

**AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE**

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After title LIII of division E, insert the following  
new title:

1     **TITLE LIV—WILDERNESS AND**  
2                     **PUBLIC LANDS**  
3     **Subtitle A—Colorado Wilderness**

4     **SEC. 101. SECRETARY DEFINED.**

5             As used in this subtitle, the term “Secretary” means  
6 the Secretary of the Interior or the Secretary of Agri-  
7 culture, as appropriate.

8     **SEC. 102. ADDITIONS TO NATIONAL WILDERNESS PRESER-**  
9                     **VATION SYSTEM IN THE STATE OF COLO-**  
10                    **RADO.**

11            (a) ADDITIONS.—Section 2(a) of the Colorado Wil-  
12 derness Act of 1993 (Public Law 103-77; 107 Stat. 756;  
13 16 U.S.C. 1132 note) is amended by adding at the end  
14 the following paragraphs:

15                     “(23) Certain lands managed by the Colorado  
16 River Valley Field Office of the Bureau of Land  
17 Management, which comprise approximately 316  
18 acres, as generally depicted on a map titled ‘Maroon

1 Bells Addition Proposed Wilderness’, dated July 20,  
2 2018, which is hereby incorporated in and shall be  
3 deemed to be a part of the Maroon Bells-Snowmass  
4 Wilderness Area designated by Public Law 88–577.

5 “(24) Certain lands managed by the Gunnison  
6 Field Office of the Bureau of Land Management,  
7 which comprise approximately 38,217 acres, as gen-  
8 erally depicted on a map titled ‘Redcloud & Handies  
9 Peak Proposed Wilderness’, dated October 9, 2019,  
10 which shall be known as the Redcloud Peak Wilder-  
11 ness.

12 “(25) Certain lands managed by the Gunnison  
13 Field Office of the Bureau of Land Management or  
14 located in the Grand Mesa, Uncompahgre, and Gun-  
15 nison National Forests, which comprise approxi-  
16 mately 26,734 acres, as generally depicted on a map  
17 titled ‘Redcloud & Handies Peak Proposed Wilder-  
18 ness’, dated October 9, 2019, which shall be known  
19 as the Handies Peak Wilderness.

20 “(26) Certain lands managed by the Royal  
21 Gorge Field Office of the Bureau of Land Manage-  
22 ment, which comprise approximately 16,481 acres,  
23 as generally depicted on a map titled ‘Table Moun-  
24 tain & McIntyre Hills Proposed Wilderness’, dated

1 November 7, 2019, which shall be known as the  
2 McIntyre Hills Wilderness.

3 “(27) Certain lands managed by the Colorado  
4 River Valley Field Office of the Bureau of Land  
5 Management, which comprise approximately 10,282  
6 acres, as generally depicted on a map titled ‘Grand  
7 Hogback Proposed Wilderness’, dated October 16,  
8 2019, which shall be known as the Grand Hogback  
9 Wilderness.

10 “(28) Certain lands managed by the Grand  
11 Junction Field Office of the Bureau of Land Man-  
12 agement, which comprise approximately 25,624  
13 acres, as generally depicted on a map titled  
14 ‘Demaree Canyon Proposed Wilderness’, dated Octo-  
15 ber 9, 2019, which shall be known as the Demaree  
16 Canyon Wilderness.

17 “(29) Certain lands managed by the Grand  
18 Junction Field Office of the Bureau of Land Man-  
19 agement, which comprise approximately 28,279  
20 acres, as generally depicted on a map titled ‘Little  
21 Books Cliff Proposed Wilderness’, dated October 9,  
22 2019, which shall be known as the Little Bookcliffs  
23 Wilderness.

24 “(30) Certain lands managed by the Colorado  
25 River Valley Field Office of the Bureau of Land

1 Management, which comprise approximately 14,886  
2 acres, as generally depicted on a map titled ‘Bull  
3 Gulch & Castle Peak Proposed Wilderness’, dated  
4 January 29, 2020, which shall be known as the Bull  
5 Gulch Wilderness.

6 “(31) Certain lands managed by the Colorado  
7 River Valley Field Office of the Bureau of Land  
8 Management, which comprise approximately 12,016  
9 acres, as generally depicted on a map titled ‘Bull  
10 Gulch & Castle Peak Proposed Wilderness Areas’,  
11 dated January 29, 2020, which shall be known as  
12 the Castle Peak Wilderness.”.

13 (b) FURTHER ADDITIONS.—The following lands in  
14 the State of Colorado administered by the Bureau of Land  
15 Management or the United States Forest Service are here-  
16 by designated as wilderness and, therefore, as components  
17 of the National Wilderness Preservation System:

18 (1) Certain lands managed by the Colorado  
19 River Valley Field Office of the Bureau of Land  
20 Management or located in the White River National  
21 Forest, which comprise approximately 19,240 acres,  
22 as generally depicted on a map titled “Assignment  
23 Ridge Proposed Wilderness”, dated November 12,  
24 2019, which shall be known as the Assignment  
25 Ridge Wilderness.

1           (2) Certain lands managed by the Royal Gorge  
2           Field Office of the Bureau of Land Management or  
3           located in the Pike and San Isabel National Forests,  
4           which comprise approximately 23,116 acres, as gen-  
5           erally depicted on a map titled “Badger Creek Pro-  
6           posed Wilderness”, dated November 7, 2019, which  
7           shall be known as the Badger Creek Wilderness.

8           (3) Certain lands managed by the Royal Gorge  
9           Field Office of the Bureau of Land Management or  
10          located in the Pike and San Isabel National Forests,  
11          which comprise approximately 35,251 acres, as gen-  
12          erally depicted on a map titled “Beaver Creek Pro-  
13          posed Wilderness”, dated November 7, 2019, which  
14          shall be known as the Beaver Creek Wilderness.

15          (4) Certain lands managed by the Royal Gorge  
16          Field Office of the Bureau of Land Management or  
17          the Bureau of Reclamation or located in the Pike  
18          and San Isabel National Forests, which comprise ap-  
19          proximately 32,884 acres, as generally depicted on a  
20          map titled “Grape Creek Proposed Wilderness”,  
21          dated November 7, 2019, which shall be known as  
22          the Grape Creek Wilderness.

23          (5) Certain lands managed by the Grand Junc-  
24          tion Field Office of the Bureau of Land Manage-  
25          ment, which comprise approximately 13,351 acres,

1 as generally depicted on a map titled “North &  
2 South Bangs Canyon Proposed Wilderness”, dated  
3 October 9, 2019, which shall be known as the North  
4 Bangs Canyon Wilderness.

5 (6) Certain lands managed by the Grand Junc-  
6 tion Field Office of the Bureau of Land Manage-  
7 ment, which comprise approximately 5,144 acres, as  
8 generally depicted on a map titled “North & South  
9 Bangs Canyon Proposed Wilderness”, dated October  
10 9, 2019, which shall be known as the South Bangs  
11 Canyon Wilderness.

12 (7) Certain lands managed by the Grand Junc-  
13 tion Field Office of the Bureau of Land Manage-  
14 ment, which comprise approximately 26,624 acres,  
15 as generally depicted on a map titled “Unaweep &  
16 Palisade Proposed Wilderness”, dated October 9,  
17 2019, which shall be known as The Palisade Wilder-  
18 ness.

19 (8) Certain lands managed by the Grand Junc-  
20 tion Field Office of the Bureau of Land Manage-  
21 ment or located in the Grand Mesa, Uncompaghre,  
22 and Gunnison National Forests, which comprise ap-  
23 proximately 19,776 acres, as generally depicted on a  
24 map titled “Unaweep & Palisade Proposed Wilder-

1       ness”, dated October 9, 2019, which shall be known  
2       as the UnawEEP Wilderness.

3           (9) Certain lands managed by the Grand Junc-  
4       tion Field Office of the Bureau of Land Manage-  
5       ment and Uncompahgre Field Office of the Bureau  
6       of Land Management and in the Manti-LaSal Na-  
7       tional Forest, which comprise approximately 37,637  
8       acres, as generally depicted on a map titled  
9       “Sewemup Mesa Proposed Wilderness”, dated No-  
10      vember 7, 2019, which shall be known as the  
11      Sewemup Mesa Wilderness.

