home. To bless this union thirteen children were born, of whom nine survive their father, as follows: George L[awton]. Hindley of Hydesville; Mrs. Walter Hackett [Annie] and Ernest Hindley of Ferndale; Mrs. Walter Reishus [Cora] of Cottonwood, Minnesota; Mrs. George Lindley [Verna] of Upper Mattole; Mrs. M. Waddington [Enid] of Waddington; Miss Rebecca, Joseph [later dentist Doc J.N.D. Hindley], and Henry Hindley, of Ferndale. Besides these there are left to mourn, the widow, Mrs. Margaret Hindley, several grandchildren and other more distant relatives.

The death of George Hindley has cast a gloom over all Humboldt county. He was known to old and young in every part of the county and was universally esteemed and respected. Of a sunny disposition, he attracted and held friends, and a chat with him was a sure cure for the blues. A testimony of his popularity is seen in the fact that he was elected Supervisor time after time as a Democrat, though the district was strongly Republican.

As Supervisor, Mr. Hindley worked hard for the construction of the big concrete bridge over Eel river, and after it was built he was often referred to as "Father of the Bridge." That beautiful and substantial structure will long stand as a monument to his memory.

Faithful to his trust to the last, Mr. Hindley spent the last afternoon of his life examining the claims from his district and getting them in readiness for presentation at the meeting of the Board on Tuesday, though he might justly have excused himself from this duty, by reason of his illness.

Fraternaly Mr. Hindley was a member of the Masons, Odd Fellows, Knights of Pythias, Elks and several other orders. These societies will attend the funeral services in a body.

Arrangements for the funeral have not been completed, awaiting the arrival of a daughter, Mrs. Walter Reishus [Cora], for the East. If that lady arrives tomorrow as has been expected, the funeral will be held Sunday. Should Mrs. Reishus not be able to make connections with the steamer leaving San Francisco today she will not be able to reach Ferndale before Monday, in which event the

funeral will probably be held Tuesday. The services will be from the family residence, Rev. A. W. Bell officiating, and the Masons will have charge of the services at the grave.

---

## Inscription on stone

George Hindley  
1846 - 1914  
Native of Canada  
Supervisor of Humboldt Co. 14 Years

~~~~~

Note that date in the Guinn *History of the State of California*, of age of Margaret Holman Hindley's father Nicholas Holman, is wrong. He would be 77 (born in 1826), not 87. I am not positive of the date of the *History*, but the various editions are all from about 1902-1906; and in this one Cora had not yet married (she did so in 1908). I will assume this is a 1903 publication, and the writers were simply off by a digit or a decade. The Hindley entry in that Guinn volume was found as one of the "memories" on the FamilySearch.org page of records, and did not cite precise information about the book.

I cannot now ascertain when the Hindley family moved down the hill from the Windy Nip/ Cathey's Peak area to what we call the Old Hindley Ranch, across the river from the Honeydew Store. The NW ¼ of Section 6 (T3S, R1E), containing the big flat around Old Hindley Ranch and Applegate Rds., was patented by Elias Hunter in 1876. George Hindley's original land patents are in the T2S area (Sections 28, 29, 30, 32, and 33) up above, and are recorded from 1882 'til 1900. Children and siblings (e.g., Joseph Holman, Margaret Hindley's brother, and George L. Hindley, the pair's eldest child) of Mr. & Mrs. George Hindley did patent some land in that area of Honeydew proper. The online General Land Office records only show original patents from the government, not later purchases or exchanges. I imagine you, Lisa and Laurence, probably have the title records showing when the big ranch areas near the river were acquired. Also, the burial dates on the headstones at the cemetery at Jim and Roxy's would probably indicate the family's residence there. And the 1886 Forbes map and 1898 Lentell map, and onward, show G. Hindley as owner of the NW ¼ of Sec. 6 and the SE ¼ of Sec. 36.

# Hindley Ranch

Honeydew, CA

Est 1872

## Celebrating 150 years in the Mattole Valley

In 1872 our family patriarch George Hindley left the gold rush in the little Trinity County town of Weaverville and embarked on a journey that would forever change the lives of generations ahead of him. He had heard of land in the beautiful Mattole Valley of Humboldt County where the rain was plentiful and the land was rich. He, with his family of 12, homesteaded our family ranch where he raised sheep and grew apples with the perseverance that only a rancher could know.

Thru the generations since our family has also persevered and worked the land and changed our business dynamics as our world has changed. We currently organically grow hay and farm wheat and rye and are proud to be able to partner to sell our grains to Alchemy Distillery who is only 80 miles from our family ranch.

Our patriarch George Hindley went on to be the County Supervisor for two terms and for generations since our family has gone on to serve our country in the military as well as support our community by being mayor, bankers, business owner, dentist, contractors, law enforcement officers, beautician, educators, county fair Managers (yes we have had 2 of them!) and the list goes on....every family has a history and ours is pretty darn awesome!

This year the California State Fair & Expo - CA Agricultural Heritage Club awarded our family our 150<sup>th</sup> year milestone award. This milestone is a "prestigious group to families and businesses who are descendants of pioneer ranches, farms and agribusinesses of early California."

Our family shares this distinction with only 2 other California families and can proudly say we are the only family ranch north of Sacramento that was awarded this milestone.

We are extremely grateful and humbled by this milestone as well as the support from the Humboldt County community.



Thank you and cheers to another 150 years!

# Hindley Ranch

Farming & Ranching in the

**Mattole Valley since 1872**

**2022 Recipient of**

**150<sup>th</sup> year Milestone award from the**

*California*

**STATE \* FAIR**

**CA Agricultural Heritage Club**



|                 |           |                   |
|-----------------|-----------|-------------------|
| Steamboat Acres | est. 1848 | Sacramento County |
| Dudley Ranch    | est. 1871 | Tulare County     |
| Hindley Ranch   | est. 1872 | Humboldt County   |

**THE FOLLOWING WILL BE RECOGNIZED IN 2022 FOR REACHING  
125 YEARS OR MORE OF CONTINUOUS OPERATION:**

|                         |           |                   |
|-------------------------|-----------|-------------------|
| Steamboat Acres         | est. 1848 | Sacramento County |
| Hindley Ranch           | est. 1872 | Humboldt County   |
| Nichelini Family Winery | est. 1890 | Napa County       |
| Farley-Erickson Ranch   | est. 1897 | Marin County      |
| Kerr-Koontz Farms       | est. 1897 | Yolo County       |
| Meissonnier Ranch       | est. 1897 | Merced County     |

**THE FOLLOWING WILL BE RECOGNIZED IN 2022 FOR REACHING  
100 YEARS OR MORE OF CONTINUOUS OPERATION:**

|                         |           |                   |
|-------------------------|-----------|-------------------|
| Steamboat Acres         | est. 1848 | Sacramento County |
| Nichelini Family Winery | est. 1897 | Napa County       |





THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA  
SCHOOL OF JOURNALISM AND MASS COMMUNICATION  
COMMUNICATIONS CENTER  
400 UNIVERSITY AVENUE  
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA 90024-1545  
TEL: (213) 875-5100  
WWW.JOURNALISM.EDU

THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA  
SCHOOL OF JOURNALISM AND MASS COMMUNICATION  
COMMUNICATIONS CENTER  
400 UNIVERSITY AVENUE  
LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA 90024-1545  
TEL: (213) 875-5100  
WWW.JOURNALISM.EDU







# THE FERNDALE MUSEUM

Shaw & 3rd Street • P.O. Box 431  
Ferndale, California 95536  
(707) 786-4466

March 24, 2025

County of Humboldt

Thomas K. Matson

Public Works Director

Attn: Thomas Matson

After reviewing the historical documents and looking at our documents we can confirm that Supervisor George Hindley Sr. was an outstanding member of the community

He was instrumental in the building of Fernbridge as well as the Humboldt County Court House. Fernbridge is now a historical landmark and the main access to Ferndale.

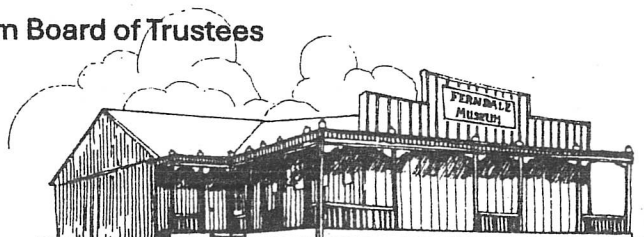
Even though never completed, Supervisor Hindley worked tirelessly before his death to extend Bull Creek Rd. from the boundary with Second District Supervisor westward to the junction of Honeydew Creek, and the main Mattole. His hard work in the beginning led to eventually connecting.

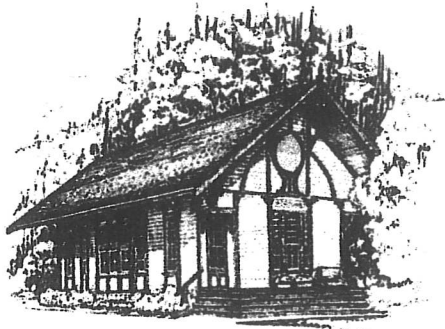
He was a rancher, supervisor and astute businessman. He was a man of ability, intelligence and very influential in the management of public affairs providing good service to the community.

We strongly suggest the dedication of the new Honeydew bridge to Supervisor George Hindley Sr.

Respectfully submitted,

The Ferndale Museum Board of Trustees





The Fortuna Depot Museum

Fortuna Depot Museum/3 Park Street/Fortuna, CA 95540

March 13, 2025

Thomas K. Mattson  
Public Works Director  
County of Humboldt  
1106 Second Street  
Eureka, CA 95501

Dear Mr. Mattson,

I hope this finds you well. I'm writing in support of a request for the soon-to-be-constructed new Honeydew bridge to be named in honor of former Humboldt County Supervisor George Hindley (1847—1914).

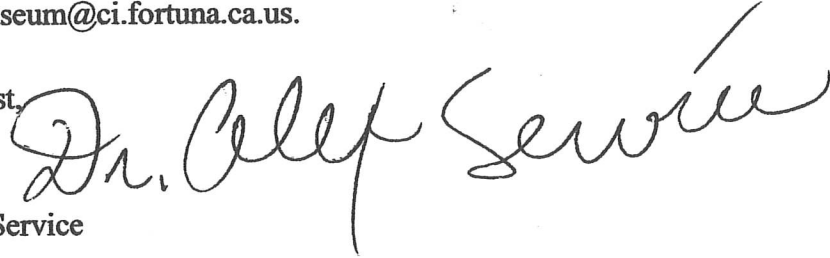
When I was researching George Hindley in preparation for writing this letter, I was struck by Hindley's career-long dedication to improving Humboldt County's transportation infrastructure. The *Humboldt Times* articles on Board of Supervisors' meetings in 1887-88 include frequent updates such as "It is ordered that Supervisor Hindley be appointed a Commissioner to prepare plans and specifications for construction" of "a new bridge across Oil Creek" (7/10/1888) and "Supervisor Hindley is authorized to spend \$200 to improve the crossing of old Eel River on the Dungan Ferry road" (8/15/1888). During his service as District 1 Supervisor from 1900—1914, he played a crucial role as one of the driving forces behind the construction of Fernbridge. After his death on March 10, 1914, the *Humboldt Times* wrote,

*Two weeks ago Mr. Hindley attended an adjourned meeting of the board of supervisors ... At that time a delegation of citizens attended the meeting and made a plea in behalf of the purchase of highway bonds. Mr. Hindley cast his vote in favor of buying \$150,000 worth of the bonds. This, one of his last acts as a public official, reflected the service he had given not only the people of his own district, but of the entire county ...*

Given George Hindley's devoted work constructing and improving Humboldt County's bridges and roads, it seems to make perfect sense that a new bridge at Honeydew—the region in which the Hindley family ranch is located—would be named after Supervisor George Hindley.

Please feel free to contact me if I can be of help in providing further historical information on Supervisor Hindley. You can reach me at the Fortuna Depot Museum at 707-725-7645 or [fortunamuseum@ci.fortuna.ca.us](mailto:fortunamuseum@ci.fortuna.ca.us).

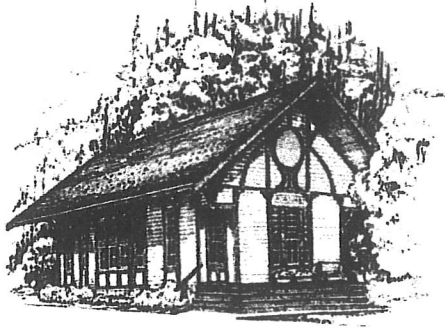
All the best,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Dr. Alex Service". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned to the right of the typed name.

Dr. Alex Service

Curator

Fortuna Depot Museum



The Fortuna Depot Museum

Fortuna Depot Museum/3 Park Street/Fortuna, CA 95540

March 12, 2025

Thomas K. Mattson  
Public Works Director  
County of Humboldt  
1106 Second Street  
Eureka, CA 95501

Dear Mr. Mattson,

As members of the Fortuna Historical Commission, we are writing to express support for the campaign to have the soon-to-be-constructed new Honeydew Bridge named in honor of George Hindley (1847—1914), former Humboldt County District 1 Supervisor.

Naming the new Honeydew bridge after George Hindley would be thoroughly appropriate. Hindley was a highly-respected rancher in the Honeydew area, and served as supervisor for one term in the 1880s and again from 1900—1914. During his terms as supervisor, as well as when he was not in office, he was deeply and actively involved in the development, construction and improvement of Humboldt County's bridges and roads. His most famous achievement in Humboldt County's history is his work overseeing the construction of Fernbridge, completed in 1911.

At the final Humboldt County Supervisors' meeting George Hindley attended, he voted for the county to purchase \$150,000 worth of highway bonds. After Hindley's March 10, 1914 death, his fellow supervisors approved the highway bonds purchase, before adjourning the meeting in his honor.

In recognition of George Hindley's contributions to Humboldt County's infrastructure, and his services to this county and its people, we whole-heartedly support the request to name the new Honeydew bridge in his honor.

