RESOLUTION OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION OF THE COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

Resolution Number 17-43

Case Number CUP-16-035
Assessor Parcel Number 308-041-002

Makes the required findings for certifying compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act and conditionally approves the Bureau of Land Management Conditional Use Permit.

WHEREAS, on May 26, 2016 and May 12, 2017 the County of Humboldt authorized the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) to apply to Humboldt County for a Conditional Use Permit (CUP) for the purpose to allow for invasive weed/vegetation removal and maintenance, by hand-pulling, activities on the Public Recreation zoned portion of Table Bluff County Park; and

WHEREAS, the County Planning Division reviewed the submitted application and evidence and referred the application and evidence to involved reviewing agencies for site inspections, comments and recommendations; and

WHEREAS, the project is subject to environmental review pursuant to of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA); and

WHEREAS, the County Planning Division, the lead agency, prepared an Addendum to the Beach and Dunes Environmental Impact Report certified by the Humboldt Board of Supervisors on August 31, 1993 in Attachment 4 as required by Section 15074(b) of the CEQA Guidelines, and finds that there is no substantial evidence that the proposed project will have a significant effect on the environment; and

WHEREAS, Attachment 2 in the Planning Division staff report includes substantial evidence in support of making all of the required findings for approving the proposed Conditional Use Permit (Case Number CUP 16-202); and

WHEREAS, a public hearing was held on the matter before the Humboldt County Planning Commission on August 3, 2017.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved, determined, and ordered by the Humboldt County Planning Commission that the following findings be and are hereby made:

- 1. Adopts the proposed Addendum to a previously approved Environmental Impact Report in Attachment 4 as required by Section 15074(b) of the CEQA Guidelines, and finds that there is no substantial evidence that the proposed project will have a significant effect on the environment.
- 2. The findings in Attachment 2 of the Planning Division staff report for Case Number CUP 16-035 support approval of the project based on the submitted evidence; and
- 3. Approves the Conditional Use Permit Case Number CUP 16-035 as recommended and conditioned in Attachment 1 for Case Number CUP 16-035.

Adopted after review and consideration of all the evidence on August 3, 2017.

The motion was made by Commissioner Mitchell and seconded by Commissioner Levy.

AYES:

Commissioners Shepherd, McKenny, Levy and Mitchell.

NAYS:

Commissioners Morris, Edmonds and Bongio

DECISION:

Motion carries 4/3.

I, John Ford, Secretary to the Planning Commission of the County of Humboldt, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and correct record of the action taken on the above entitled matter by said Commission at a meeting held on the date noted above.

John H. Ford

Director, Planning and Building Department