12          (10) Certain lands managed by the Kremmling  
13      Field Office of the Bureau of Land Management,  
14      which comprise approximately 31 acres, as generally  
15      depicted on a map titled “Platte River Addition Pro-  
16      posed Wilderness”, dated July 20, 2018, and which  
17      are hereby incorporated in and shall be deemed to  
18      be part of the Platte River Wilderness designated by  
19      Public Law 98–550.

20          (11) Certain lands managed by the  
21      Uncompahgre Field Office of the Bureau of Land  
22      Management, which comprise approximately 17,587  
23      acres, as generally depicted on a map titled  
24      “Roubideau Proposed Wilderness”, dated October 9,

1       2019, which shall be known as the Roubideau Wil-  
2       derness.

3           (12)    Certain lands managed by the  
4       Uncompahgre Field Office of the Bureau of Land  
5       Management or located in the Grand Mesa,  
6       Uncompaghre, and Gunnison National Forests,  
7       which comprise approximately 12,102 acres, as gen-  
8       erally depicted on a map titled “Norwood Canyon  
9       Proposed Wilderness”, dated November 7, 2019,  
10      which shall be known as the Norwood Canyon Wil-  
11      derness.

12          (13)    Certain lands managed by the Tres Rios  
13      Field Office of the Bureau of Land Management,  
14      which comprise approximately 24,475 acres, as gen-  
15      erally depicted on a map titled “Papoose & Cross  
16      Canyon Proposed Wilderness”, and dated January  
17      29, 2020, which shall be known as the Cross Canyon  
18      Wilderness.

19          (14)    Certain lands managed by the Tres Rios  
20      Field Office of the Bureau of Land Management,  
21      which comprise approximately 21,220 acres, as gen-  
22      erally depicted on a map titled “McKenna Peak Pro-  
23      posed Wilderness”, dated October 16, 2019, which  
24      shall be known as the McKenna Peak Wilderness.



1           (15) Certain lands managed by the Tres Rios  
2           Field Office of the Bureau of Land Management,  
3           which comprise approximately 14,270 acres, as gen-  
4           erally depicted on a map titled “Weber-Menefee  
5           Mountain Proposed Wilderness”, dated October 9,  
6           2019, which shall be known as the Weber-Menefee  
7           Mountain Wilderness.

8           (16) Certain lands managed by the  
9           Uncompahgre and Tres Rios Field Offices of the  
10          Bureau of Land Management or the Bureau of Rec-  
11          lamation, which comprise approximately 33,351  
12          acres, as generally depicted on a map titled “Dolores  
13          River Canyon Proposed Wilderness”, dated Novem-  
14          ber 7, 2019, which shall be known as the Dolores  
15          River Canyon Wilderness.

16          (17) Certain lands managed by the Royal Gorge  
17          Field Office of the Bureau of Land Management or  
18          located in the Pike and San Isabel National Forests,  
19          which comprise approximately 17,922 acres, as gen-  
20          erally depicted on a map titled “Browns Canyon  
21          Proposed Wilderness”, dated October 9, 2019, which  
22          shall be known as the Browns Canyon Wilderness.

23          (18) Certain lands managed by the San Luis  
24          Field Office of the Bureau of Land Management,  
25          which comprise approximately 10,527 acres, as gen-

1 erally depicted on a map titled “San Luis Hills Pro-  
2 posed Wilderness”, dated October 9, 2019 which  
3 shall be known as the San Luis Hills Wilderness.

4 (19) Certain lands managed by the Royal Gorge  
5 Field Office of the Bureau of Land Management,  
6 which comprise approximately 23,559 acres, as gen-  
7 erally depicted on a map titled “Table Mountain &  
8 McIntyre Hills Proposed Wilderness”, dated Novem-  
9 ber 7, 2019, which shall be known as the Table  
10 Mountain Wilderness.

11 (20) Certain lands managed by the Tres Rios  
12 Field Office of the Bureau of Land Management or  
13 located in the San Juan National Forest, which  
14 comprise approximately 10,844 acres, as generally  
15 depicted on a map titled “North & South Ponderosa  
16 Gorge Proposed Wilderness”, and dated January 31,  
17 2020, which shall be known as the North Ponderosa  
18 Gorge Wilderness.

19 (21) Certain lands managed by the Tres Rios  
20 Field Office of the Bureau of Land Management or  
21 located in the San Juan National Forest, which  
22 comprise approximately 12,393 acres, as generally  
23 depicted on a map titled “North & South Ponderosa  
24 Gorge Proposed Wilderness”, and dated January 31,

1       2020 which shall be known as the South Ponderosa  
2       Gorge Wilderness.

3           (22) Certain lands managed by the Little Snake  
4       Field Office of the Bureau of Land Management  
5       which comprise approximately 33,168 acres, as gen-  
6       erally depicted on a map titled “Diamond Breaks  
7       Proposed Wilderness”, and dated February 4, 2020  
8       which shall be known as the Diamond Breaks Wil-  
9       derness.

10          (23) Certain lands managed by the Tres Rios  
11       Field Office of the Bureau of Land Management  
12       which comprises approximately 4,782 acres, as gen-  
13       erally depicted on the map titled “Papoose & Cross  
14       Canyon Proposed Wilderness’ ”, and dated January  
15       29, 2020 which shall be known as the Papoose Can-  
16       yon Wilderness.

17       (c) WEST ELK ADDITION.—Certain lands in the  
18       State of Colorado administered by the Gunnison Field Of-  
19       fice of the Bureau of Land Management, the United  
20       States National Park Service, and the Bureau of Reclama-  
21       tion, which comprise approximately 6,695 acres, as gen-  
22       erally depicted on a map titled “West Elk Addition Pro-  
23       posed Wilderness”, dated October 9, 2019, are hereby des-  
24       ignated as wilderness and, therefore, as components of the  
25       National Wilderness Preservation System and are hereby

1 incorporated in and shall be deemed to be a part of the  
2 West Elk Wilderness designated by Public Law 88–577.  
3 The boundary adjacent to Blue Mesa Reservoir shall be  
4 50 feet landward from the water’s edge, and shall change  
5 according to the water level.

6 (d) MAPS AND DESCRIPTIONS.—As soon as prac-  
7 ticable after the date of enactment of the Act, the Sec-  
8 retary shall file a map and a boundary description of each  
9 area designated as wilderness by this section with the  
10 Committee on Natural Resources of the House of Rep-  
11 resentatives and the Committee on Energy and Natural  
12 Resources of the Senate. Each map and boundary descrip-  
13 tion shall have the same force and effect as if included  
14 in this subtitle, except that the Secretary may correct cler-  
15 ical and typographical errors in the map or boundary de-  
16 scription. The maps and boundary descriptions shall be  
17 on file and available for public inspection in the Office of  
18 the Director of the Bureau of Land Management, Depart-  
19 ment of the Interior, and in the Office of the Chief of  
20 the Forest Service, Department of Agriculture, as appro-  
21 priate.

22 (e) STATE AND PRIVATE LANDS.—Lands within the  
23 exterior boundaries of any wilderness area designated  
24 under this section that are owned by a private entity or  
25 by the State of Colorado, including lands administered by

1 the Colorado State Land Board, shall be included within  
2 such wilderness area if such lands are acquired by the  
3 United States. Such lands may be acquired by the United  
4 States only as provided in the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C.  
5 1131 et seq.).

6 **SEC. 103. ADMINISTRATIVE PROVISIONS.**

7 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subject to valid existing rights,  
8 lands designated as wilderness by this subtitle shall be  
9 managed by the Secretary in accordance with the Wilder-  
10 ness Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.) and this subtitle, except  
11 that, with respect to any wilderness areas designated by  
12 this subtitle, any reference in the Wilderness Act to the  
13 effective date of the Wilderness Act shall be deemed to  
14 be a reference to the date of enactment of this subtitle.