Sincerely yours,

*Ruth Debet*

*Pam Jane*

*Michael Murray*

Fortuna Historical Commission members

*Douglas F. Hunt*

Marleen Hall

President Redwood Genealogical Society

PO Box 632, Ferndale CA. 95536

rgsfortuna@gmail.com

707-407-6359

:April 15, 2025

Thomas K Mattson

Public Works Director

County of Humboldt

1106 Second Street

Eureka CA 95501

Dear Mr Mattson

I am writing to express my strong support for naming the proposed bridge in Mateole after George L. Hindley, a distinguished local pioneer whose contributions have profoundly shaped our community's history and identity.

George L. Hindley was a trailblazer whose legacy embodies the spirit of Humboldt county. George served as supervisor for many years. Hindley's dedication to transportation in our county left an indelible mark. Naming the bridge after Hindley would honor his pivotal role in our region's development and serve as a lasting tribute to their vision and perseverance.

This bridge in Honeydew, represents progress and unity—values that Hindley exemplified.

I understand that naming decisions carry significant weight, where names are chosen to reflect deep historical and cultural meaning. Hindley's contributions align with this principle, making their name a fitting choice that resonates with our shared heritage.

Our society agrees that to name this bridge after George Hindley would be an honor to a pioneer that is well deserved.

Thank you for your time and commitment to preserving our community's history through this meaningful decision. I am happy to provide additional information or participate in public discussions to support this proposal.

Sincerely,

Marleen D Genzoli-Hall

President Redwood Genealogical

July 28, 2025  
544 Green Fir Rd.  
Petrolia, CA 95558

Thomas K. Mattson  
Director of Public Works, County of Humboldt  
1106 Second St.  
Eureka, CA 95501

Re: Naming of new Honeydew Bridge

To Whom It May Concern:

The century-old Honeydew Bridge across the Mattole River, a vital link between the Mattole Valley, the Lost Coast and King Range, and the main transportation and communications corridors of the South Fork Eel River and Highway 101, is being replaced. While the much-loved old bridge always went by merely “the Honeydew Bridge,” the new bridge’s dedication offers us the opportunity to honor a stellar character who was instrumental in the development of the road from the east (Bull Creek Rd.), the building of Fernbridge—the northern link for the Mattole Valley to the outside world—and the prosperity of the Southern Humboldt/Mattole areas in general.

George Hindley, 1846-1914, was a County Supervisor for our District for seventeen years and a large landowner and rancher in and above Honeydew for most of his life. He was the prototype of the hard-working, civic-minded pioneer—a family man, good neighbor, and public servant. He made a name for himself and for his large family and many descendants. However, as far as I know, that name does not appear on any public monument. If anything, Fernbridge should have been named for the man who worked so hard to see that project to fruition; but Hindley’s dedication to his home turf of Honeydew and his work in pushing through the Bull Creek Rd., which crosses the new bridge to end at the Honeydew crossroads, makes his name on this bridge equally appropriate.

The list of George Hindley’s accomplishments and contributions is long and impressive. The Mattole Valley Historical Society, of which I am a part, has many records attesting to this, and I am sure there is no need to repeat specifics here. In this letter, I am speaking for myself, to assure you that in my many years of reading the history of the Mattole Valley, I have encountered nobody more deserving of his name on such an essential and visible structure in Honeydew as George Hindley—on the beautiful new “George Hindley Memorial Bridge.”

Thank you for your consideration of this earnest bid for recognition of one of the Mattole Valley’s foremost champions.

Sincerely,



Laura Cooskey

[lauracooskey@frontiernet.net](mailto:lauracooskey@frontiernet.net)

707-629-3562

~ Laura 7/28/25



HONEYDEW VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANY  
POST OFFICE BOX 74  
HONEYDEW, CA 95545-0074

F.E.I.N 77-0151702

6 April 2025

Thomas K. Mattson  
Public Works Director  
County of Humboldt  
1106 Second Street  
Eureka, CA 95501

To Whom It May Concern:

Honeydew Volunteer Fire Company is in support of naming the new 2-lane bridge at Honeydew, which is being installed this summer, in memory of George L. Hindley, one of the longest serving County Supervisors for District One.

It will be sad to see the current one-lane bridge removed, but the new bridge will provide a safer 2 lanes of traffic. George Hindley would be proud that his name will grace a structure that he had foreseen necessary while he served as Supervisor.

Please consider this a letter of appropriate support for naming the new bridge after George L. Hindley.

Best regards,

Peter Marshall, Chief  
Honeydew Volunteer Fire Company

June 9, 2025

Thomas K. Mattson  
Public Works Director  
County of Humboldt  
1106 Second Street  
Eureka, Ca 95501

To Whom it May Concern:

This letter is in support of naming, upon its completion, the new bridge at Honeydew after former Humboldt County Supervisor for District 1, George Hindley.

Mr. Hindley was one of the earlier settlers to the Mattole Valley, moving to the area in 1857. Upon his arrival he established a large livestock and fruit orchard ranch in Honeydew. In fact his property was adjacent to the Mattole River at the very spot where the bridge at Honeydew is located.

In addition, he was elected and served as a County Supervisor for four terms. During his time in office, he was credited by many for guiding the process in determining the location for building Fernbridge.

In recognition of his contributions to not only the Mattole Valley, but the County at large, I give my full support to the naming of this bridge after George Hindley.

Respectfully,



Mayor Randall Cady  
City of Ferndale



PO Box 505 Ferndale, CA 95536  
707-786-4044

March 24<sup>th</sup>, 2025

Thomas Mattson  
Public Works Director  
County of Humboldt  
1106 2<sup>nd</sup> Street  
Eureka, CA 95501

Mr. Mattson,

It has come to our attention that the Hindley family is seeking community support in naming the upcoming bridge in Honeydew after former Supervisor George L. Hindley. We are writing to you to express our support in this endeavor. The Hindley family has deep roots in the County and it is admirable that they wish to keep their family legacy in memory.

An integral part of his legacy are early 20<sup>th</sup> century transportation projects in the County, including Fernbridge. Hindley was an early pioneer to our community and was referred to as "one of the most active and respected men of his community". We strongly support the family's efforts to permanently display the memory of their great-grandfather in the form of something as simple as the name of a bridge and the symbolism of his life's work being transportation projects is not lost on us.

Thank you for your time in reading this,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Sarah McCann", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Sarah McCann & the Agland Engineering Team

The Hackett Family  
PO Box 505  
Ferndale, CA 95536

March 26<sup>th</sup>, 2025

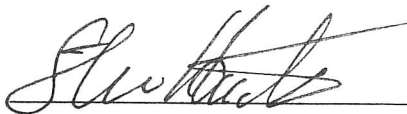
Thomas Mattson  
Public Works Director  
County of Humboldt  
1106 2<sup>nd</sup> Street  
Eureka, CA 95501

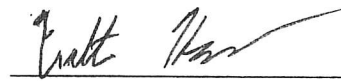
Dear Thomas,

Our family would like to extend our support in naming the new bridge in Honeydew after George L. Hindley. We believe in the sentiment of naming landmarks after pioneers and prominent figures, and Hindley was both of those things. Seeing your own family name on a bridge invokes a sense of accomplishment and the motivation to continue the momentum set by our grandparents or great-great grandparents.


It is with great pleasure that we endorse our support of this effort.

Thank you,  
The Hackett Family

  
\_\_\_\_\_

  
\_\_\_\_\_

  
\_\_\_\_\_

  
\_\_\_\_\_

  
\_\_\_\_\_

25 July 2025

Board of Supervisors  
County of Humboldt  
825 5th St.  
Eureka, Ca 95501

To the Board of Supervisors,

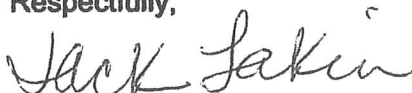
As a great-great grandson of George Hindley, it is an honor to write this letter in support of naming, upon its completion, the new bridge at Honeydew as the George Hindley Bridge.

To better understand his role as a leader in Humboldt County and as a resident of the Mattole Valley, I refer to the actions and words of his peers during that era.

1. George was elected/re-elected Humboldt County District 1 Supervisor, in 1884, 1900, 1904, 1908 and 1912.
2. The 1904 Historical and Biographical Record of Coast Counties California stated: "Occupying a position of prominence among the foremost citizens of Pacific township, George Hindley is one of the extensive and successful stockmen in Humboldt County. A man of ability, intelligence and excellent business talent, he is very influential in the management of public affairs, and is now rendering good service to the community in which he resides as supervisor of District No. 1."
3. The Record of Coast Counties California acknowledged the substantial Hindley Ranch of 2,800 acres, producing high quality grades of cattle and sheep and providing numerous opportunities for employment. (Please note the Hindley Ranch is located adjacent to the Mattole River at the very spot where the bridge at Honeydew is being replaced)
4. His passionate and dedicated service as Supervisor was briefly described in the Ferndale Enterprise regarding County approval for the building of Fernbridge: "Eel River Valley supervisor George Hindley 'talked himself hoarse' trying to persuade the remaining members of the Board to take action...".
5. Upon his death in 1914 the Ferndale Enterprise reported: "Mr Hindley worked hard for the construction of the big concrete bridge over the Eel River, and after it was built was often referred to as 'Father of the Bridge'...".
6. Ferndale Enterprise 1914: "The death of George Hindley has cast a gloom over all Humboldt County. He was known to old and young in every part of the county and was universally esteemed and respected. Of a sunny disposition, he attracted and held friends, and a chat with him was a sure cure for the blues."

The legacy of George Hindley, as documented, is deserving of consideration and approval by the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors as the name for the new bridge crossing the Mattole River at Honeydew.

Respectfully,



Jack Lakin  
Honeydew, Ca.

April 23, 2025

Thomas K. Mattson  
Public Works Director  
County of Humboldt  
1106 Second Street  
Eureka, CA 95501

Mr. Mattson,

Our family is seeking support, from the local Community and the County of Humboldt, to officially dedicate and name the soon to be constructed Honeydew Bridge after Supervisor George L. Hindley. He was an early settler to the Mattole Valley and the founder of the Hindley Ranch, currently still in operation through six-generations.

In 1857, as our family patriarch, George set out from the gold rush "fever" of Trinity County and the small town of Weaverville. Embarking on a journey that would change forever the future lives of generations in Humboldt County, both its residents and our family. He had heard many stories of the land, in the beautiful Mattole Valley, where the rain was plentiful and the land was rich. With his family of 12, he homesteaded the ranch of over 2,000 acres. It was here, with the perseverance that only a rancher could know, he provided for his family and offered the opportunity for work to many. Along with raising a variety of cattle, sheep, and hogs, the ranch developed 40 acres of orchards bearing apples, prunes, peaches and walnuts.

Great Grandfather George established himself as a well-respected and hardworking family man. Additionally, he was extensively involved with his Community and a committed public servant to the residents of Humboldt County.

George Hindley went on to be elected County Supervisor for multiple terms; serving from 1885 to 1888, and again from 1901 until his death in 1914. As a supervisor, he was held in high esteem throughout the County. Many credited his very

passionate and dedicated leadership as instrumental in the building of Fernbridge and connecting the communities from both sides of the Eel River. He was referred to by many as the "Father of the Bridge".

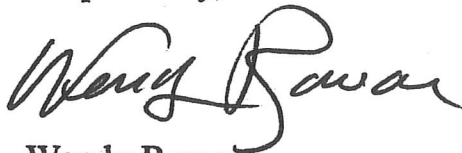
Records indicate that George also served as a member of the Humboldt County Courthouse Building Committee, the Ferndale Masonic Lodge #178, Ferndale Odd Fellow Lodge #220, the BPOE of Elks, as well as a member of the Knights of Pythias.

Through the generations, the Hindley family has also persevered, worked the land and adapted our business dynamics as the world around us has changed. We currently harvest organically grown hay; farming both wheat and rye. Proudly able to partner and sell to a local Humboldt County distillery.

Following George's lead, future generations of family have gone on to serve our country in the military; as well as supporting our local Community as County Supervisors, mayor, farmers, ranchers, bankers, business owners, dentist, contractors, law enforcement officers, firefighters, beauticians, educators, Humboldt County Fair Managers (yes we have had 2 of them!) and the list goes on....every family has a history and thanks to George's legacy ours is pretty darn awesome!

We are very appreciative for both your time and consideration.

Respectfully,



Wendy Rowan  
285 Moonstone Cross Road  
Trinidad, CA 95570

April 10, 2025

Thomas K. Mattson  
Public Works Director  
County of Humboldt  
1106 Second Street  
Eureka, CA 95501

Mr. Mattson,

Our family is seeking support, from the local Community and the County of Humboldt, to officially dedicate and name the soon to be constructed Honeydew Bridge after Supervisor George L. Hindley. He was an early settler to the Mattole Valley and the founder of the Hindley Ranch, currently still in operation through six-generations.

In 1857, as our family patriarch, George set out from the gold rush "fever" of Trinity County and the small town of Weaverville. Embarking on a journey that would change forever the future lives of generations in Humboldt County, both its residents and our family. He had heard many stories of the land, in the beautiful Mattole Valley, where the rain was plentiful and the land was rich. With his family of 12, he homesteaded the ranch of over 2,000 acres. It was here, with the perseverance that only a rancher could know, he provided for his family and offered the opportunity for work to many. Along with raising a variety of cattle, sheep, and hogs, the ranch developed 40 acres of orchards bearing apples, prunes, peaches and walnuts.

Great Grandfather George established himself as a well-respected and hardworking family man. Additionally, he was extensively involved with his Community and a committed public servant to the residents of Humboldt County.

George Hindley went on to be elected County Supervisor for multiple terms; serving from 1885 to 1888, and again from 1901 until his death in 1914. As a supervisor, he was held in high esteem throughout the County. Many credited his very passionate and dedicated leadership as instrumental in the building of Fernbridge and connecting the communities from both sides of the Eel River. He was referred to by many as the "Father of the Bridge".

Records indicate that George also served as a member of the Humboldt County Courthouse Building Committee, the Ferndale Masonic Lodge #178, Ferndale Odd Fellow Lodge #220, the BPOE of Elks, as well as a member of the Knights of Pythias.

