

COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

For the meeting of: 2/4/2020

File #: 20-128

To: Board of Supervisors

From: Supervisor Mike Wilson

Agenda Section: Consent

SUBJECT:

Cochran Creek (Humboldt Bay) Fish Passage and Habitat Rehabilitation Implementation Project Letter of Support (Supervisor Mike Wilson)

RECOMMENDATION(S):

That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Authorize the Chair to sign the letter of support.

SOURCE OF FUNDING:

N/A

DISCUSSION:

The Board of Supervisors has been asked to write a letter in support of the Cochran Creek (Humboldt Bay) Fish Passage and Habitat Rehabilitation Implementation Project. This project is needed to restore connectivity of Cochran Creek and Quail Slough with the Pacific Ocean in order to enhance local populations of salmonids, especially Coho salmon. In addition, this project would enhance and restore fish passage, tidal marsh, instream and floodplain habitat, assist with overbank flooding and the protection of agricultural lands.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

N/A

STRATEGIC FRAMEWORK:

This action supports your Board's Strategic Framework by seeking outside funding sources to benefit Humboldt County needs.

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT:

N/A

ALTERNATIVES TO STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

Board discretion

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ATTACHMENTS:

A. Letter of Support

PREVIOUS ACTION/REFERRAL:

Board Order No.: N/A

Meeting of: N/A File No.: N/A