15 (b) GRAZING.—Grazing of livestock in wilderness  
16 areas designated by this subtitle shall be administered in  
17 accordance with the provisions of section 4(d)(4) of the  
18 Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1133(d)(4)), as further inter-  
19 preted by section 108 of Public Law 96–560, and the  
20 guidelines set forth in appendix A of House Report 101–  
21 405 of the 101st Congress.

22 (c) STATE JURISDICTION.—As provided in section  
23 4(d)(7) of the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1133(d)(7)),  
24 nothing in this subtitle shall be construed as affecting the

1 jurisdiction or responsibilities of the State of Colorado  
2 with respect to wildlife and fish in Colorado.

3 (d) BUFFER ZONES.—

4 (1) IN GENERAL.—Nothing in this subtitle cre-  
5 ates a protective perimeter or buffer zone around  
6 any area designated as wilderness by this subtitle.

7 (2) ACTIVITIES OUTSIDE WILDERNESS.—The  
8 fact that an activity or use on land outside the areas  
9 designated as wilderness by this subtitle can be seen  
10 or heard within the wilderness shall not preclude the  
11 activity or use outside the boundary of the wilder-  
12 ness.

13 (e) MILITARY HELICOPTER OVERFLIGHTS AND OP-  
14 ERATIONS.—

15 (1) IN GENERAL.—Nothing in this subtitle re-  
16 stricts or precludes—

17 (A) low-level overflights of military heli-  
18 copters over the areas designated as wilderness  
19 by this subtitle, including military overflights  
20 that can be seen or heard within any wilderness  
21 area;

22 (B) military flight testing and evaluation;

23 (C) the designation or creation of new  
24 units of special use airspace, or the establish-

1           ment of military flight training routes over any  
2           wilderness area; or

3                   (D) helicopter operations at designated  
4           landing zones within the potential wilderness  
5           areas established by subsection (i)(1).

6           (2) AERIAL NAVIGATION TRAINING EXER-  
7           CISES.—The Colorado Army National Guard,  
8           through the High-Altitude Army National Guard  
9           Aviation Training Site, may conduct aerial naviga-  
10          tion training maneuver exercises over, and associ-  
11          ated operations within, the potential wilderness  
12          areas designated by this subtitle—

13                   (A) in a manner and degree consistent  
14          with the memorandum of understanding dated  
15          August 4, 1987, entered into among the Colo-  
16          rado Army National Guard, the Bureau of  
17          Land Management, and the Forest Service; or

18                   (B) in a manner consistent with any subse-  
19          quent memorandum of understanding entered  
20          into among the Colorado Army National Guard,  
21          the Bureau of Land Management, and the For-  
22          est Service.

23          (f) RUNNING EVENTS.—The Secretary may continue  
24          to authorize competitive running events currently per-  
25          mitted in the Redcloud Peak Wilderness Area and

1 Handies Peak Wilderness Area in a manner compatible  
2 with the preservation of such areas as wilderness.

3 (g) LAND TRADES.—If the Secretary trades privately  
4 owned land within the perimeter of the Redcloud Peak  
5 Wilderness Area or the Handies Peak Wilderness Area in  
6 exchange for Federal land, then such Federal land shall  
7 be located in Hinsdale County, Colorado.

8 (h) RECREATIONAL CLIMBING.—Nothing in this sub-  
9 title prohibits recreational rock climbing activities in the  
10 wilderness areas, such as the placement, use, and mainte-  
11 nance of fixed anchors, including any fixed anchor estab-  
12 lished before the date of the enactment of this subtitle—

13 (1) in accordance with the Wilderness Act (16  
14 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.); and

15 (2) subject to any terms and conditions deter-  
16 mined to be necessary by the Secretary.

17 (i) POTENTIAL WILDERNESS DESIGNATIONS.—

18 (1) IN GENERAL.—The following lands are des-  
19 ignated as potential wilderness areas:

20 (A) Certain lands managed by the Colo-  
21 rado River Valley Field Office of the Bureau of  
22 Land Management, which comprise approxi-  
23 mately 7,376 acres, as generally depicted on a  
24 map titled “Pisgah East & West Proposed Wil-  
25 derness” and dated October 16, 2019, which,



1           upon designation as wilderness under para-  
2           graph (2), shall be known as the Pisgah East  
3           Wilderness.

4           (B) Certain lands managed by the Colo-  
5           rado River Valley Field Office of the Bureau of  
6           Land Management, which comprise approxi-  
7           mately 6,828 acres, as generally depicted on a  
8           map titled “Pisgah East & West Proposed Wil-  
9           derness” and dated October 16, 2019, which,  
10          upon designation as wilderness under para-  
11          graph (2), shall be known as the Pisgah West  
12          Wilderness.

13          (C) Certain lands managed by the Colo-  
14          rado River Valley Field Office of the Bureau of  
15          Land Management or located in the White  
16          River National Forest, which comprise approxi-  
17          mately 16,101 acres, as generally depicted on a  
18          map titled “Flat Tops Proposed Wilderness Ad-  
19          dition”, dated October 9, 2019, and which,  
20          upon designation as wilderness under para-  
21          graph (2), shall be incorporated in and shall be  
22          deemed to be a part of the Flat Tops Wilder-  
23          ness designated by Public Law 94–146.

24          (2) DESIGNATION AS WILDERNESS.—Lands  
25          designated as a potential wilderness area by sub-

1 paragraphs (A) through (C) of paragraph (1) shall  
2 be designated as wilderness on the date on which the  
3 Secretary publishes in the Federal Register a notice  
4 that all nonconforming uses of those lands author-  
5 ized by subsection (e) in the potential wilderness  
6 area that would be in violation of the Wilderness Act  
7 (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.) have ceased. Such publica-  
8 tion in the Federal Register and designation as wil-  
9 derness shall occur for the potential wilderness area  
10 as the nonconforming uses cease in that potential  
11 wilderness area and designation as wilderness is not  
12 dependent on cessation of nonconforming uses in the  
13 other potential wilderness area.

14 (3) MANAGEMENT.—Except for activities pro-  
15 vided for under subsection (e), lands designated as  
16 a potential wilderness area by paragraph (1) shall be  
17 managed by the Secretary in accordance with the  
18 Wilderness Act as wilderness pending the designa-  
19 tion of such lands as wilderness under this sub-  
20 section.

21 **SEC. 104. WATER.**

22 (a) EFFECT ON WATER RIGHTS.—Nothing in this  
23 subtitle—

1           (1) affects the use or allocation, in existence on  
2           the date of enactment of this subtitle, of any water,  
3           water right, or interest in water;

4           (2) affects any vested absolute or decreed condi-  
5           tional water right in existence on the date of enact-  
6           ment of this subtitle, including any water right held  
7           by the United States;

8           (3) affects any interstate water compact in ex-  
9           istence on the date of enactment of this subtitle;

10          (4) authorizes or imposes any new reserved  
11          Federal water rights; and

12          (5) shall be considered to be a relinquishment  
13          or reduction of any water rights reserved or appro-  
14          priated by the United States in the State of Colo-  
15          rado on or before the date of the enactment of this  
16          subtitle.

17          (b) MIDSTREAM AREAS.—

18           (1) PURPOSE.—The purpose of this subsection  
19           is to protect for the benefit and enjoyment of  
20           present and future generations—

21           (A) the unique and nationally important  
22           values of areas designated as wilderness by sec-  
23           tion 102(b) (including the geological, cultural,  
24           archaeological, paleontological, natural, sci-  
25           entific, recreational, environmental, biological,

1 wilderness, wildlife, riparian, historical, edu-  
2 cational, and scenic resources of the public  
3 land); and

4 (B) the water resources of area streams,  
5 based on seasonally available flows, that are  
6 necessary to support aquatic, riparian, and ter-  
7 restrial species and communities.

8 (2) WILDERNESS WATER RIGHTS.—

9 (A) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary shall en-  
10 sure that any water rights within the wilderness  
11 designated by section 102(b) required to fulfill  
12 the purposes of such wilderness are secured in  
13 accordance with subparagraphs (B) through  
14 (G).