Through the generations, the Hindley family has also persevered, worked the land and adapted our business dynamics as the world around us has changed. We currently harvest organically grown hay; farming both wheat and rye. Proudly able to partner and sell to a local Humboldt County distillery.

Following George's lead, future generations of family have gone on to serve our country in the military; as well as supporting our local Community as County Supervisors, mayor, farmers, ranchers, bankers, business owners, dentist, contractors, law enforcement officers, firefighters, beauticians, educators, Humboldt County Fair Managers (yes we have had 2 of them!) and the list goes on....every family has a history and thanks to George's legacy ours is pretty darn awesome!

We are very appreciative for both your time and consideration.

Cheers,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Laurence Hindley". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "L" and a stylized "H".

Laurence Hindley  
320 Schirman Way  
Fortuna, CA 95540  
707-725-9266

April 10, 2025

Thomas K. Mattson  
Public Works Director  
County of Humboldt  
1106 Second Street  
Eureka, CA 95501

Mr. Mattson,

Our family is seeking support, from the local Community and the County of Humboldt, to officially dedicate and name the soon to be constructed Honeydew Bridge after Supervisor George L. Hindley. He was an early settler to the Mattole Valley and the founder of the Hindley Ranch, currently still in operation through six-generations.

In 1857, as our family patriarch, George set out from the gold rush “fever” of Trinity County and the small town of Weaverville. Embarking on a journey that would change forever the future lives of generations in Humboldt County, both its residents and our family. He had heard many stories of the land, in the beautiful Mattole Valley, where the rain was plentiful and the land was rich. With his family of 12, he homesteaded the ranch of over 2,000 acres. It was here, with the perseverance that only a rancher could know, he provided for his family and offered the opportunity for work to many. Along with raising a variety of cattle, sheep, and hogs, the ranch developed 40 acres of orchards bearing apples, prunes, peaches and walnuts.

Great Grandfather George established himself as a well-respected and hardworking family man. Additionally, he was extensively involved with his Community and a committed public servant to the residents of Humboldt County.

George Hindley went on to be elected County Supervisor for multiple terms; serving from 1885 to 1888, and again from 1901 until his death in 1914. As a supervisor, he was held in high esteem throughout the County. Many credited his very passionate and dedicated leadership as instrumental in the building of Fernbridge and connecting the communities from both sides of the Eel River. He was referred to by many as the “Father of the Bridge”.

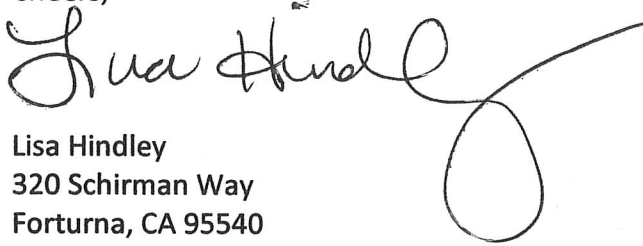
Records indicate that George also served as a member of the Humboldt County Courthouse Building Committee, the Ferndale Masonic Lodge #178, Ferndale Odd Fellow Lodge #220, the BPOE of Elks, as well as a member of the Knights of Pythias.

Through the generations, the Hindley family has also persevered, worked the land and adapted our business dynamics as the world around us has changed. We currently harvest organically grown hay; farming both wheat and rye. Proudly able to partner and sell to a local Humboldt County distillery.

Following George's lead, future generations of family have gone on to serve our country in the military; as well as supporting our local Community as County Supervisors, mayor, farmers, ranchers, bankers, business owners, dentist, contractors, law enforcement officers, firefighters, beauticians, educators, Humboldt County Fair Managers (yes we have had 2 of them!) and the list goes on....every family has a history and thanks to George's legacy ours is pretty darn awesome!

We are very appreciative for both your time and consideration.

Cheers,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Lisa Hindley". The signature is fluid and includes a large, decorative loop at the end.

Lisa Hindley  
320 Schirman Way  
Fortuna, CA 95540  
707-599-9088

April 11, 2025

Thomas K. Mattson  
Public Works Director  
County of Humboldt  
1106 Second Street  
Eureka, CA 95501

Mr. Mattson,

Our family is seeking support, from the local Community and the County of Humboldt, to officially dedicate and name the soon to be constructed Honeydew Bridge after Supervisor George L. Hindley. He was an early settler to the Mattole Valley and the founder of the Hindley Ranch, currently still in operation through six-generations.

In 1857, as our family patriarch, George set out from the gold rush “fever” of Trinity County and the small town of Weaverville. Embarking on a journey that would change forever the future lives of generations in Humboldt County, both its residents and our family. He had heard many stories of the land, in the beautiful Mattole Valley, where the rain was plentiful and the land was rich. With his family of 12, he homesteaded the ranch of over 2,000 acres. It was here, with the perseverance that only a rancher could know, he provided for his family and offered the opportunity for work to many. Along with raising a variety of cattle, sheep, and hogs, the ranch

developed 40 acres of orchards bearing apples, prunes, peaches and walnuts.

Great Grandfather George established himself as a well-respected and hardworking family man.

Additionally, he was extensively involved with his Community and a committed public servant to the residents of Humboldt County.

George Hindley went on to be elected County Supervisor for multiple terms; serving from 1885 to 1888, and again from 1901 until his death in 1914. As a supervisor, he was held in high esteem throughout the County. Many credited his very passionate and dedicated leadership as instrumental in the building of Fernbridge and connecting the communities from both sides of the Eel River. He was referred to by many as the “Father of the Bridge”.

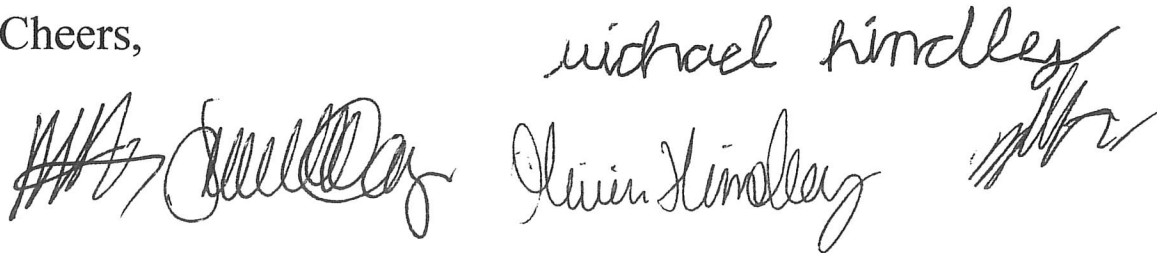
Records indicate that George also served as a member of the Humboldt County Courthouse Building Committee, the Ferndale Masonic Lodge #178, Ferndale Odd Fellow Lodge #220, the BPOE of Elks, as well as a member of the Knights of Pythias.

Through the generations, the Hindley family has also persevered, worked the land and adapted our business dynamics as the world around us has changed. We currently harvest organically grown hay; farming both wheat and rye. Proudly able to partner and sell to a local Humboldt County distillery.

Following George's lead, future generations of family have gone on to serve our country in the military; as well as supporting our local Community as County Supervisors, mayor, farmers, ranchers, bankers, business owners, dentist, contractors, law enforcement officers, firefighters, beauticians, educators, Humboldt County Fair Managers (yes we have had 2 of them!) and the list goes on....every family has a history and thanks to George's legacy ours is pretty darn awesome!

We are very appreciative for both your time and consideration.

Cheers,

Handwritten signatures of Scott, Jamie, Olivia, Michael, and Zach Hindley. The signatures are written in black ink and are arranged in a row. The signature for Michael Hindley is written in a larger, more prominent script above the others.

Scott, Jamie, Olivia, Michael, & Zach Hindley  
78 Viscount Lane  
Lake Havasu City, AZ 86403

June 30, 2025

Thomas K. Mattson  
Public Works Director  
County of Humboldt  
1106 Second Street  
Eureka, CA 95501

Mr. Mattson,

Our family is seeking support, from the local Community and the County of Humboldt, to officially dedicate and name the soon to be constructed Honeydew Bridge after Supervisor George L. Hindley. He was an early settler to the Mattole Valley and the founder of the Hindley Ranch, currently still in operation through six-generations.

In 1857, as our family patriarch, George set out from the gold rush “fever” of Trinity County and the small town of Weaverville. Embarking on a journey that would change forever the future lives of generations in Humboldt County, both its residents and our family. He had heard many stories of the land, in the beautiful Mattole Valley, where the rain was plentiful and the land was rich. With his family of 12, he homesteaded the ranch of over 2,000 acres. It was here, with the perseverance that only a rancher could know, he provided for his family and offered the opportunity for work to many. Along with raising a variety of cattle, sheep, and hogs, the ranch developed 40 acres of orchards bearing apples, prunes, peaches and walnuts.

Great Grandfather George established himself as a well-respected and hardworking family man. Additionally, he was extensively involved with his Community and a committed public servant to the residents of Humboldt County.

George Hindley went on to be elected County Supervisor for multiple terms; serving from 1885 to 1888, and again from 1901 until his death in 1914. As a supervisor, he was held in high esteem throughout the County. Many credited his very passionate and dedicated leadership as instrumental in the building of Fernbridge and connecting the communities from both sides of the Eel River. He was referred to by many as the “Father of the Bridge”.

Records indicate that George also served as a member of the Humboldt County Courthouse Building Committee, the Ferndale Masonic Lodge #178, Ferndale Odd Fellow Lodge #220, the BPOE of Elks, as well as a member of the Knights of Pythias.

Through the generations, the Hindley family has also persevered, worked the land and adapted our business dynamics as the world around us has changed. We currently harvest organically grown hay; farming both wheat and rye. Proudly able to partner and sell to a local Humboldt County distillery.

Following George's lead, future generations of family have gone on to serve our country in the military; as well as supporting our local Community as County Supervisors, mayor, farmers, ranchers, bankers, business owners, dentist, contractors, law enforcement officers, firefighters, beauticians, educators, Humboldt County Fair Managers (yes we have had 2 of them!) and the list goes on....every family has a history and thanks to George's legacy ours is pretty darn awesome!

We are very appreciative for both your time and consideration.

Cheers,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "David Krautkraemer", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

David Krautkraemer  
2640 Forest Court  
Redding, CA 96002

June 30, 2025

Thomas K. Mattson  
Public Works Director  
County of Humboldt  
1106 Second Street  
Eureka, CA 95501

Mr. Mattson,

Our family is seeking support, from the local Community and the County of Humboldt, to officially dedicate and name the soon to be constructed Honeydew Bridge after Supervisor George L. Hindley. He was an early settler to the Mattole Valley and the founder of the Hindley Ranch, currently still in operation through six-generations.

In 1857, as our family patriarch, George set out from the gold rush “fever” of Trinity County and the small town of Weaverville. Embarking on a journey that would change forever the future lives of generations in Humboldt County, both its residents and our family. He had heard many stories of the land, in the beautiful Mattole Valley, where the rain was plentiful and the land was rich. With his family of 12, he homesteaded the ranch of over 2,000 acres. It was here, with the perseverance that only a rancher could know, he provided for his family and offered the opportunity for work to many. Along with raising a variety of cattle, sheep, and hogs, the ranch developed 40 acres of orchards bearing apples, prunes, peaches and walnuts.

Great Grandfather George established himself as a well-respected and hardworking family man. Additionally, he was extensively involved with his Community and a committed public servant to the residents of Humboldt County.

George Hindley went on to be elected County Supervisor for multiple terms; serving from 1885 to 1888, and again from 1901 until his death in 1914. As a supervisor, he was held in high esteem throughout the County. Many credited his very passionate and dedicated leadership as instrumental in the building of Fernbridge and connecting the communities from both sides of the Eel River. He was referred to by many as the “Father of the Bridge”.

Records indicate that George also served as a member of the Humboldt County Courthouse Building Committee, the Ferndale Masonic Lodge #178, Ferndale Odd Fellow Lodge #220, the BPOE of Elks, as well as a member of the Knights of Pythias.

Through the generations, the Hindley family has also persevered, worked the land and adapted our business dynamics as the world around us has changed. We currently harvest organically grown hay; farming both wheat and rye. Proudly able to partner and sell to a local Humboldt County distillery.

Following George's lead, future generations of family have gone on to serve our country in the military; as well as supporting our local Community as County Supervisors, mayor, farmers, ranchers, bankers, business owners, dentist, contractors, law enforcement officers, firefighters, beauticians, educators, Humboldt County Fair Managers (yes we have had 2 of them!) and the list goes on....every family has a history and thanks to George's legacy ours is pretty darn awesome!

We are very appreciative for both your time and consideration.

Cheers,

Pamela Hindley Krautkraemer  
2640 Forest Court  
Redding, CA 96002

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Pamela Hindley Krautkraemer". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "P" and a long horizontal flourish at the end.

**Thomas K. Mattson**  
**Public Works Director**  
County of Humboldt  
1106 Second Street  
Eureka, CA 95501

**July 23, 2025**

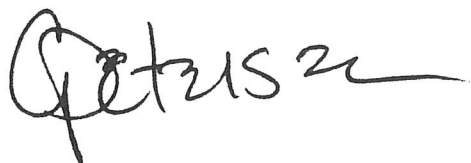
Dear Mr. Mattson,

I am writing in regards to the historic Honeydew Bridge replacement project currently being undertaken in the upper Mattole Valley. At some point the new bridge will be assigned a name. I'm aware that there is a process to name a bridge, highway or other public structure that might named in honor of persons whom resided within the county that have considerable contribution towards the history of the area, the public good and/or service of it, or possibly as a memorial to certain persons who also resided in our county that lost their lives in the course of their duties.

I would like to ask the County to consider naming the bridge after a late relative of mine, George Hindley (b.1846-d.1914) a person whom contributed greatly to the early development of transportation, trade and also a former Humboldt County supervisor. Mr. Hindley was a long term resident of the Mattole Valley, having established a large ranch in the late 1800s that with others, raised and supplied goods, produce and livestock to and from the valley, and to points far beyond Humboldt. His former ranch continues to this day and is one of the oldest still-operating ranches on the north coast, having attained semi-centennial (150 years) status by the State of California in 2022. Mr. Hindley had many achievements throughout the county as a businessperson and a public servant. Some of the more notable accomplishments were development of overland trade and transportation routes from the Mattole Valley to the Eel River valley and eventually the newly opened Northwest Pacific railroad. He was instrumental in the construction and opening of historic Fern Bridge while serving as county supervisor, a title he held for 14 years. He was a long standing member of various Eel River valley civic groups such as the Masons, Knights of Pythias, Odd Fellows and the Elks. Mr. Hindley was quite influential in early agriculture of southern Humboldt and the Mattole Valley.

Please consider honoring Mr. Hindley's county-wide achievements and timeless public service to the public good by naming the new bridge in his honor.

Cordially,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Corbett Petersen", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Corbett Petersen  
5300 Pinecrest Ct.  
Eureka, CA 95503  
tel. (707) 854-9138  
e-mail: [howfastwereyougoing@gmail.com](mailto:howfastwereyougoing@gmail.com)

April 15, 2025

Thomas K. Mattson  
Public Works Director  
County of Humboldt  
1106 Second Street  
Eureka, CA 95501

Mr. Mattson,

**Our family is seeking support, from the local Community and the County of Humboldt, to officially dedicate and name the soon to be constructed Honeydew Bridge after Supervisor George L. Hindley. He was an early settler to the Mattole Valley and the founder of the Hindley Ranch, currently still in operation through six-generations.**

In 1857, our Great Grandfather George left the gold rush “fever” town of Weaverville, and embarked on a journey that would change forever the future lives of generations of our family. With his family of 12, he homesteaded the ranch in Honeydew of over 2,000 acres. It was here, with the perseverance that only a rancher could know, he provided for his family and offered the opportunity for work to many. Along with raising a variety of cattle, sheep, and hogs, the ranch developed 40 acres of orchards bearing apples, prunes, peaches and walnuts.

Over time, our Great Grandfather George became more involved with his community and serving the residents of Humboldt County. He went on to be elected County Supervisor from 1885 to 1888, and again from 1901 until his death in 1914. As a supervisor, he was held in high esteem throughout the County. Many credited his very passionate and dedicated leadership as instrumental in the building of Fernbridge, connecting the communities from both sides of the Eel River. He was referred to by many as the “Father of the Bridge”.

Through the generations, the Hindley family has also persevered, working the land and adapting to the world around us. We still farm in the Mattole Valley, harvesting organically grown hay, and grow wheat and rye for local businesses. We have gone on to serve in the military, serve as county supervisors, mayor, farmers, ranchers, nurses, bankers, business owners, dentist, contractors, law enforcement officers, firefighters, beauticians, educators, and Humboldt County Fair Managers (yes, we have had 2 of them!). Our Great Grandfather’s legacy of service and dedication for the residents of Humboldt County is still very much alive in his descendents.

Naming the new Honeydew Bridge after Supervisor George L. Hindley would be a great honor to his legacy and our family as we continue to contribute to our communities in Humboldt County.

Best Regards,

Lisa Jo Hindley  
1404 NE 152 Ave  
Vancouver, WA 98684

April 1, 2025

Thomas K. Mattson  
Public Works Director  
County of Humboldt  
1106 Second Street  
Eureka, CA 95501

Mr. Mattson,

Our family is seeking support, from the local Community and the County of Humboldt, to officially dedicate and name the soon to be constructed Honeydew Bridge after Supervisor George L. Hindley. He was an early settler to the Mattole Valley and the founder of the Hindley Ranch, currently still in operation through six-generations.

In 1857, as our family patriarch, George set out from the gold rush "fever" of Trinity County and the small town of Weaverville. Embarking on a journey that would change forever the future lives of generations in Humboldt County, both its residents and our family. He had heard many stories of the land, in the beautiful Mattole Valley, where the rain was plentiful and the land was rich. With his family of 12, he homesteaded the ranch of over 2,000 acres. It was here, with the perseverance that only a rancher could know, he provided for his family and offered the opportunity for work to many. Along with raising a variety of cattle, sheep, and hogs, the ranch developed 40 acres of orchards bearing apples, prunes, peaches and walnuts.

Great Grandfather George established himself as a well-respected and hardworking family man. Additionally, he was extensively involved with his Community and a committed public servant to the residents of Humboldt County.

George Hindley went on to be elected County Supervisor for multiple terms; serving from 1885 to 1888, and again from 1901 until his death in 1914. As a supervisor, he was held in high esteem throughout the County. Many credited his very passionate and dedicated leadership as instrumental in the building of Fernbridge and connecting the communities from both sides of the Eel River. He was referred to by many as the "Father of the Bridge".

Records indicate that George also served as a member of the Humboldt County Courthouse Building Committee, the Ferndale Masonic Lodge #178, Ferndale Odd Fellow Lodge #220, the BPOE of Elks, as well as a member of the Knights of Pythias.

Through the generations, the Hindley family has also persevered, worked the land and adapted our business dynamics as the world around us has changed. We currently harvest organically grown hay; farming both wheat and rye. Proudly able to partner and sell to a local Humboldt County distillery.

April 1, 2025

Thomas K. Mattson  
Public Works Director  
County of Humboldt  
1106 Second Street  
Eureka, CA 95501

Mr. Mattson,

Our family is seeking support, from the local Community and the County of Humboldt, to officially dedicate and name the soon to be constructed Honeydew Bridge after Supervisor George L. Hindley. He was an early settler to the Mattole Valley and the founder of the Hindley Ranch, currently still in operation through six generations.

In 1857, as our family patriarch, George set out from the gold rush "fever" of Trinity County and the small town of Weaverville. Embarking on a journey that would change forever the future lives of generations in Humboldt County, both its residents and our family. He had heard many stories of the land, in the beautiful Mattole Valley, where the rain was plentiful and the land was rich. With his family of 12, he homesteaded the ranch of over 2,000 acres. It was here, with the perseverance that only a rancher could know, he provided for his family and offered the opportunity for work to many. Along with raising a variety of cattle, sheep, and hogs, the ranch developed 40 acres of orchards bearing apples, prunes, peaches and walnuts.

Great Grandfather George established himself as a well-respected and hardworking family man. Additionally, he was extensively involved with his Community and a committed public servant to the residents of Humboldt County.

George Hindley went on to be elected County Supervisor for multiple terms; serving from 1885 to 1888, and again from 1901 until his death in 1914. As a supervisor, he was held in high esteem throughout the County. Many credited his very passionate and dedicated leadership as instrumental in the building of Fernbridge and connecting the communities from both sides of the Eel River. He was referred to by many as the "Father of the Bridge".

Records indicate that George also served as a member of the Humboldt County Courthouse Building Committee, the Ferndale Masonic Lodge #178, Ferndale Odd Fellow Lodge #220, the BPOE of Elks, as well as a member of the Knights of Pythias.

Through the generations, the Hindley family has also persevered, worked the land and adapted our business dynamics as the world around us has changed. We currently harvest organically grown hay; farming both wheat and rye. Proudly able to partner and sell to a local Humboldt County distillery.

Following George's lead, future generations of family have gone on to serve our country in the military; as well as supporting our local Community as County Supervisors, mayor, farmers, ranchers, bankers, business owners, dentist, contractors, law enforcement officers, firefighters, beauticians, educators, Humboldt County Fair Managers (yes we have had 2 of them!) and the list goes on....every family has a history and thanks to George's legacy ours is pretty darn awesome!

We are very appreciative for both your time and consideration.

Cheers,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Kimberly A. Hindley". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above the printed name.



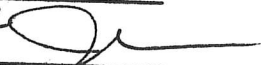



Kimberly Hindley  
PO Box 221  
Ferndale, CA 95536

We the undersigned residents and friends of the Mattole Valley urge the County of Humboldt to officially name the Honeydew bridge crossing the Mattole River on the Mattole Road at Honeydew the Supervisor George Hindley Memorial Bridge and to place signs thereto that effect. We ask this to commemorate, for present and future generations, the great contributions that Supervisor George Hindley made to the Mattole Valley, the Eel River Valley and the County of Humboldt.

| Name (Please print)      | Address                                               | Signature         |
|--------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------|-------------------|
| 1. Trish Stefanik        | Box 42 Petrolia                                       | Trish Stefanik    |
| 2. Greg Bacchetti        | # 51 Petrolia                                         | Greg Bacchetti    |
| 3. Denise Goforth        | Box 172 - Petrolia                                    | Denise Goforth    |
| 4. Nichole Stephens      | Box 89 Petrolia                                       | Nichole Stephens  |
| 5. SALLY ANDERSON        | Box 224 Petrolia                                      | Sally Anderson    |
| 6. Margit Cook           | Box 134 Petrolia                                      | Margit Cook       |
| 7. John Mason Brown      | Box 30 Petrolia                                       | John Mason Brown  |
| 8. Thomas Clark          | Box 206, Petrolia                                     | THOMAS CLARK      |
| 9. Laura Short           | Box 82 Petrolia                                       | Laura Short       |
| 10. Brandelyn Randall    | Gen. Delivery Petrolia                                | Brandelyn Randall |
| 11. Gary Peterson        | POB 229, Petrolia                                     | Gary Peterson     |
| 12. Carl Edwards         | 27145 Mattole Rd Ferndale                             | Carl Edwards      |
| 13. Lindsay Mervin       | 37375 Mattole Rd Petrolia 95558                       | Lindsay Mervin    |
| 14. Cindy Lyman          | Cindy Lyman 545 CONKLIN GREGG RD. Petrolia 95558-0067 | Cindy Lyman       |
| 15. Cindy Chadwick       | CINDY CHADWICK 2054 Lighthouse Rd. Petrolia 95558     | Cindy Chadwick    |
| 16. Chadler Lora         | 51502 Mattole road Honeydew Ca. 95545                 | Chadler Lora      |
| 17. Camille Soreni       | P.O. Box 41 Petrolia                                  | Camille Soreni    |
| 18. Sandy Antonson       | P.O. Box 2 Petrolia                                   | Sandy Antonson    |
| 19. Charlie Solo         | " " "                                                 | Charlie Solo      |
| 20. Lana Walker (Coosky) | 544 Ocean Fir Rd, Petrolia                            | Lana Walker       |

February 25, 2025

We the undersigned residents and friends of the Mattole Valley urge the County of Humboldt to officially name the Honeydew bridge crossing the Mattole River on the Mattole Road at Honeydew the Supervisor George Hindley Memorial Bridge and to place signs thereto that effect. We ask this to commemorate, for present and future generations, the great contributions that Supervisor George Hindley made to the Mattole Valley, the Eel River Valley and the County of Humboldt.

| Name (Please print)  | Address                               | Signature                                                                             |
|----------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1. Kerley Borges     | 3937-Loop Ct Fertuna                  |    |
| 2. MARIEL HERBERT    | 150 CEDAR ST<br>RIO DEL               | MARIEL HERBERT                                                                        |
| 3. Elijah Kirk       | 190 Jaymar LN carlotta                |    |
| 4. John Coleman      | 1263 Monument Rd. Rio Dell, Ca. 95562 |    |
| 5. Virginia Coleman  | 1263 monument Rd Rio Dell, Ca.        | Virginia Coleman                                                                      |
| 6. A. E. BELLAIRS    | 3356 UTAH ST EUREKA                   | A E Bellair                                                                           |
| 7. IRIS DOBSON       | P.O. BOX 224                          |    |
| 8. DYAN CUSHING      | PO BOX 41 Petrolia                    | Dyan Cushing                                                                          |
| 9. Rex H Behn        | 1468 CHABOT CT EKA                    |  |
| 10. Michael Evens    | PO Box 157 Petrolia                   | MICHAEL EVENS                                                                         |
| 11. GREG SMITH       | PO BOX 38 PETROLIA                    | Greg Smith                                                                            |
| 12. Margaret Smith   | PO BOX 38 Petrolia                    | MARGARET SMITH                                                                        |
| 13. E. C. Taylor     | P.O. Box 60 Petrolia Ca               | E. C. Taylor                                                                          |
| 14. William Etter    | Po Box 41 Honeydew Ca                 | William Etter                                                                         |
| 15. Carolina etter   | Po box 41 honeydew CA                 | Carolina ett                                                                          |
| 16. Valeri Michailov | 6165 Welder                           |  |
| 17. Ashly            | Carroll Rd<br>375 Loleta 95551        | Ashly                                                                                 |
| 18. Andy Ash         | 375 Carroll Rd Loleta                 | Andy Ash                                                                              |
| 19. GARY HAGA        | Honeydew                              | Gary Haga                                                                             |
| 20. Kathryn Radke    | 29005 Mattole Rd. Petrolia            | Kathryn Radke                                                                         |

February 25, 2025

We the undersigned residents and friends of the Mattole Valley urge the County of Humboldt to officially name the Honeydew bridge crossing the Mattole River on the Mattole Road at Honeydew the Supervisor George Hindley Memorial Bridge and to place signs thereto that effect. We ask this to commemorate, for present and future generations, the great contributions that Supervisor George Hindley made to the Mattole Valley, the Eel River Valley and the County of Humboldt.