15 (B) STATE LAW.—

16 (i) PROCEDURAL REQUIREMENTS.—  
17 Any water rights for which the Secretary  
18 pursues adjudication shall be appropriated,  
19 adjudicated, changed, and administered in  
20 accordance with the procedural require-  
21 ments and priority system of State law.

22 (ii) ESTABLISHMENT OF WATER  
23 RIGHTS.—

24 (I) IN GENERAL.—Except as pro-  
25 vided in subclause (II), the purposes

1 and other substantive characteristics  
2 of the water rights pursued under this  
3 paragraph shall be established in ac-  
4 cordance with State law.

5 (II) EXCEPTION.—Notwith-  
6 standing subclause (I) and in accord-  
7 ance with this subtitle, the Secretary  
8 may appropriate and seek adjudica-  
9 tion of water rights to maintain sur-  
10 face water levels and stream flows on  
11 and across the wilderness designated  
12 by section 102(b) to fulfill the pur-  
13 poses of such wilderness.

14 (C) DEADLINE.—The Secretary shall  
15 promptly appropriate the water rights required  
16 to fulfill the purposes of the wilderness des-  
17 ignated by section 102(b).

18 (D) REQUIRED DETERMINATION.—The  
19 Secretary shall not pursue adjudication for any  
20 instream flow water rights unless the Secretary  
21 makes a determination pursuant to subpara-  
22 graph (E)(ii) or (F).

23 (E) COOPERATIVE ENFORCEMENT.—

24 (i) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary shall  
25 not pursue adjudication of any Federal

1 instream flow water rights established  
2 under this paragraph if—

3 (I) the Secretary determines,  
4 upon adjudication of the water rights  
5 by the Colorado Water Conservation  
6 Board, that the Board holds water  
7 rights sufficient in priority, amount,  
8 and timing to fulfill the purposes of  
9 this subsection; and

10 (II) the Secretary has entered  
11 into a perpetual agreement with the  
12 Colorado Water Conservation Board  
13 to ensure full exercise, protection, and  
14 enforcement of the State water rights  
15 within the wilderness to reliably fulfill  
16 the purposes of this subsection.

17 (ii) ADJUDICATION.—If the Secretary  
18 determines that the provisions of clause (i)  
19 have not been met, the Secretary shall ad-  
20 judicate and exercise any Federal water  
21 rights required to fulfill the purposes of  
22 the wilderness in accordance with this  
23 paragraph.

24 (F) INSUFFICIENT WATER RIGHTS.—If the  
25 Colorado Water Conservation Board modifies

1 the instream flow water rights obtained under  
2 subparagraph (E) to such a degree that the  
3 Secretary determines that water rights held by  
4 the State are insufficient to fulfill the purposes  
5 of this subtitle, the Secretary shall adjudicate  
6 and exercise Federal water rights required to  
7 fulfill the purposes of this subtitle in accordance  
8 with subparagraph (B).

9 (G) FAILURE TO COMPLY.—The Secretary  
10 shall promptly act to exercise and enforce the  
11 water rights described in subparagraph (E) if  
12 the Secretary determines that—

13 (i) the State is not exercising its  
14 water rights consistent with subparagraph  
15 (E)(i)(I); or

16 (ii) the agreement described in sub-  
17 paragraph (E)(i)(II) is not fulfilled or com-  
18 plied with sufficiently to fulfill the pur-  
19 poses of this subtitle.

20 (3) WATER RESOURCE FACILITY.—Notwith-  
21 standing any other provision of law, beginning on  
22 the date of enactment of this subtitle, neither the  
23 President nor any other officer, employee, or agent  
24 of the United States shall fund, assist, authorize, or  
25 issue a license or permit for development of any new

1 irrigation and pumping facility, reservoir, water con-  
2 servation work, aqueduct, canal, ditch, pipeline, well,  
3 hydropower project, transmission, other ancillary fa-  
4 cility, or other water, diversion, storage, or carriage  
5 structure in the wilderness designated by section  
6 102(b).

7 (c) ACCESS AND OPERATION.—

8 (1) DEFINITION.—As used in this subsection,  
9 the term “water resource facility” means irrigation  
10 and pumping facilities, reservoirs, water conserva-  
11 tion works, aqueducts, canals, ditches, pipelines,  
12 wells, hydropower projects, transmission and other  
13 ancillary facilities, and other water diversion, stor-  
14 age, and carriage structures.

15 (2) ACCESS TO WATER RESOURCE FACILI-  
16 TIES.—Subject to the provisions of this subsection,  
17 the Secretary shall allow reasonable access to water  
18 resource facilities in existence on the date of enact-  
19 ment of this subtitle within the areas described in  
20 sections 102(b) and 102(c), including motorized ac-  
21 cess where necessary and customarily employed on  
22 routes existing as of the date of enactment of this  
23 subtitle.

24 (3) ACCESS ROUTES.—Existing access routes  
25 within such areas customarily employed as of the



1 date of enactment of this subtitle may be used,  
2 maintained, repaired, and replaced to the extent nec-  
3 essary to maintain their present function, design,  
4 and serviceable operation, so long as such activities  
5 have no increased adverse impacts on the resources  
6 and values of the areas described in sections 102(b)  
7 and 102(c) than existed as of the date of enactment  
8 of this subtitle.

9 (4) USE OF WATER RESOURCE FACILITIES.—  
10 Subject to the provisions of this subsection and sub-  
11 section (a)(4), the Secretary shall allow water re-  
12 source facilities existing on the date of enactment of  
13 this subtitle within areas described in sections  
14 102(b) and 102(c) to be used, operated, maintained,  
15 repaired, and replaced to the extent necessary for  
16 the continued exercise, in accordance with Colorado  
17 State law, of vested water rights adjudicated for use  
18 in connection with such facilities by a court of com-  
19 petent jurisdiction prior to the date of enactment of  
20 this subtitle. The impact of an existing facility on  
21 the water resources and values of the area shall not  
22 be increased as a result of changes in the adju-  
23 dicated type of use of such facility as of the date of  
24 enactment of this subtitle.

1           (5) REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE.—Water re-  
2           source facilities, and access routes serving such fa-  
3           cilities, existing within the areas described in sec-  
4           tions 102(b) and 102(c) on the date of enactment of  
5           this subtitle shall be maintained and repaired when  
6           and to the extent necessary to prevent increased ad-  
7           verse impacts on the resources and values of the  
8           areas described in sections 102(b) and 102(c).

9 **SEC. 105. SENSE OF CONGRESS.**

10          It is the sense of Congress that military aviation  
11          training on Federal public lands in Colorado, including the  
12          training conducted at the High-Altitude Army National  
13          Guard Aviation Training Site, is critical to the national  
14          security of the United States and the readiness of the  
15          Armed Forces.

16 **SEC. 106. DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE STUDY ON IMPACTS**

17                   **THAT THE EXPANSION OF WILDERNESS DES-**  
18                   **IGNATIONS IN THE WESTERN UNITED STATES**  
19                   **WOULD HAVE ON THE READINESS OF THE**  
20                   **ARMED FORCES OF THE UNITED STATES**  
21                   **WITH RESPECT TO AVIATION TRAINING.**

22          (a) STUDY REQUIRED.—The Secretary of Defense  
23          shall conduct a study on the impacts that the expansion  
24          of wilderness designations in the Western United States

1 would have on the readiness of the Armed Forces of the  
2 United States with respect to aviation training.

3 (b) REPORT.—Not later than 180 days after the date  
4 of the enactment of this subtitle, the Secretary shall sub-  
5 mit to the Committees on Armed Services of the Senate  
6 and House of Representatives a report on the study re-  
7 quired under subsection (a).

8 **Subtitle B—Northwest California**  
9 **Wilderness, Recreation, and**  
10 **Working Forests**

11 **SEC. 201. DEFINITIONS.**

12 In this subtitle:

13 (1) SECRETARY.—The term “Secretary”  
14 means—

15 (A) with respect to land under the jurisdic-  
16 tion of the Secretary of Agriculture, the Sec-  
17 retary of Agriculture; and

18 (B) with respect to land under the jurisdic-  
19 tion of the Secretary of the Interior, the Sec-  
20 retary of the Interior.