Name (Please print)                      Address                                      Signature

1. Elizabeth Wells 415 Conklin Creek Rd #147 Elizabeth Wells

2. ~~John G. Williams~~

3. John G. Williams 29665 Mattole Rd <sup>72 miles</sup> John G. Williams

4. Rory Kennedy PO BOX 153 Honeydew R Kennedy

5. Jim Bowden "1" "2" Jim Bowden

6. Bob Johnson 36328 Mattole Rd Redwood Bob Johnson

7. \_\_\_\_\_

8. \_\_\_\_\_

9. \_\_\_\_\_

10. \_\_\_\_\_

11. \_\_\_\_\_

12. \_\_\_\_\_

13. \_\_\_\_\_

14. \_\_\_\_\_

15. \_\_\_\_\_

16. \_\_\_\_\_

17. \_\_\_\_\_




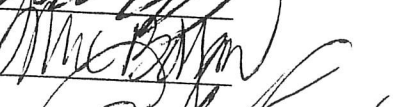
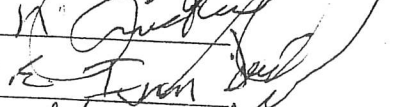
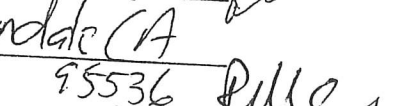

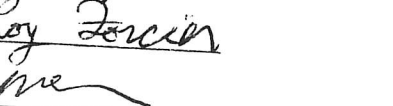
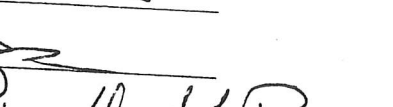
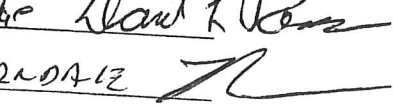

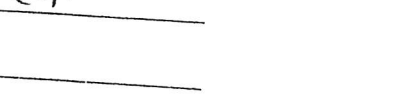




18. \_\_\_\_\_

19. \_\_\_\_\_

20. \_\_\_\_\_

We the undersigned residents and friends of the Mattole Valley urge the County of Humboldt to officially name the Honeydew bridge crossing the Mattole River on the Mattole Road at Honeydew the Supervisor George Hindley Memorial Bridge and to place signs thereto that effect. We ask this to commemorate, for present and future generations, the great contributions that Supervisor George Hindley made to the Mattole Valley, the Eel River Valley and the County of Humboldt.

P276





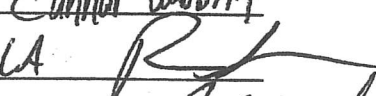



| Name (Please print)  | Address                            | Signature                                                                             |
|----------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1. BRADY GITTINS     | 2322 HANNAH CT. FERNA              |    |
| 2. JOHN SNYDER       | 390 Center St Rio Dell             |    |
| 3. Nichole Stephens  | P.O. Box 89 Petrolia               |    |
| 4. CLAY ERNST        | PO BOX 53 FERNDALE                 |    |
| 5. Frank Christensen | 4841 Rickson Dr. <sup>95503</sup>  |   |
| 6. Tricia Byron      | PO Box 995 Ferndale                |  |
| 7. GIANNA RANDALL    | Shaw House in Rio Dell             |  |
| 8. JORDAN RANDALL    | Shaw House in Rio Dell             |  |
| 9. Mary Beth Ba      | 1796 Port Koyunk Ferndale CA       |  |
| 10. Robert McPeters  | 561 Main St Ferndale 95536         |  |
| 11. Bambi L Anderson | 594 Arlington Ave Ferndale 95536   |  |
| 12. Roy Forcier      | 5795 Grizzly Bluff Rd Ferndale     |  |
| 13. Sarah McEann     | 2494 Grizzly Bluff Rd. Ferndale    |  |
| 14. Zach Rocha       | 157 Fernbridge Drive Fortuna       |  |
| 15. David Renner     | 1312 Pleasant Point Rd Ferndale    |  |
| 16. RICK BERBANK     | 1433 GRIZZLY BLUFF RD FERNDALIE    |  |
| 17. Phillip Ostler   | 427 MAIN ST. FERNDALIE, CA         |  |
| 18. Martin Adams     | 7800 Grizzly Bluff Rd Ferndale Ca. |                                                                                       |
| 19.                  |                                    |                                                                                       |
| 20.                  |                                    |                                                                                       |

We the undersigned residents and friends of the Mattole Valley urge the County of Humboldt to officially name the Honeydew bridge crossing the Mattole River on the Mattole Road at Honeydew the Supervisor George L. Hindley Memorial Bridge and to place signs thereto that effect. We ask this to commemorate, for present and future generations, the great contributions that Supervisor George L. Hindley made to the Mattole Valley, the Eel River Valley and the County of Humboldt.

| Name (Please print)      | Address                                                            | Signature |
|--------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| 1. Garnet Rigby-Wharton  | 220 Highland Ranch Rd<br>Grants Pass, OR 97526 - Formerly Ferndale |           |
| 2. Kristin Cotten        | 2633 Forest Ct.<br>Redding CA 96002                                |           |
| 3. Corey R Brunelle      | 2633 Forest Ct<br>Redding, CA 96002                                |           |
| 4. Shelly Brunelle       | 2633 Forest Ct<br>Redding, CA 96002                                |           |
| 5. Guadalupe Montero     | 2600 Forest Ct<br>Redding, CA 96002                                |           |
| 6. Fredy Taxari          | 2600 Forest Ct<br>Redding, CA 96002                                |           |
| 7. Sebastian Taxari      | 2650 Forest Ct<br>Redding, CA 96002                                |           |
| 8. Cate Boyle            | 2600 Forest Ct<br>Redding, CA 96002                                |           |
| 9. MARIA MAGANA          | 2600 Forest Ct<br>Redding, CA 96002                                |           |
| 10. Santiago Taxari      | 2600 Forest Ct<br>Redding, CA 96002                                |           |
| 11. KRAUTKRAEMER, JESSE  | 4757 LOCH PL<br>SHASTA LAKE, CA 96019                              |           |
| 12. KRAUTKRAEMER, LAURET | 4757 LOCH PL.<br>SHASTA LAKE, CA 96019                             |           |
| 13. Patrick Ely          | 1676 Diamond St<br>Anderson, CA 96007                              |           |
| 14. Blake Linsford       | 2278 Christian Ave<br>Redding, CA 96002                            |           |
| 15. BRENDON FROST        | 2896 HAWN AVE<br>REDDING, CA 96002                                 |           |
| 16. John Spangrude       | 2600 Shady Ln<br>Anderson, CA 96007                                |           |
| 17. Nick Meyer           | 2135 PARIS AVE<br>REDDING, CA 96001                                |           |
| 18. James Bernhard       | 3256 Cory Ln<br>Anderson, CA 96007                                 |           |
| 19. Connor Babovic       | 13740 Beacon St<br>Shasta Lake, CA 96089                           |           |
| 20. Amy Spaulding        | 5554 Jans Ct.<br>Redding, CA 96003                                 |           |

February 25, 2025


We the undersigned residents and friends of the Mattole Valley urge the County of Humboldt to officially name the Honeydew bridge crossing the Mattole River on the Mattole Road at Honeydew the Supervisor George L. Hindley Memorial Bridge and to place signs thereto that effect. We ask this to commemorate, for present and future generations, the great contributions that Supervisor George L. Hindley made to the Mattole Valley, the Eel River Valley and the County of Humboldt.

| Name (Please print)  | Address                                | Signature                                                                             |
|----------------------|----------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1. John Rivera       | 20975 Beagle St<br>Cottonwood CA 96002 |    |
| 2. Cody Bass         | 18346 Cheryl Ln<br>Cottonwood CA 96022 |    |
| 3. Peter Saechew     | 1817 Manchester<br>Redding Ca 96002    |    |
| 4. Kioni Saechew     | 1066 Bond St 96002                     |    |
| 5. Connor Babbitt    | 3119 Agassiz lane                      | Connor Babbitt                                                                        |
| 6. Ron Lovan         | 3806 Cambria Dr. Redding CA            |    |
| 7. Josh Miles        | 1825 Wisconsin Ave Redding CA          |    |
| 8. Rick Adkins       | 19837 Tedrock mt Pl. Cottonwoods CA    |   |
| 9. Nick Krauskraemer | 2640 Forest Ct. Redding Ca             |  |
| 10.                  |                                        |                                                                                       |
| 11.                  |                                        |                                                                                       |
| 12.                  |                                        |                                                                                       |
| 13.                  |                                        |                                                                                       |
| 14.                  |                                        |                                                                                       |
| 15.                  |                                        |                                                                                       |
| 16.                  |                                        |                                                                                       |
| 17.                  |                                        |                                                                                       |
| 18.                  |                                        |                                                                                       |
| 19.                  |                                        |                                                                                       |
| 20.                  |                                        |                                                                                       |

We the undersigned residents and friends of the Mattole Valley urge the County of Humboldt to officially name the Honeydew bridge crossing the Mattole River on the Mattole Road at Honeydew the Supervisor George L. Hindley Memorial Bridge and to place signs thereto that effect. We ask this to commemorate, for present and future generations, the great contributions that Supervisor George L. Hindley made to the Mattole Valley, the Eel River Valley and the County of Humboldt.

| Name (Please print)                                    | Address                                     | Signature                  |
|--------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1. Amy Bohner                                          | PO Box 4154 Arcata, CA 95518                | <i>Amy Bohner</i>          |
| 2. S Bohner                                            | PO Box 4154 Arcata, CA 95518                | <i>S Bohner</i>            |
| 3. Diane Renner                                        | 3840 Tompkins Hill Coleta, CA 95531         | <i>Diane Renner</i>        |
| 4. Juanta Petersen                                     | P.O. Box 1054, Ferndale, CA 95536           | <i>Juanta Petersen</i>     |
| 5. Nadene Bass                                         | 35 Arlington Ferndale, CA 95536             | <i>Nadene Bass</i>         |
| 6. Peter S. Banson                                     | P.O. Box 95, Ferndale, CA 95536             | <i>Peter S. Banson</i>     |
| 7. Denise Cahill                                       | PO Box 153, Ferndale, CA 95536              | <i>Denise Cahill</i>       |
| 8. Deborah Silva                                       | PO Box 93, Ferndale, CA 95536               | <i>Deborah Silva</i>       |
| 9. Leslie Scott                                        | 5380 Noe Ave Eureka, CA 95533               | <i>Leslie Scott</i>        |
| 10. Samantha Senestraro                                | 216 Trident Ln Ferndale, CA 95536           | <i>Samantha Senestraro</i> |
| 11. Kim Higgins                                        | PO Box 632, Fortuna, CA 95531               | <i>Kim Higgins</i>         |
| 12. Dana Ponci                                         | 3245 Rancheria Rd. Fortuna, CA 95531        | <i>Dana Ponci</i>          |
| 13. Blake Miranda                                      | 281 Sunnybrook Fortuna, CA 95531            | <i>Blake Miranda</i>       |
| 14. <del>KATH MUM</del>                                | 281 Sunnybrook NR. Fortuna, CA 95531        | <i>[Signature]</i>         |
| 15. Rebecca Senestraro                                 | 3970 Schneiderville Rd. Fortuna, CA 95531   | <i>Rebecca Senestraro</i>  |
| 16. <del>LARRY BEEI 2150 KAWAHO RD FORTUNA 95531</del> | <del>2150 Kawaho Rd Fortuna, CA 95531</del> | <del>[Signature]</del>     |
| 17. Mitzi Whitley                                      | PO Box 147 Ferndale, CA 95536               | <i>Mitzi Whitley</i>       |
| 18. SARAH MOEA                                         | 500 Riverbar Rd Fortuna, CA 95531           | <i>Sarah Moea</i>          |
| 19. Angela Hall                                        | 888 Rigby Ave Rio Dell, CA 95562            | <i>Angela Hall</i>         |
| 20. Leo Basior                                         | Po. Box 1361, Ferndale, CA 95536            | <i>Leo Basior</i>          |

We the undersigned residents and friends of the Mattole Valley urge the County of Humboldt to officially name the Honeydew bridge crossing the Mattole River on the Mattole Road at Honeydew the Supervisor George L. Hindley Memorial Bridge and to place signs thereto that effect. We ask this to commemorate, for present and future generations, the great contributions that Supervisor George L. Hindley made to the Mattole Valley, the Eel River Valley and the County of Humboldt.

| Name (Please print) | Address                   | Signature                                                                           |
|---------------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1. Carolyn Polasek  | 1693 Port Ferndale Kenyon |  |
| 2.                  |                           |                                                                                     |
| 3.                  |                           |                                                                                     |
| 4.                  |                           |                                                                                     |
| 5.                  |                           |                                                                                     |
| 6.                  |                           |                                                                                     |
| 7.                  |                           |                                                                                     |
| 8.                  |                           |                                                                                     |
| 9.                  |                           |                                                                                     |
| 10.                 |                           |                                                                                     |
| 11.                 |                           |                                                                                     |
| 12.                 |                           |                                                                                     |
| 13.                 |                           |                                                                                     |
| 14.                 |                           |                                                                                     |
| 15.                 |                           |                                                                                     |
| 16.                 |                           |                                                                                     |
| 17.                 |                           |                                                                                     |
| 18.                 |                           |                                                                                     |
| 19.                 |                           |                                                                                     |
| 20.                 |                           |                                                                                     |

We the undersigned residents and friends of the Mattole Valley urge the County of Humboldt to officially name the Honeydew bridge crossing the Mattole River on the Mattole Road at Honeydew the Supervisor George Hindley Memorial Bridge and to place signs thereto that effect. We ask this to commemorate, for present and future generations, the great contributions that Supervisor George Hindley made to the Mattole Valley, the Eel River Valley and the County of Humboldt.

| Name (Please print)   | Address                                  | Signature         |
|-----------------------|------------------------------------------|-------------------|
| 1. JIMMIE TUEY        | P.O. BOX 237 CARLOTTA CA 95528           | Jimmie Tuey       |
| 2. TROY LAND          | 5130 MILL ST FORTUNA-CA 95540            | Troy Land         |
| 3. maria Laloli       | 5139 mill Str Fortuna, ca 95540          | maria Laloli      |
| 4. DENNIS Fabel       | 1555 MARKET ST FERNDALE CA 95536         | Dennis Fabel      |
| 5. Daniel Lawrence    | 470 4th St Ferndale Ca 95536             | Daniel Lawrence   |
| 6. RONALD O'DAY       | 18100 RONALD AVE FORTUNA CA 95540        | Ronald O'Day      |
| 7. Mark Lemmings      | 434 Harbers Ln, Ferndale CA 95536        | Mark Lemmings     |
| 8. Frank Cook         | 639 Summer St. FORTUNA, Ca, 95540        | Frank Cook        |
| 9. Kenny Simpson      | 1726 Port Kenyon Road Ferndale CA 95536  | Kenny Simpson     |
| 10. Jim Groeling      | 1535 LIGHTHOUSE RD PETROLIA P.O. BOX 117 | Jim Groeling      |
| 11. Mark & Penny      | 1312 Pleasant Pt Rd Ferndale Ca          | Mark & Penny      |
| 12. Lemmings          | 4009 CANCELLY BLVD FERNDALE CA           | Lemmings          |
| 13. Stephanie Maggied | 485 Berry creek ave SA                   | Stephanie Maggied |
| 14. Paul Skotlek      | 2830 Kirkly Fortuna                      | Paul Skotlek      |
| 15. Rocky Crowl       | 205 Rebecca lane Fortuna Roeny           | Rocky Crowl       |
| 16. Robert Marler     | 37540 Mattole Rd Petrolia Ca 95558       | Robert Marler     |
| 17. Ulla B Steiny     | 37540 Mattole Rd Petrolia CA 95558       | Ulla B Steiny     |
| 18. CLAY ERNST        | 647 FERN AVE, FERNDALE CA 95536          | Clay Ernst        |
| 19. Steve Rounden     | 2990 Mattole rd. Ferndale CA 95536       | Steve Rounden     |
| 20. Robin Renner      | 9104 Blue Slide Rd Ferndale CA 95536     | Robin Renner      |

Robert Marler  
Ulla B Steiny  
Stephanie Maggied

We the undersigned residents and friends of the Mattole Valley urge the County of Humboldt to officially name the Honeydew bridge crossing the Mattole River on the Mattole Road at Honeydew the Supervisor George Hindley Memorial Bridge and to place signs thereto that effect. We ask this to commemorate, for present and future generations, the great contributions that Supervisor George Hindley made to the Mattole Valley, the Eel River Valley and the County of Humboldt.

| Name (Please print)                                          | Address                               | Signature                                                        |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1. Andrew Sawyer                                             | 41774 Mattole Rd                      | [Signature]                                                      |
| 2. Laura Walker Coosby                                       | 1544 Green Fir Rd., Petrolia, CA 9588 | Laura Coosby <small>I may have already signed digitally.</small> |
| 3. <del>Thomas Dunklin</del>                                 | <del>251 EVERGREEN PETR.</del>        | <del>[Signature]</del>                                           |
| 4. Dan Weaver                                                | 4707 Conklin Creed Rd.                | [Signature]                                                      |
| 5. <del>[Name]</del>                                         | <del>1415 TOLBACCO RD</del>           | <del>[Signature]</del>                                           |
| 6. Marcia Ehrlich                                            | 1134 Chambers Rd Petrolia             | [Signature]                                                      |
| 7. <del>[Name]</del>                                         | <del>[Address]</del>                  | <del>[Signature]</del>                                           |
| 8. KENNY DEMIELLO                                            | 3539 Trinity St Fortuna, CA           | [Signature]                                                      |
| 9. KAREN HOSKINA                                             | 3539 Trinity St Fortuna CA            | [Signature]                                                      |
| 10. Mary Jo Renner                                           | 109 Dunaway Ct Fortuna                | [Signature]                                                      |
| 11. James Renner                                             | 109 Dunaway Ct Fortuna                | [Signature]                                                      |
| 12. Mary Ann Hansen                                          | PO Box 95 Ferndale                    | [Signature]                                                      |
| 13. Edwin Dotson                                             | 2751 Murray Ct Fortuna                | [Signature]                                                      |
| 14. Rick Slack                                               | 1175 Freshwater Rd Eureka             | [Signature]                                                      |
| 15. Kim Slack                                                | 1175 Freshwater Rd Eureka             | [Signature]                                                      |
| 16. JAY RUSS                                                 | 3592 Centerville Rd Ferndale          | [Signature]                                                      |
| 17. LINDSAY DWELLEY RUSS                                     | 3592 Centerville Rd Ferndale          | [Signature]                                                      |
| 18. Andrew Wilson                                            | 45 Chapman Ln Carlotta CA             | [Signature]                                                      |
| 19. <del>[Name]</del> Crista Nelson                          | 413 Chapman Ln Carlotta               | [Signature]                                                      |
| 20. Jason <sup>Jason</sup> <del>Jason</del> <sub>Quach</sub> | 781 Pacific Ave Rio Dell              | [Signature]                                                      |

February 25, 2025

We the undersigned residents and friends of the Mattole Valley urge the County of Humboldt to officially name the Honeydew bridge crossing the Mattole River on the Mattole Road at Honeydew the Supervisor George Hindley Memorial Bridge and to place signs thereto that effect. We ask this to commemorate, for present and future generations, the great contributions that Supervisor George Hindley made to the Mattole Valley, the Eel River Valley and the County of Humboldt.

| Name (Please print) | Address                             | Signature      |
|---------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------|
| 1. Patti Marshall   | PO Box 1333 Ferndale                | Patti Marshall |
| 2. CORY NUNES       | P.O. BOX 1343 FERNDALLES            | [Signature]    |
| 3. Felice Phillips  | PO BOX 733 Ferndale                 | Felice Phillf. |
| 4. Mike Acorn       | 116 Fairview Dr Ferndale            | [Signature]    |
| 5. Glen Martella    | 1060 Ross Ave Ferndale              | Glen Martella  |
| 6. Jennifer Bize    | 305 Meridian Rd, Ferndale           | [Signature]    |
| 7. Nicole Bize      | 305 Meridian Rd, Ferndale           | [Signature]    |
| 8. Sharon Chisum    | 305 Meridian Rd, Ferndale           | Sharon Chisum  |
| 9. Kelly Allen      | PO Box 551 Ferndale                 | Kelly Allen    |
| 10. Sharrn Lutz     | 1288 Waddington Rd Ferndale         | [Signature]    |
| 11. Renee Renner    | 9300 Blue Stiefel Ferndale          | Renee Renner   |
| 12. Brenna Russ     | P.O. Box 1162 Ferndale              | Brenna Russ    |
| 13. Jenome Dawk     | 170 Graywood Ct Ferndale            | [Signature]    |
| 14. LEONARD LUND    | P.O. BOX 1162 FERNDALLES            | [Signature]    |
| 15. Katic Russ      | PO Box 118 1075 Grant Ave. Ferndale | Katic Russ     |
| 16. DAVID HINDLEY   | PO. BOX 1321 FERNDALLES             | David Hindley  |
| 17. James Russ      | PO Box 118 Ferndale 1075 Grant Ave. | James Russ     |
| 18. Ranny Rayl      | P.O. Box 1204 Ferndale              | [Signature]    |
| 19. Andrew Boyd     | PO. Box 994 Ferndale                | Andrew Boyd    |
| 20. Nathan Ohlssen  | 6535 Templehill Rd Ldaly            | [Signature]    |

February 25, 2025

We the undersigned residents and friends of the Mattole Valley urge the County of Humboldt to officially name the Honeydew bridge crossing the Mattole River on the Mattole Road at Honeydew the Supervisor George Hindley Memorial Bridge and to place signs thereto that effect. We ask this to commemorate, for present and future generations, the great contributions that Supervisor George Hindley made to the Mattole Valley, the Eel River Valley and the County of Humboldt.

| Name (Please print)    | Address                                           | Signature           |
|------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|---------------------|
| 1. Ariel Wise          | 474 Spring St. Fortuna                            | Ariel Wise          |
| 2. Jewelene Huddleston | 1848 Tompkins Hill Rd. Loleta, CA                 | Jewelene Huddleston |
| 3. Corrie Pedro        | 441 1090 Cream Ct., Ferndale, CA                  | Corrie Pedro        |
| 4. Patricia Sorci      | 2070 S. 2nd Ave Fortuna CA                        | Patricia Sorci      |
| 5. Shelly Standley     | 2115 Everding St, Eureka, CA 95503                | Shelly Standley     |
| 6. Laurie Clendenen    | 2075 Hillside Dr. Fortuna, CA                     | Laurie Clendenen    |
| 7. Laura Shaver        | 3578 Edgewood Rd Eureka Ca                        | Laura Shaver        |
| 8. Jana Reveles        | 1800 Kenmar Rd Fortuna, CA                        | Jana Reveles        |
| 9. Monica Dekat        | 505 Packland St. Apt. B Arcata, CA 95521          | Monica Dekat        |
| 10. Renee Schoenhofer  | 2915 Rock Springs Rd, <sup>Hydesville 95542</sup> | Renee Schoenhofer   |
| 11. KEN D MISENER      | 2415 Union St Eureka                              | Ken D Misener       |
| 12. Robert W. Wilson   | 2988 Van Orman St Fortuna Ca.                     | Robert W. Wilson    |
| 13. Kim Hindley        | 560 Arlington Ave Ferndale                        | Kim Hindley         |
| 14. Gina Short         | PO Box 894, Ferndale                              | Gina Short          |
| 15. David Short        | PO Box 894, Ferndale                              | David Short         |
| 16. Kathryn Dolcini    | PO Box 65 Ferndale                                | Kathryn Dolcini     |
| 17. Robert Dolcini     | PO Box 65 ferndale                                | Robert Dolcini      |
| 18. Liana Hollar       | 2258 Kipling Dr. Eureka, CA 95503                 | Liana Hollar        |
| 19. Karla Tice         | 70 Barscape Ln Eureka, CA 95503                   | Karla Tice          |
| 20. Richard Tice       | 70 Barscape Ln. Eureka, CA 95503                  | Richard Tice        |

February 25, 2025



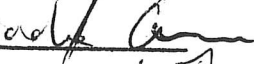


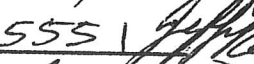


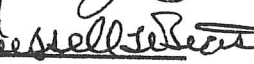



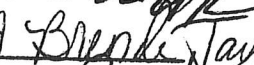

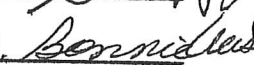
We the undersigned residents and friends of the Mattole Valley urge the County of Humboldt to officially name the Honeydew bridge crossing the Mattole River on the Mattole Road at Honeydew the Supervisor George Hindley Memorial Bridge and to place signs thereto that effect. We ask this to commemorate, for present and future generations, the great contributions that Supervisor George Hindley made to the Mattole Valley, the Eel River Valley and the County of Humboldt.

| Name (Please print)        | Address                              | Signature            |
|----------------------------|--------------------------------------|----------------------|
| 1. Jennifer Lu Fisk-Becker | 391 Shaw Ave Ferndale                | Jennifer Fisk-Becker |
| 2. Phillip Ostler          | 427 Main St Ferndale                 | Phillip Ostler       |
| 3. Bill Baker              | 351 Shaw Ave Ferndale CA 95536       | Bill Baker           |
| 4. Steve Nelson            | 360 CRAIG ST FERNDAL                 | Steve Nelson         |
| 5. Walt Scilacci           | 3225 Goble Ln Ferndale               | Walt Scilacci        |
| 6. Javed Lund              | 1651 Port Kenyon RD Ferndale         | Javed Lund           |
| 7. Tom West                | 199 South In Ln Ferndale             | Tom West             |
| 8. Shelby Lund             | 1651 Port Kenyon Road Ferndale       | Shelby Lund          |
| 9. Cynthia Lee Lora        | 199 Sauttini Dr Ferndale             | Cynthia Lee Lora     |
| 10. Dylan Colver           | 942 Elizabeth Barcos Way Fortuna, CA | Dylan Colver         |
| 11. Melissa Loder          | 3945 Cedar Ct Fortuna, CA            | Melissa Loder        |
| 12. Adalid Gonzalez        | 2753 Campton Hts. Fortuna CA         | Adalid Gonzalez      |
| 13. Rylene Hindley         | 120 Fairview Ferndale, CA 95536      | Rylene Hindley       |
| 14. Thym Johnson           | 222 Indent Ln Ferndale CA 95536      | Thym Johnson         |
| 15. Jeff Hindley           | 120 Fairview Ferndale, CA 95536      | Jeff Hindley         |
| 16. Josh Smith             | PO Box 365 Ferndale                  | Josh Smith           |
| 17. Kim Smith              | PO Box 365 Ferndale                  | Kim Smith            |
| 18. Candice Russ           | 44 Kendall Court Fortuna             | Candice Russ         |
| 19. Erin Wisniewski        | 690 Gunnerson Lane Rio Dell          | Erin Wisniewski      |
| 20. Alexis Hildebrandt     | 6535 Tompkins Hill Rd Leta CA        | Alexis Hildebrandt   |

We the undersigned residents and friends of the Mattole Valley urge the County of Humboldt to officially name the Honeydew bridge crossing the Mattole River on the Mattole Road at Honeydew the Supervisor George Hindley Memorial Bridge and to place signs thereto that effect. We ask this to commemorate, for present and future generations, the great contributions that Supervisor George Hindley made to the Mattole Valley, the Eel River Valley and the County of Humboldt.

| Name (Please print)    | Address                               | Signature           |
|------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------|
| 1. Julie Meade         | 400 Nob Hill Rd. Fortuna              | Julie Meade         |
| 2. Adrienne Crosswhite | 1485 Carson Woods Rd. Fortuna         | Adrienne Crosswhite |
| 3. Hope Dahlin         | 409 Church St. Scotia                 | Hope Dahlin         |
| 4. Rachel Galliani     | PO Box 80 Loleta, CA                  | Rachel Galliani     |
| 5. Jared Coyle         | 2050 Shamrock Dr. Fortuna             | Jared Coyle         |
| 6. Angela Velasquez    | 1210 2 <sup>nd</sup> St Eureka        | Angela Velasquez    |
| 7. Victoria Villegas   | 2700 Kenmar Rd. Fortuna               | Victoria Villegas   |
| 8. Dianna Butcher      | 407 Penny Ln Fortuna                  | Dianna Butcher      |
| 9. DAVID COONS         | 1914 Everding Eureka                  | David Coons         |
| 10. Nicole Cleek       | 2620 Kathleen Ct #2 Fortuna           | Nicole Cleek        |
| 11. Kent Chapman       | 1904 14 St. Eureka, CA 95501          | Kent Chapman        |
| 12. Shannon Heavilin   | 1333 Summer St Eureka CA 95501        | Shannon Heavilin    |
| 13. Erica Delville     | 931 Hill St. Apt 21, Eureka, CA 95501 | Erica Delville      |
| 14. Autumn Garcia      | 1765 Justice Ct. Fortuna CA 95540     | Autumn Garcia       |
| 15. Gerardo Garcia     | 1765 Justice Ct Fortuna CA 95540      | Gerardo Garcia      |
| 16. Rob Silacci        | 550 Arlington Ave Ferndale, CA 95536  | Rob Silacci         |
| 17. HEATHER SILACCI    | 550 ARLINGTON FERNDALE CA 95536       | Heather Silacci     |
| 18. LAUREN LUND        | 560 MCKINLEY AVE, FERNDALE, CA 95536  | Lauren Lund         |
| 19. CASEY LUND         | 560 MCKINLEY AVE, FERNDALE, CA 95536  | Casey Lund          |
| 20. DAN V. SUTTON      | 760 WASHINGTON ST FERNDALE 95536      | Dan V. Sutton       |

We the undersigned residents and friends of the Mattole Valley urge the County of Humboldt to officially name the Honeydew bridge crossing the Mattole River on the Mattole Road at Honeydew the Supervisor George Hindley Memorial Bridge and to place signs thereto that effect. We ask this to commemorate, for present and future generations, the great contributions that Supervisor George Hindley made to the Mattole Valley, the Eel River Valley and the County of Humboldt.