21 (2) STATE.—The term “State” means the State  
22 of California.

1           **PART 1—RESTORATION AND ECONOMIC**  
2                                   **DEVELOPMENT**

3   **SEC. 211. SOUTH FORK TRINITY-MAD RIVER RESTORATION**  
4                                   **AREA.**

5           (a) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

6                   (1) COLLABORATIVELY DEVELOPED.—The term  
7           “collaboratively developed” means projects that are  
8           developed and implemented through a collaborative  
9           process that—

10                   (A) includes—

11                           (i) appropriate Federal, State, and  
12                           local agencies; and

13                           (ii) multiple interested persons rep-  
14                           resenting diverse interests; and

15                   (B) is transparent and nonexclusive.

16                   (2) PLANTATION.—The term “plantation”  
17           means a forested area that has been artificially es-  
18           tablished by planting or seeding.

19                   (3) RESTORATION.—The term “restoration”  
20           means the process of assisting the recovery of an  
21           ecosystem that has been degraded, damaged, or de-  
22           stroyed by establishing the composition, structure,  
23           pattern, and ecological processes necessary to facili-  
24           tate terrestrial and aquatic ecosystem sustainability,  
25           resilience, and health under current and future con-  
26           ditions.

1           (4) RESTORATION AREA.—The term “restora-  
2           tion area” means the South Fork Trinity-Mad River  
3           Restoration Area, established by subsection (b).

4           (5) SHADED FUEL BREAK.—The term “shaded  
5           fuel break” means a vegetation treatment that effec-  
6           tively addresses all project-generated slash and that  
7           retains: adequate canopy cover to suppress plant re-  
8           growth in the forest understory following treatment;  
9           the longest lived trees that provide the most shade  
10          over the longest period of time; the healthiest and  
11          most vigorous trees with the greatest potential for  
12          crown-growth in plantations and in natural stands  
13          adjacent to plantations; and all mature hardwoods,  
14          when practicable.

15          (6) STEWARDSHIP CONTRACT.—The term  
16          “stewardship contract” means an agreement or con-  
17          tract entered into under section 604 of the Healthy  
18          Forests Restoration Act of 2003 (16 U.S.C. 6591e).

19          (7) WILDLAND-URBAN INTERFACE.—The term  
20          “wildland-urban interface” has the meaning given  
21          the term by section 101 of the Healthy Forests Res-  
22          toration Act of 2003 (16 U.S.C. 6511).

23          (b) ESTABLISHMENT.—Subject to valid existing  
24          rights, there is established the South Fork Trinity-Mad  
25          River Restoration Area, comprising approximately

1 871,414 acres of Federal land administered by the Forest  
2 Service and Bureau of Land Management, as generally de-  
3 picted on the map entitled “South Fork Trinity-Mad River  
4 Restoration Area” and dated May 15, 2020, to be known  
5 as the South Fork Trinity-Mad River Restoration Area.

6 (c) PURPOSES.—The purposes of the restoration area  
7 are to—

8 (1) establish, restore, and maintain fire-resilient  
9 forest structures containing late successional forest  
10 structure characterized by large trees and multisto-  
11 ried canopies, as ecologically appropriate;

12 (2) protect late successional reserves;

13 (3) enhance the restoration of Federal lands  
14 within the restoration area;

15 (4) reduce the threat posed by wildfires to com-  
16 munities within the restoration area;

17 (5) protect and restore aquatic habitat and  
18 anadromous fisheries;

19 (6) protect the quality of water within the res-  
20 toration area; and

21 (7) allow visitors to enjoy the scenic, rec-  
22 reational, natural, cultural, and wildlife values of the  
23 restoration area.

24 (d) MANAGEMENT.—

1           (1) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary shall manage  
2           the restoration area—

3                   (A) in a manner consistent with the pur-  
4                   poses described in subsection (c);

5                   (B) in a manner that—

6                           (i) in the case of the Forest Service,  
7                           prioritizes restoration of the restoration  
8                           area over other nonemergency vegetation  
9                           management projects on the portions of  
10                          the Six Rivers and Shasta-Trinity National  
11                          Forests in Humboldt and Trinity Counties;  
12                          and

13                           (ii) in the case of the United States  
14                           Fish and Wildlife Service, establishes with  
15                           the Forest Service an agreement for co-  
16                           operation to ensure timely completion of  
17                           consultation required by section 7 of the  
18                           Endangered Species Act (15 U.S.C. 1536)  
19                           on restoration projects within the restora-  
20                           tion area and agreement to maintain and  
21                           exchange information on planning sched-  
22                           ules and priorities on a regular basis;

23                   (C) in accordance with—

24                           (i) the laws (including regulations)  
25                           and rules applicable to the National Forest

1 System for land managed by the Forest  
2 Service;

3 (ii) the Federal Land Policy and Man-  
4 agement Act of 1976 (43 U.S.C. 1701 et  
5 seq.) for land managed by the Bureau of  
6 Land Management;

7 (iii) this subtitle; and

8 (iv) any other applicable law (includ-  
9 ing regulations); and

10 (D) in a manner consistent with congres-  
11 sional intent that consultation for restoration  
12 projects within the restoration area is com-  
13 pleted in a timely and efficient manner.

14 (2) CONFLICT OF LAWS.—

15 (A) IN GENERAL.—The establishment of  
16 the restoration area shall not change the man-  
17 agement status of any land or water that is  
18 designated wilderness or as a wild and scenic  
19 river, including lands and waters designated by  
20 this subtitle.

21 (B) RESOLUTION OF CONFLICT.—If there  
22 is a conflict between the laws applicable to the  
23 areas described in subparagraph (A) and this  
24 section, the more restrictive provision shall con-  
25 trol.



1 (3) USES.—

2 (A) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary shall  
3 only allow uses of the restoration area that the  
4 Secretary determines would further the pur-  
5 poses described in subsection (c).

6 (B) PRIORITY.—The Secretary shall  
7 prioritize restoration activities within the res-  
8 toration area.

9 (C) LIMITATION.—Nothing in this section  
10 shall limit the Secretary's ability to plan, ap-  
11 prove, or prioritize activities outside of the res-  
12 toration area.

13 (4) WILDLAND FIRE.—

14 (A) IN GENERAL.—Nothing in this section  
15 prohibits the Secretary, in cooperation with  
16 other Federal, State, and local agencies, as ap-  
17 propriate, from conducting wildland fire oper-  
18 ations in the restoration area, consistent with  
19 the purposes of this section.

20 (B) PRIORITY.—The Secretary may use  
21 prescribed burning and managed wildland fire  
22 to the fullest extent practicable to achieve the  
23 purposes of this section.

24 (5) ROAD DECOMMISSIONING.—

1           (A) IN GENERAL.—To the extent prac-  
2           ticable, the Secretary shall decommission  
3           unneded National Forest System roads identi-  
4           fied for decommissioning and unauthorized  
5           roads identified for decommissioning within the  
6           restoration area—

- 7                   (i) subject to appropriations;
- 8                   (ii) consistent with the analysis re-  
9                   quired by subparts A and B of part 212 of  
10                  title 36, Code of Federal Regulations; and  
11                  (iii) in accordance with existing law.

12           (B) ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENT.—In mak-  
13           ing determinations regarding road decommis-  
14           sioning under subparagraph (A), the Secretary  
15           shall consult with—

- 16                   (i) appropriate State, Tribal, and local  
17                   governmental entities; and  
18                   (ii) members of the public.

19           (C) DEFINITION.—As used in subpara-  
20           graph (A), the term “decommission” means—

- 21                   (i) to reestablish vegetation on a road;  
22                   and  
23                   (ii) to restore any natural drainage,  
24                   watershed function, or other ecological  
25                   processes that are disrupted or adversely

1           impacted by the road by removing or  
2           hydrologically disconnecting the road  
3           prism.