| Name (Please print) | Address                           | Signature                                                                             |
|---------------------|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1. Kristina Millard | 109 Fairview Dr Ferndale          |    |
| 2. Dylan Cook       | 109 Fairview Dr Ferndale          |    |
| 3. Anna Cook        | 203 Bearhorse cat Ferndale        |    |
| 4. Jack Yampolsky   | 203 Sunhorse cat Ferndale         |    |
| 5. Tammy Robison    | 637 Franklin St Loleta, Ca        |    |
| 6. Jeff Robison     | P.O. Box 608 Loleta CA, 95551     |    |
| 7. Cody Whiddell    | 509 Springst Ptwa 95540           |    |
| 8. MEREDITH BIASCA  | 375 Echo Ln LOLETA 95551          |   |
| 9. Russell Biasca   | 375 Echo Ln loletaca 95551        |  |
| 10. Alice Rye       | 3421 Jordan St, Fortuna, CA 95540 |  |
| 11. Kimberly Rocha  | PO Box Ferndale CA 95536          |  |
| 12. JERRY ROCHA     | P.O. Box 1762 Ferndale CA         |  |
| 13. Brenda Taylor   | P.O. Box 58 ferndale CA           |  |
| 14. Scott Wyland    | P.O. Box 58 Ferndale CA           |  |
| 15. Bonnie Austin   | P.O. Box 58 Ferndale Ca.          |  |
| 16.                 |                                   |                                                                                       |
| 17.                 |                                   |                                                                                       |
| 18.                 |                                   |                                                                                       |
| 19.                 |                                   |                                                                                       |
| 20.                 |                                   |                                                                                       |

We the undersigned residents and friends of the Mattole Valley urge the County of Humboldt to officially name the Honeydew bridge crossing the Mattole River on the Mattole Road at Honeydew the Supervisor George Hindley Memorial Bridge and to place signs thereto that effect. We ask this to commemorate, for present and future generations, the great contributions that Supervisor George Hindley made to the Mattole Valley, the Eel River Valley and the County of Humboldt.

| Name (Please print)    | Address                              | Signature          |
|------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------|
| 1. Jeri L. Reback      | 3820 Rohnerville Rd Fortuna CA 95540 | Jeri L Reback      |
| 2. Marilyn A Beroni    | 1436 Wobor St Fortuna OR 95540       | Marilyn A. B       |
| 3. Paul Thayer         | 778 S. Fortuna Blvd Fortuna, CA      | Paul Thayer        |
| 4. Cody Hayes          | 5427 state HWY 36 Carotta CA 95528   | Cody Hayes         |
| 5. Chuck Roberts       | 3630 Trinity street CA 95540         | Charles E. Roberts |
| 6. Mike Regli          | 1670 Lori Ln Eureka Ca 95503         | Mike Regli         |
| 7. Thomas Stratton     | 4431 Grizzly Bluff Rd. 95536         | Thomas Stratton    |
| 8. Danielle Moffitt    | 1175 Palmer Blvd Fortuna, CA 95540   | Danielle Moffitt   |
| 9. Dary Phillips       | 555 Watson Ave Ferndale 95536        | Dary Phillips      |
| 10. Jammy Robison      | 637 Franklin St, Loleta Ca 95551     | Jammy Robison      |
| 11. Linda Stansberry   | P.O. Box 56 Honeydew, CA 95545       | Linda Stansberry   |
| 12. Elizabeth Forester | 5795 Grizzly Bluff Rd Ferndale 95536 | Elizabeth Forester |
| 13. James Prozac       | <del>3930</del> 3930 Mattole Road    | James Prozac       |
| 14. Abbie Thomas       | 735 Walnut Drive, Rio Dell           | Abbie Thomas       |
| 15.                    |                                      |                    |
| 16.                    |                                      |                    |
| 17.                    |                                      |                    |
| 18.                    |                                      |                    |
| 19.                    |                                      |                    |
| 20.                    |                                      |                    |

We the undersigned residents and friends of the Mattole Valley urge the County of Humboldt to officially name the Honeydew bridge crossing the Mattole River on the Mattole Road at Honeydew the Supervisor George Hindley Memorial Bridge and to place signs thereto that effect. We ask this to commemorate, for present and future generations, the great contributions that Supervisor George Hindley made to the Mattole Valley, the Eel River Valley and the County of Humboldt.

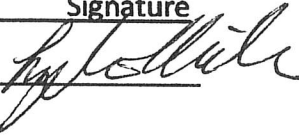
| Name (Please print)    | Address                                    | Signature          |
|------------------------|--------------------------------------------|--------------------|
| 1. Rodney A Smith      | 7225 Summit Ridge Rd Eureka                | <i>[Signature]</i> |
| 2. Roy Winkelhaus      | 3400 EAST COLLEGE                          | <i>[Signature]</i> |
| 3. Ron Brown           | 1677 Thelma St Fortuna                     | <i>[Signature]</i> |
| 4. Carl Barcus         | 1948 Thelma St. Fortuna                    | <i>[Signature]</i> |
| 5. Bryan Martindale    | P.O. Box 293 Hayesville                    | <i>[Signature]</i> |
| 6. Mike Koenig         | 6095 #B Walnut Dr. Eureka                  | <i>[Signature]</i> |
| 7. LaDonna Hagg        | 944 LANDERGEN RD, HONEYDEW, CA 95541       | <i>[Signature]</i> |
| 8. Dorothy Ann Penci   | 2180 Kenmar Rd Fortuna, CA 95540           | <i>[Signature]</i> |
| 9. Mary Kwan           | 285 Moonstone Cross Rd Trinidad CA 95520   | <i>[Signature]</i> |
| 10. Lisa Jo Hindley    | 1404 NE 152nd Ave, Vancouver, WA 98684     | <i>[Signature]</i> |
| 11. Victor B. Fairless | 285 Moonstone Cross Rd. Trinidad, CA 95570 | <i>[Signature]</i> |
| 12. Jill Dedini        | 1539 Irene St. Bayside, CA 95524           | <i>[Signature]</i> |
| 13.                    |                                            |                    |
| 14.                    |                                            |                    |
| 15.                    |                                            |                    |
| 16.                    |                                            |                    |
| 17.                    |                                            |                    |
| 18.                    |                                            |                    |
| 19.                    |                                            |                    |
| 20.                    |                                            |                    |

We the undersigned residents and friends of the Mattole Valley urge the County of Humboldt to officially name the Honeydew bridge crossing the Mattole River on the Mattole Road at Honeydew the Supervisor George Hindley Memorial Bridge and to place signs thereto that effect. We ask this to commemorate, for present and future generations, the great contributions that Supervisor George Hindley made to the Mattole Valley, the Eel River Valley and the County of Humboldt.

| Name (Please print)           | Address                                    | Signature              |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|------------------------|
| 1. <del>Rodney A Smith</del>  | <del>7725 Summit Ridge Rd Eureka</del>     | <del>[Signature]</del> |
| 2. <del>Roy Winklerhaus</del> | <del>3400 EAST COLLEGE</del>               | <del>[Signature]</del> |
| 3. Ron Brown                  | 1677 Thelma St Fortuna                     | [Signature]            |
| 4. Carl Barons                | 1948 Thelma St. Fortuna                    | [Signature]            |
| 5. Bryan Mastrolonia          | P.O. Box 293 Arcata                        | [Signature]            |
| 6. Mike Koenig                | 6095 # B Walnut Dr. Eureka                 | [Signature]            |
| 7. LaDonna Hagg               | 944 LANDERGEN RD HONEYDEW, CA 95524        | [Signature]            |
| 8. Dorothy Ann Lence          | 2180 Kenmar Rd Fortuna, CA 95554           | [Signature]            |
| 9. Ward Swan                  | 285 Mountaineer Cross Rd Trinidad CA 95554 | [Signature]            |
| 10. Lisa To Hindley           | 1404 NE 152nd AVE, VANCOUVER, WA 98184     | [Signature]            |
| 11. Victor B. Fairless        | 285 Moonstone Court Rd. Trinidad, CA 95554 | [Signature]            |
| 12. Jill Dedini               | 1539 Irene St. Bayside, CA 95524           | [Signature]            |
| 13. Connie Jorgensen          | PO Box 333 Ferndale CA                     | [Signature]            |
| 14. Alan W. Jorgensen         | 500 McKinley Ferndale, CA                  | [Signature]            |
| 15. Lee A. Dedini             | 1539 Irene St Bayside, CA 95524            | [Signature]            |
| 16. Gene Callahan             | 971 AS. Arcata 95521                       | [Signature]            |
| 17. Christine Callahan        | 971 A St Arcata CA 95521                   | [Signature]            |
| 18. Erik Dedini               | 245 Hidden Valley Rd, Bayside, CA 95524    | [Signature]            |
| 19. Nicholas Dedini           | 2334 Ariel Way, Arcata, CA 95521           | [Signature]            |
| 20. Katy Allen                | 1549 Irene St, Bayside, CA 95524           | [Signature]            |

February 25, 2025

We the undersigned residents and friends of the Mattole Valley urge the County of Humboldt to officially name the Honeydew bridge crossing the Mattole River on the Mattole Road at Honeydew the Supervisor George Hindley Memorial Bridge and to place signs thereto that effect. We ask this to commemorate, for present and future generations, the great contributions that Supervisor George Hindley made to the Mattole Valley, the Eel River Valley and the County of Humboldt.

| Name (Please print) | Address       | Signature                    |                                                                                     |
|---------------------|---------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1.                  | Lydia Wilhelm | 20583 Winchester Trl Redding |  |
| 2.                  |               |                              |                                                                                     |
| 3.                  |               |                              |                                                                                     |
| 4.                  |               |                              |                                                                                     |
| 5.                  |               |                              |                                                                                     |
| 6.                  |               |                              |                                                                                     |
| 7.                  |               |                              |                                                                                     |
| 8.                  |               |                              |                                                                                     |
| 9.                  |               |                              |                                                                                     |
| 10.                 |               |                              |                                                                                     |
| 11.                 |               |                              |                                                                                     |
| 12.                 |               |                              |                                                                                     |
| 13.                 |               |                              |                                                                                     |
| 14.                 |               |                              |                                                                                     |
| 15.                 |               |                              |                                                                                     |
| 16.                 |               |                              |                                                                                     |
| 17.                 |               |                              |                                                                                     |
| 18.                 |               |                              |                                                                                     |
| 19.                 |               |                              |                                                                                     |
| 20.                 |               |                              |                                                                                     |

We the undersigned/residents and friends of the Mattole Valley urge the County of Humboldt to officially name the Honeydew bridge crossing the Mattole River on the Mattole Road at Honeydew the Supervisor George I Hindley Memorial Bridge and to place signs thereto that effect. We ask this to commemorate, for present and future generations, the great contributions that Supervisor George Hindley made to the Mattole Valley, the Eel River Valley and the County of Humboldt.

| Name (Please print) | Address                                         | Signature         |
|---------------------|-------------------------------------------------|-------------------|
| 1. Linda Moreland   | 2293 Bryant Drive, Carlsbad CA <sup>92008</sup> | Linda R. Moreland |
| 2. Lorie Chapa      | 4239 Harrison St, Carlsbad, CA                  | Lorie A. Chapa    |
| 3. WAYNE MYERS      | 2467 MERRILL RD, CARSON CITY, NV                | Wayne Myers       |
| 4. Cindy Myers      | 2467 Merrill Rd Carson City                     | Cindy Myers       |
| 5. Lorie Petersen   | 1272 Peppy Ridge Dr. Eagle Point OR             | Lorie A. Petersen |
| 6. MARIE MORELAND   | 3715 JEFFERSON ST CA <sup>CARLSBAD</sup> 92008  | Marie M           |
| 7. MICK MORELAND    | 3715 JEFFERSON ST CA <sup>CARLSBAD</sup> 92008  | Mick M            |
| 8. SEAN MORELAND    | 3715 JEFFERSON ST CA <sup>CARLSBAD</sup> 92008  | Sean Moreland     |
| 9. MARK SOUSA       | 3360 Appian Rd Carlsbad CA 92010                | Mark A. Sousa     |
| 10. Anna M. Sousa   | 3360 Appian Rd Carlsbad CA 92010                | Anna M. Sousa     |
| 11. Tyler Sousa     | 3360 Appian Rd Carlsbad CA 92010                | Tyler Sousa       |
| 12. Brett Sousa     | 3360 Appian Rd Carlsbad CA 92010                | Brett Sousa       |
| 13.                 |                                                 |                   |
| 14.                 |                                                 |                   |
| 15.                 |                                                 |                   |
| 16.                 |                                                 |                   |
| 17.                 |                                                 |                   |
| 18.                 |                                                 |                   |
| 19.                 |                                                 |                   |
| 20.                 |                                                 |                   |

We the undersigned residents and friends of the Mattole Valley urge the County of Humboldt to officially name the Honeydew bridge crossing the Mattole River on the Mattole Road Honeydew the Supervisor George L. Hindley Memorial Bridge and to place a sign there to that effect. We ask this to commemorate, for present and future generations, the great contributions that Supervisor George L. Hindley made to the Mattole Valley, the Eel River Valley, and the County of Humboldt.