4           (6) VEGETATION MANAGEMENT.—

5           (A) IN GENERAL.—Subject to subpara-  
6           graphs (B), (C), and (D), the Secretary may  
7           conduct vegetation management projects in the  
8           restoration area only where necessary to—

9                   (i) maintain or restore the character-  
10                  istics of ecosystem composition and struc-  
11                  ture;

12                  (ii) reduce wildfire risk to commu-  
13                  nities by promoting forests that are fire re-  
14                  silient;

15                  (iii) improve the habitat of threatened,  
16                  endangered, or sensitive species;

17                  (iv) protect or improve water quality;  
18                  or

19                  (v) enhance the restoration of lands  
20                  within the restoration area.

21           (B) ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS.—

22                  (i) SHADED FUEL BREAKS.—In car-  
23                  rying out subparagraph (A), the Secretary  
24                  shall prioritize, as practicable, the estab-

1                    lishment of a network of shaded fuel  
2                    breaks within—

3                    (I) the portions of the wildland-  
4                    urban interface that are within 150  
5                    feet from private property contiguous  
6                    to Federal land;

7                    (II) 150 feet from any road that  
8                    is open to motorized vehicles as of the  
9                    date of enactment of this subtitle—

10                    (aa) except that, where to-  
11                    pography or other conditions re-  
12                    quire, the Secretary may estab-  
13                    lish shaded fuel breaks up to 275  
14                    feet from a road so long as the  
15                    combined total width of the  
16                    shaded fuel breaks for both sides  
17                    of the road does not exceed 300  
18                    feet; and

19                    (bb) provided that the Sec-  
20                    retary shall include vegetation  
21                    treatments within a minimum of  
22                    25 feet of the road where prac-  
23                    ticable, feasible, and appropriate  
24                    as part of any shaded fuel break;  
25                    or

1 (III) 150 feet of any plantation.

2 (ii) PLANTATIONS; RIPARIAN RE-  
3 SERVES.—The Secretary may undertake  
4 vegetation management projects—

5 (I) in areas within the restora-  
6 tion area in which fish and wildlife  
7 habitat is significantly compromised  
8 as a result of past management prac-  
9 tices (including plantations); and

10 (II) within designated riparian  
11 reserves only where necessary to  
12 maintain the integrity of fuel breaks  
13 and to enhance fire resilience.

14 (C) COMPLIANCE.—The Secretary shall  
15 carry out vegetation management projects with-  
16 in the restoration area—

17 (i) in accordance with—

18 (I) this section; and

19 (II) existing law (including regu-  
20 lations);

21 (ii) after providing an opportunity for  
22 public comment; and

23 (iii) subject to appropriations.

24 (D) BEST AVAILABLE SCIENCE.—The Sec-  
25 retary shall use the best available science in

1 planning and implementing vegetation manage-  
2 ment projects within the restoration area.

3 (7) GRAZING.—

4 (A) EXISTING GRAZING.—The grazing of  
5 livestock in the restoration area, where estab-  
6 lished before the date of enactment of this sub-  
7 title, shall be permitted to continue—

8 (i) subject to—

9 (I) such reasonable regulations,  
10 policies, and practices as the Sec-  
11 retary considers necessary; and

12 (II) applicable law (including reg-  
13 ulations); and

14 (ii) in a manner consistent with the  
15 purposes described in subsection (c).

16 (B) TARGETED NEW GRAZING.—The Sec-  
17 retary may issue annual targeted grazing per-  
18 mits for the grazing of livestock in the restora-  
19 tion area, where not established before the date  
20 of the enactment of this subtitle, to control nox-  
21 ious weeds, aid in the control of wildfire within  
22 the wildland-urban interface, or to provide other  
23 ecological benefits subject to—

1 (i) such reasonable regulations, poli-  
2 cies, and practices as the Secretary con-  
3 siderers necessary; and

4 (ii) a manner consistent with the pur-  
5 poses described in subsection (c).

6 (C) BEST AVAILABLE SCIENCE.—The Sec-  
7 retary shall use the best available science when  
8 determining whether to issue targeted grazing  
9 permits within the restoration area.

10 (e) WITHDRAWAL.—Subject to valid existing rights,  
11 the restoration area is withdrawn from—

12 (1) all forms of entry, appropriation, and dis-  
13 posal under the public land laws;

14 (2) location, entry, and patent under the mining  
15 laws; and

16 (3) disposition under all laws relating to min-  
17 eral and geothermal leasing or mineral materials.

18 (f) USE OF STEWARDSHIP CONTRACTS.—To the  
19 maximum extent practicable, the Secretary shall—

20 (1) use stewardship contracts to implement this  
21 section; and

22 (2) use revenue derived from such stewardship  
23 contracts for restoration and other activities within  
24 the restoration area which shall include staff and ad-

1       ministrative costs to support timely consultation ac-  
2       tivities for restoration projects.

3       (g) COLLABORATION.—In developing and imple-  
4       menting restoration projects in the restoration area, the  
5       Secretary shall consult with collaborative groups with an  
6       interest in the restoration area.

7       (h) ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW.—A collaboratively de-  
8       veloped restoration project within the restoration area may  
9       be carried out in accordance with the provisions for haz-  
10      ardous fuel reduction projects set forth in sections 104,  
11      105, and 106 of the Healthy Forests Restoration Act of  
12      2003 (16 U.S.C. 6514–6516), as applicable.

13      (i) MULTIPARTY MONITORING.—The Secretary of  
14      Agriculture shall—

15           (1) in collaboration with the Secretary of the  
16      Interior and interested persons, use a multiparty  
17      monitoring, evaluation, and accountability process to  
18      assess the positive or negative ecological, social, and  
19      economic effects of restoration projects within the  
20      restoration area; and

21           (2) incorporate the monitoring results into the  
22      management of the restoration area.

23      (j) FUNDING.—The Secretary shall use all existing  
24      authorities to secure as much funding as necessary to ful-  
25      fill the purposes of the restoration area.



1 (k) FOREST RESIDUES UTILIZATION.—

2 (1) IN GENERAL.—In accordance with applica-  
3 ble law, including regulations, and this section, the  
4 Secretary may utilize forest residues from restora-  
5 tion projects, including shaded fuel breaks, in the  
6 restoration area for research and development of  
7 biobased products that result in net carbon seques-  
8 tration.

9 (2) PARTNERSHIPS.—In carrying out para-  
10 graph (1), the Secretary may enter into partnerships  
11 with universities, nongovernmental organizations, in-  
12 dustry, Tribes, and Federal, State, and local govern-  
13 mental agencies.

14 **SEC. 212. REDWOOD NATIONAL AND STATE PARKS RES-**  
15 **TORATION.**

16 (a) PARTNERSHIP AGREEMENTS.—The Secretary of  
17 the Interior is authorized to undertake initiatives to re-  
18 store degraded redwood forest ecosystems in Redwood Na-  
19 tional and State Parks in partnership with the State of  
20 California, local agencies, and nongovernmental organiza-  
21 tions.

22 (b) COMPLIANCE.—In carrying out any initiative au-  
23 thorized by subsection (a), the Secretary of the Interior  
24 shall comply with all applicable law.

1 **SEC. 213. CALIFORNIA PUBLIC LANDS REMEDIATION PART-**  
2 **nership.**

3 (a) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

4 (1) PARTNERSHIP.—The term “partnership”  
5 means the California Public Lands Remediation  
6 Partnership, established by subsection (b).

7 (2) PRIORITY LANDS.—The term “priority  
8 lands” means Federal land within the State that is  
9 determined by the partnership to be a high priority  
10 for remediation.

11 (3) REMEDIATION.—The term “remediation”  
12 means to facilitate the recovery of lands and waters  
13 that have been degraded, damaged, or destroyed by  
14 illegal marijuana cultivation or another illegal activ-  
15 ity. Remediation includes but is not limited to re-  
16 moval of trash, debris, and other material, and es-  
17 tablishing the composition, structure, pattern, and  
18 ecological processes necessary to facilitate terrestrial  
19 and aquatic ecosystem sustainability, resilience, and  
20 health under current and future conditions.

21 (b) ESTABLISHMENT.—There is hereby established a  
22 California Public Lands Remediation Partnership.

23 (c) PURPOSES.—The purposes of the partnership are  
24 to—

25 (1) coordinate the activities of Federal, State,  
26 Tribal, and local authorities, and the private sector,

1 in the remediation of priority lands in the State af-  
2 fected by illegal marijuana cultivation or other illegal  
3 activities; and

4 (2) use the resources and expertise of each  
5 agency, authority, or entity in implementing remedi-  
6 ation activities on priority lands in the State.

7 (d) MEMBERSHIP.—The members of the partnership  
8 shall include the following:

9 (1) The Secretary of Agriculture, or a designee  
10 of the Secretary of Agriculture to represent the For-  
11 est Service.

12 (2) The Secretary of the Interior, or a designee  
13 of the Secretary of the Interior, to represent the  
14 United States Fish and Wildlife Service, Bureau of  
15 Land Management, and National Park Service.

16 (3) The Director of the Office of National Drug  
17 Control Policy, or a designee of the Director.

18 (4) The Secretary of the State Natural Re-  
19 sources Agency, or a designee of the Secretary, to  
20 represent the California Department of Fish and  
21 Wildlife.

22 (5) A designee of the California State Water  
23 Resources Control Board.

24 (6) A designee of the California State Sheriffs'  
25 Association.

1           (7) One member to represent federally recog-  
2 nized Indian Tribes, to be appointed by the Sec-  
3 retary of Agriculture.

4           (8) One member to represent nongovernmental  
5 organizations with an interest in Federal land reme-  
6 diation, to be appointed by the Secretary of Agri-  
7 culture.

8           (9) One member to represent local govern-  
9 mental interests, to be appointed by the Secretary of  
10 Agriculture.

11           (10) A law enforcement official from each of  
12 the following:

13                   (A) The Department of the Interior.

14                   (B) The Department of Agriculture.

15           (11) A scientist to provide expertise and advise  
16 on methods needed for remediation efforts, to be ap-  
17 pointed by the Secretary of Agriculture.

18           (12) A designee of the National Guard Counter  
19 Drug Program.

20           (e) DUTIES.—To further the purposes of this section,  
21 the partnership shall—

22                   (1) identify priority lands for remediation in the  
23 State;

1           (2) secure resources from Federal and non-Fed-  
2           eral sources to apply to remediation of priority lands  
3           in the State;

4           (3) support efforts by Federal, State, Tribal,  
5           and local agencies, and nongovernmental organiza-  
6           tions in carrying out remediation of priority lands in  
7           the State;

8           (4) support research and education on the im-  
9           pacts of, and solutions to, illegal marijuana cultiva-  
10          tion and other illegal activities on priority lands in  
11          the State;

12          (5) involve other Federal, State, Tribal, and  
13          local agencies, nongovernmental organizations, and  
14          the public in remediation efforts, to the extent prac-  
15          ticable; and

16          (6) take any other administrative or advisory  
17          actions as necessary to address remediation of pri-  
18          ority lands in the State.

19          (f) **AUTHORITIES.**—To implement this section, the  
20          partnership may, subject to the prior approval of the Sec-  
21          retary of Agriculture—

22                 (1) make grants to the State, political subdivi-  
23                 sions of the State, nonprofit organizations, and  
24                 other persons;

1           (2) enter into cooperative agreements with, or  
2           provide grants or technical assistance to, the State,  
3           political subdivisions of the State, nonprofit organi-  
4           zations, Federal agencies, and other interested par-  
5           ties;

6           (3) hire and compensate staff;

7           (4) obtain funds or services from any source,  
8           including Federal and non-Federal funds, and funds  
9           and services provided under any other Federal law  
10          or program;

11          (5) contract for goods or services; and

12          (6) support activities of partners and any other  
13          activities that further the purposes of this section.

14          (g) PROCEDURES.—The partnership shall establish  
15          such rules and procedures as it deems necessary or desir-  
16          able.

17          (h) LOCAL HIRING.—The partnership shall, to the  
18          maximum extent practicable and in accordance with exist-  
19          ing law, give preference to local entities and persons when  
20          carrying out this section.

21          (i) SERVICE WITHOUT COMPENSATION.—Members of  
22          the partnership shall serve without pay.

23          (j) DUTIES AND AUTHORITIES OF THE SECRETARY  
24          OF AGRICULTURE.—

1           (1) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary of Agriculture  
2 shall convene the partnership on a regular basis to  
3 carry out this section.

4           (2) TECHNICAL AND FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE.—  
5 The Secretary of Agriculture and Secretary of the  
6 Interior may provide technical and financial assist-  
7 ance, on a reimbursable or nonreimbursable basis, as  
8 determined by the appropriate Secretary, to the  
9 partnership or any members of the partnership to  
10 carry out this subtitle.

11           (3) COOPERATIVE AGREEMENTS.—The Sec-  
12 retary of Agriculture and Secretary of the Interior  
13 may enter into cooperative agreements with the  
14 partnership, any members of the partnership, or  
15 other public or private entities to provide technical,  
16 financial, or other assistance to carry out this sub-  
17 title.

18 **SEC. 214. TRINITY LAKE VISITOR CENTER.**

19           (a) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary of Agriculture, act-  
20 ing through the Chief of the Forest Service, may establish,  
21 in cooperation with any other public or private entities  
22 that the Secretary may determine to be appropriate, a vis-  
23 itor center in Weaverville, California—

24           (1) to serve visitors; and

1           (2) to assist in fulfilling the purposes of the  
2       Whiskeytown-Shasta-Trinity National Recreation  
3       Area.

4       (b) REQUIREMENTS.—The Secretary shall ensure  
5       that the visitor center authorized under subsection (a) is  
6       designed to interpret the scenic, biological, natural, histor-  
7       ical, scientific, paleontological, recreational, ecological, wil-  
8       derness, and cultural resources of the Whiskeytown-Shas-  
9       ta-Trinity National Recreation Area and other nearby  
10      Federal lands.

11      (c) COOPERATIVE AGREEMENTS.—The Secretary of  
12      Agriculture may, in a manner consistent with this subtitle,  
13      enter into cooperative agreements with the State and any  
14      other appropriate institutions and organizations to carry  
15      out the purposes of this section.

16      **SEC. 215. DEL NORTE COUNTY VISITOR CENTER.**

17      (a) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary of Agriculture and  
18      Secretary of the Interior, acting jointly or separately, may  
19      establish, in cooperation with any other public or private  
20      entities that the Secretaries determine to be appropriate,  
21      a visitor center in Del Norte County, California—

22           (1) to serve visitors; and

23           (2) to assist in fulfilling the purposes of Red-  
24      wood National and State Parks, the Smith River



1 National Recreation Area, and other nearby Federal  
2 lands.

3 (b) REQUIREMENTS.—The Secretaries shall ensure  
4 that the visitor center authorized under subsection (a) is  
5 designed to interpret the scenic, biological, natural, histor-  
6 ical, scientific, paleontological, recreational, ecological, wil-  
7 derness, and cultural resources of Redwood National and  
8 State Parks, the Smith River National Recreation Area,  
9 and other nearby Federal lands.

10 **SEC. 216. MANAGEMENT PLANS.**

11 (a) IN GENERAL.—In revising the land and resource  
12 management plan for the Shasta-Trinity, Six Rivers,  
13 Klamath, and Mendocino National Forests, the Secretary  
14 shall—

15 (1) consider the purposes of the South Fork  
16 Trinity-Mad River Restoration Area established by  
17 section 211; and

18 (2) include or update the fire management plan  
19 for the wilderness areas and wilderness additions es-  
20 tablished by this subtitle.