| Name (Please print)      | Address                                        | Signature       |
|--------------------------|------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| 1. Linda Moreland        | 2775 Brent Drive <sup>92008</sup> Carlsbad CA  | Linda Moreland  |
| 2. Lonie Chape           | 4239 Hansen St, Carlsbad, CA                   | Lonie Chape     |
| 3. WAYNE MYERS           | 2467 Macmill Rd, Carson City, NV               | Wayne Myers     |
| 4. Cindy Myers           | 2467 Macmill Rd Carson City                    | Cindy Myers     |
| 5. Lonie Robinson        | 1278 1/2 E. Ryker Dr, Eugene, OR               | Lonie Robinson  |
| 6. MARIE MORELAND        | 3715 JEFFERSON ST <sup>CA 92008</sup> CARLSBAD | Marie Moreland  |
| 7. MICK MORELAND         | 3715 JEFFERSON ST <sup>CA 92008</sup> CARLSBAD | Mick Moreland   |
| 8. SEAN MORELAND         | 3715 JEFFERSON ST <sup>CA 92008</sup> CARLSBAD | Sean Moreland   |
| 9. Marie Sosa            | 3360 Avenida <sup>CA 92010</sup> Carlsbad      | Marie Sosa      |
| 10. Anne H. Sosa         | 3360 Avenida <sup>CA 92010</sup> Carlsbad      | Anne H. Sosa    |
| 11. Tyra Sosa            | 3360 Avenida <sup>CA 92010</sup> Carlsbad      | Tyra Sosa       |
| 12. Brett Sosa           | 3360 Avenida <sup>CA 92010</sup> Carlsbad      | Brett Sosa      |
| 13. Sam Myers            | 2912 SAN MILAN PASS ROUND Pkwy TX 78665        | Sam Myers       |
| 14. Nicole Myers         | 2912 SAN MILAN PASS ROUND Pkwy TX 78665        | Nicole Myers    |
| 15. Mackenzie Myers      | 2912 SAN MILAN PASS ROUND Pkwy TX 78665        | Mackenzie Myers |
| 16. Sydney Myers         | 2912 SAN MILAN PASS ROUND Pkwy TX 78665        | Sydney Myers    |
| 17. Jessica Myers-Yescas | 2467 Macmill Rd, Carson City, NV 89706         | Jessica Myers   |
| 18.                      |                                                |                 |
| 19.                      |                                                |                 |
| 20.                      |                                                |                 |

We the undersigned residents and friends of the Mattole Valley urge the County of Humboldt to officially name the Honeydew bridge crossing the Mattole River on the Mattole Road at Honeydew the Supervisor George Hindley Memorial Bridge and to place signs thereto that effect. We ask this to commemorate, for present and future generations, the great contributions that Supervisor George Hindley made to the Mattole Valley, the Eel River Valley and the County of Humboldt.

Name (Please print) Address Signature

1. Douglas Redgmon 452 1/2 Shaw Ferndale Douglas Redgmon

2. Donald G Hindley 452 SHAW FERNDALE Donald G Hindley

3. Kimberly A Hindley 452 SHAW FERNDALE Kimberly A Hindley

4. JACK L. SMITH 403 EMERSON LANE Jack L. Smith

5. Thomas Renner 1100 St Joseph Wy Fortuna CA Thomas Renner

6. Mary Ann Bansen 1085 Cream Court, Ferndale, CA Mary Ann Bansen

7. Susan Ingersoll 1030 Dewey Ave Ferndale CA Susan Ingersoll

8. Susan Dick McCarty 719 Main St, Ferndale CA Susan Dick McCarty

9. Dennis Regli 4197 Bridge View Ln Fortuna CA Dennis Regli

10. Jim Azie PO Box 307, FERNDALE, CA Jim Azie

11.

12.

13.

14.

15.

16.

17.

18.

19.

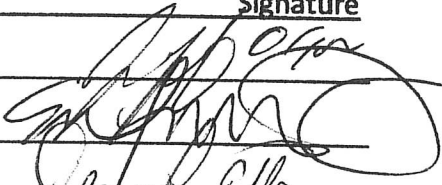
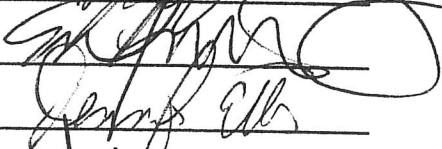
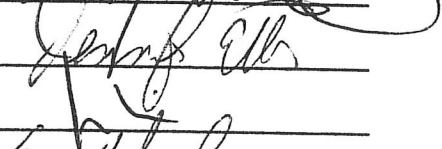
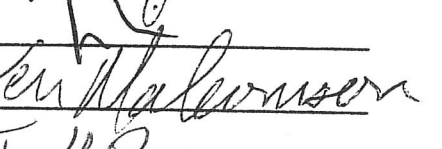
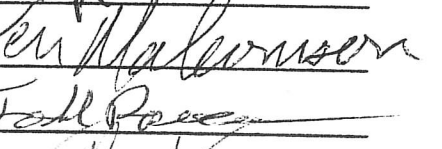
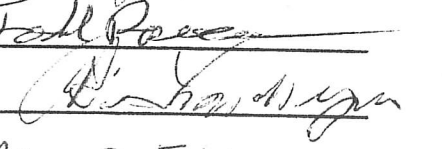
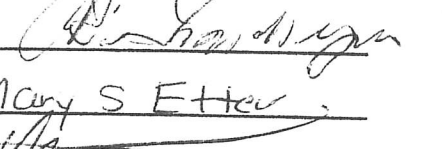
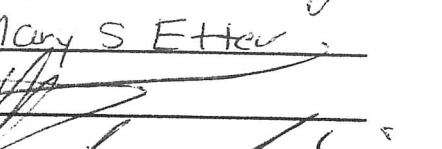
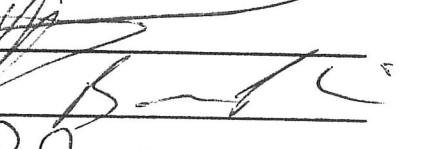
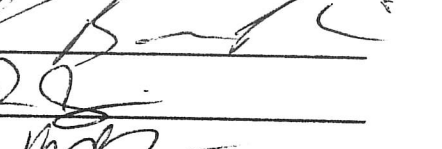
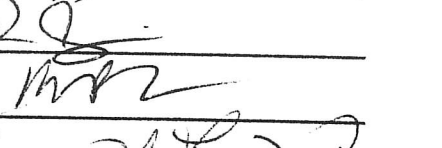
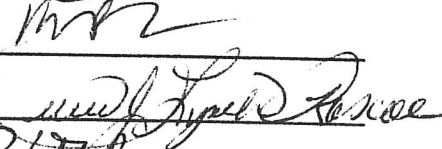
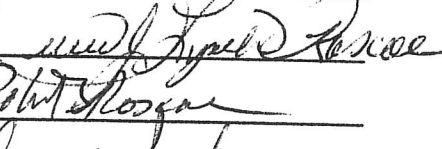
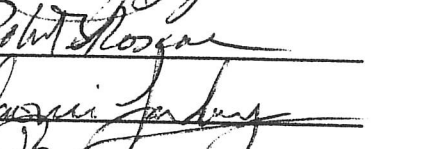
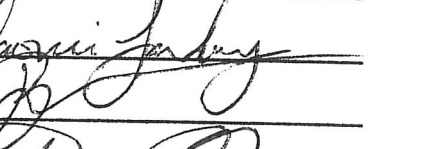
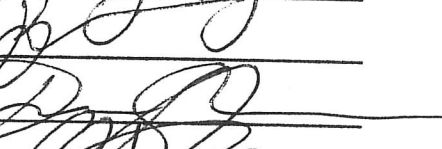
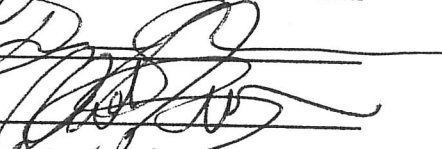
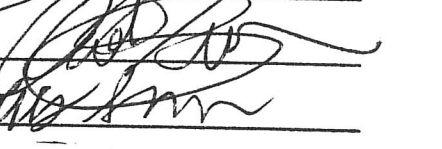
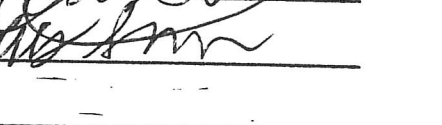
20.

We the undersigned residents and friends of the Mattole Valley urge the County of Humboldt to officially name the Honeydew bridge crossing the Mattole River on the Mattole Road at Honeydew the Supervisor George Hindley Memorial Bridge and to place signs thereto that effect. We ask this to commemorate, for present and future generations, the great contributions that Supervisor George Hindley made to the Mattole Valley, the Eel River Valley and the County of Humboldt.

| Name (Please print)          | Address                           | Signature                |
|------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1. Lathricia Cook            | P.O. Box 3 Petrolia               | Lathricia Cook           |
| 2. John Cook                 | P.O. Box 3 Petrolia               | John Cook                |
| 3. DOROTHY JOHNSON           | 1032 Riverside Dr Fortuna         | Dorothy Johnson          |
| 4. Samantha Naemi            | P.O. Box 149 Scotia               | Samantha Naemi           |
| 5. Nicholas Higgins          | 1158 Crestview Dr, Fortuna        | Nicholas Higgins         |
| 6. Kimberlee Higgins         | PO Box 032 Fortuna                | Kimberlee Higgins        |
| 7. Brad Pucci                | 3245 Rockteria Rd Fortuna         | Brad Pucci               |
| 8. Meghan Cole               | 1500 Vance Fortuna                | Meghan Cole              |
| 9. Steve Kioukis             | 181 Gullksen Fortuna              | Steve Kioukis            |
| 10. <del>Steve Kioukis</del> | <del>2180 Kerman Rd Fortuna</del> | <del>Steve Kioukis</del> |
| 11. Rebecca Senestraro       | 3970 Rohnerville Rd. Fortuna      | Rebecca Senestraro       |
| 12. Kenny Dinko              | 3539 Trinity St Fortuna Ca        | Kenny Dinko              |
| 13. Karen Koskinen           | 3539 Trinity St. Fortuna          | Karen Koskinen           |
| 14. STEVE MURRAY             | 2937 RAMBOW LN FORTUNA            | Steve Murray             |
| 15. Brad VanBlascom          | 3949 Loop Ct Fortuna              | Brad VanBlascom          |
| 16. Thomas Boggs             | 3937 Loopport Fortuna             | Thomas Boggs             |
| 17. Tristan Dakweiler        | 2585 Oak St Fortuna               | Tristan Dakweiler        |
| 18. Sue Long                 | 2770 Highland Dr Fortuna          | Sue Long                 |
| 19. Janet Harwood            | 2767 Virginia Ct Fortuna          | Janet Harwood            |
| 20. Brad Chamberlain         | 3930 Rohnerville Rd Fortuna       | Brad Chamberlain         |

February 25, 2025

We the undersigned residents and friends of the Mattole Valley urge the County of Humboldt to officially name the Honeydew bridge crossing the Mattole River on the Mattole Road at Honeydew the Supervisor George Hindley Memorial Bridge and to place signs thereto that effect. We ask this to commemorate, for present and future generations, the great contributions that Supervisor George Hindley made to the Mattole Valley, the Eel River Valley and the County of Humboldt.

| Name (Please print)   | Address      | Signature                                                                             |
|-----------------------|--------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1. Jeff O'Hara        | Petalia, CA  |    |
| 2. Emily McDonald     | Honeydew, CA |    |
| 3. Jennifer Ott       | Honeydew, CA |    |
| 4. Ira Hird           | Honeydew, CA |    |
| 5. KEN MALCOMSON      | Eureka, CA   |    |
| 6. Todd Roscoe        | Honeydew     |    |
| 7. Etta Lemmeyer      | Honeydew     |   |
| 8. Mary S Etta        | Honeydew     |   |
| 9. Duffin Mattole     | Honeydew     |  |
| 10. Bruce Kubick      | Petalia, CA  |  |
| 11. IAN SIGMAN        | PETALIA, CA  |  |
| 12. Kyle Roscoe       | Honeydew, CA |  |
| 13. Debbie Roscoe     | Petalia, CA  |  |
| 14. Rob Roscoe        | Petalia, CA  |  |
| 15. Naomi Landry      | Honeydew, CA |  |
| 16. Bobbie B. Johnson | Honeydew, CA |  |
| 17. DAVE SHEMON       | HONEYDEW, CA |  |
| 18. Andrew Sawyer     | Petalia, CA  |  |
| 19. Lars Samuels      | Honeydew, CA |  |
| 20.                   |              |                                                                                       |

We the undersigned residents and friends of the Mattole Valley urge the County of Humboldt to officially name the Honeydew bridge crossing the Mattole River on the Mattole Road at Honeydew the Supervisor George Hindley Memorial Bridge and to place signs thereto that effect. We ask this to commemorate, for present and future generations, the great contributions that Supervisor George Hindley made to the Mattole Valley, the Eel River Valley and the County of Humboldt.

| Name (Please print) | Address                                                                                                              | Signature        |
|---------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|
| 1. Jack Jel         | 521 Lindley R                                                                                                        | JACK LAKIN       |
| 2. THOMAS SAMUELS   | 300 Panther Gap Rd.                                                                                                  | Thomas Samuels   |
| 3. Deborah Embry    | 4000 Panther Gap Rd                                                                                                  |                  |
| 4. Robert Schwartz  | Burrell Rd Honeydew                                                                                                  |                  |
| 5. DAVID SHEPARD    | Burrell Rd Honeydew                                                                                                  |                  |
| 6. Mary Etter       | Burrell Rd Honeydew                                                                                                  | Mary Etter       |
| 7. Rob Roscoe       | 39000 Mattole Rd. Petrolia                                                                                           | Rob Roscoe       |
| 8. Tiffany Mozzetti | 39360 Mattole Rd Honeydew                                                                                            | Tiffany Mozzetti |
| 9. Andrew Sawyer    | 41774 Mattole Rd                                                                                                     |                  |
| 10. Mark Dube       | Cathys Park                                                                                                          | Mark Dube        |
| 11. Evan Goldstein  | Not a resident of the Mattole valley, but a member of Mattole County Historical Society - 947 Panama St. Redding, CA |                  |
| 12.                 |                                                                                                                      |                  |
| 13.                 |                                                                                                                      |                  |
| 14.                 |                                                                                                                      |                  |
| 15.                 |                                                                                                                      |                  |
| 16.                 |                                                                                                                      |                  |
| 17.                 |                                                                                                                      |                  |
| 18.                 |                                                                                                                      |                  |
| 19.                 |                                                                                                                      |                  |
| 20.                 |                                                                                                                      |                  |