21 (b) REQUIREMENT.—In carrying out the revisions re-  
22 quired by subsection (a), the Secretary shall—

23 (1) develop spatial fire management plans in  
24 accordance with—

1 (A) the Guidance for Implementation of  
2 Federal Wildland Fire Management Policy  
3 dated February 13, 2009, including any amend-  
4 ments to that guidance; and

5 (B) other appropriate policies;

6 (2) ensure that a fire management plan—

7 (A) considers how prescribed or managed  
8 fire can be used to achieve ecological manage-  
9 ment objectives of wilderness and other natural  
10 or primitive areas; and

11 (B) in the case of a wilderness area ex-  
12 panded by section 231, provides consistent di-  
13 rection regarding fire management to the entire  
14 wilderness area, including the addition;

15 (3) consult with—

16 (A) appropriate State, Tribal, and local  
17 governmental entities; and

18 (B) members of the public; and

19 (4) comply with applicable laws (including regu-  
20 lations).

21 **SEC. 217. STUDY; PARTNERSHIPS RELATED TO OVERNIGHT**  
22 **ACCOMMODATIONS.**

23 (a) STUDY.—The Secretary of the Interior, in con-  
24 sultation with interested Federal, State, Tribal, and local  
25 entities, and private and nonprofit organizations, shall

1 conduct a study to evaluate the feasibility and suitability  
2 of establishing overnight accommodations near Redwood  
3 National and State Parks on—

4 (1) Federal land at the northern boundary or  
5 on land within 20 miles of the northern boundary;  
6 and

7 (2) Federal land at the southern boundary or  
8 on land within 20 miles of the southern boundary.

9 (b) PARTNERSHIPS.—

10 (1) AGREEMENTS AUTHORIZED.—If the study  
11 conducted under subsection (a) determines that es-  
12 tablishing the described accommodations is suitable  
13 and feasible, the Secretary may enter into agree-  
14 ments with qualified private and nonprofit organiza-  
15 tions for the development, operation, and mainte-  
16 nance of overnight accommodations.

17 (2) CONTENTS.—Any agreements entered into  
18 under paragraph (1) shall clearly define the role and  
19 responsibility of the Secretary and the private or  
20 nonprofit organization.

21 (3) COMPLIANCE.—The Secretary shall enter  
22 agreements under paragraph (1) in accordance with  
23 existing law.

24 (4) EFFECT.—Nothing in this subsection—

1 (A) reduces or diminishes the authority of  
2 the Secretary to manage land and resources  
3 under the jurisdiction of the Secretary; or

4 (B) amends or modifies the application of  
5 any existing law (including regulations) applica-  
6 ble to land under the jurisdiction of the Sec-  
7 retary.

8 **PART 2—RECREATION**

9 **SEC. 221. HORSE MOUNTAIN SPECIAL MANAGEMENT AREA.**

10 (a) ESTABLISHMENT.—Subject to valid existing  
11 rights, there is established the Horse Mountain Special  
12 Management Area (referred to in this section as the “spe-  
13 cial management area”) comprising approximately 7,482  
14 acres of Federal land administered by the Forest Service  
15 in Humboldt County, California, as generally depicted on  
16 the map entitled “Horse Mountain Special Management  
17 Area” and dated May 15, 2020.

18 (b) PURPOSES.—The purpose of the special manage-  
19 ment area is to enhance the recreational and scenic values  
20 of the special management area while conserving the  
21 plants, wildlife, and other natural resource values of the  
22 area.

23 (c) MANAGEMENT PLAN.—

24 (1) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 3 years after  
25 the date of enactment of this subtitle and in accord-

1           ance with paragraph (2), the Secretary shall develop  
2           a comprehensive plan for the long-term management  
3           of the special management area.

4           (2) CONSULTATION.—In developing the man-  
5           agement plan required under paragraph (1), the  
6           Secretary shall consult with—

7                   (A) appropriate State, Tribal, and local  
8                   governmental entities; and

9                   (B) members of the public.

10           (3) ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENT.—The manage-  
11           ment plan required under paragraph (1) shall ensure  
12           that recreational use within the special management  
13           area does not cause significant adverse impacts on  
14           the plants and wildlife of the special management  
15           area.

16           (d) MANAGEMENT.—

17                   (1) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary shall manage  
18           the special management area—

19                           (A) in furtherance of the purposes de-  
20                           scribed in subsection (b); and

21                           (B) in accordance with—

22                                   (i) the laws (including regulations)  
23                                   generally applicable to the National Forest  
24                                   System;

25                                   (ii) this section; and

1 (iii) any other applicable law (includ-  
2 ing regulations).

3 (2) RECREATION.—The Secretary shall con-  
4 tinue to authorize, maintain, and enhance the rec-  
5 reational use of the special management area, in-  
6 cluding hunting, fishing, camping, hiking, hang glid-  
7 ing, sightseeing, nature study, horseback riding,  
8 rafting, mountain biking, and motorized recreation  
9 on authorized routes, and other recreational activi-  
10 ties, so long as such recreational use is consistent  
11 with the purposes of the special management area,  
12 this section, other applicable law (including regula-  
13 tions), and applicable management plans.

14 (3) MOTORIZED VEHICLES.—

15 (A) IN GENERAL.—Except as provided in  
16 subparagraph (B), the use of motorized vehicles  
17 in the special management area shall be per-  
18 mitted only on roads and trails designated for  
19 the use of motorized vehicles.

20 (B) USE OF SNOWMOBILES.—The winter  
21 use of snowmobiles shall be allowed in the spe-  
22 cial management area—

23 (i) during periods of adequate snow  
24 coverage during the winter season; and

1 (ii) subject to any terms and condi-  
2 tions determined to be necessary by the  
3 Secretary.

4 (4) NEW TRAILS.—

5 (A) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary may  
6 construct new trails for motorized or non-  
7 motorized recreation within the special manage-  
8 ment area in accordance with—

9 (i) the laws (including regulations)  
10 generally applicable to the National Forest  
11 System;

12 (ii) this section; and

13 (iii) any other applicable law (includ-  
14 ing regulations).

15 (B) PRIORITY.—In establishing new trails  
16 within the special management area, the Sec-  
17 retary shall—

18 (i) prioritize the establishment of  
19 loops that provide high-quality, diverse rec-  
20 reational experiences; and

21 (ii) consult with members of the pub-  
22 lic.

23 (e) WITHDRAWAL.—Subject to valid existing rights,  
24 the special management area is withdrawn from—

1           (1) all forms of appropriation or disposal under  
2           the public land laws;

3           (2) location, entry, and patent under the mining  
4           laws; and

5           (3) disposition under laws relating to mineral  
6           and geothermal leasing.

7   **SEC. 222. BIGFOOT NATIONAL RECREATION TRAIL.**

8           (a) FEASIBILITY STUDY.—

9           (1) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 3 years after  
10          the date of the enactment of this subtitle, the Sec-  
11          retary of Agriculture, in cooperation with the Sec-  
12          retary of the Interior, shall submit to the Committee  
13          on Natural Resources of the House of Representa-  
14          tives and Committee on Energy and Natural Re-  
15          sources of the Senate a study that describes the fea-  
16          sibility of establishing a nonmotorized Bigfoot Na-  
17          tional Recreation Trail that follows the route de-  
18          scribed in paragraph (2).

19          (2) ROUTE.—The trail described in paragraph  
20          (1) shall extend from the Ides Cove Trailhead in the  
21          Mendocino National Forest to Crescent City, Cali-  
22          fornia, by roughly following the route as generally  
23          depicted on the map entitled “Bigfoot National  
24          Recreation Trail—Proposed” and dated July 25,  
25          2018.



1           (3) ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENT.—In com-  
2           pleting the study required by subsection (a), the Sec-  
3           retary of Agriculture shall consult with—

4                   (A) appropriate Federal, State, Tribal, re-  
5                   gional, and local agencies;

6                   (B) private landowners;

7                   (C) nongovernmental organizations; and

8                   (D) members of the public.

9           (b) DESIGNATION.—

10           (1) IN GENERAL.—Upon a determination that  
11           the Bigfoot National Recreation Trail is feasible and  
12           meets the requirements for a National Recreation  
13           Trail in section 1243 of title 16, United States  
14           Code, the Secretary of Agriculture shall designate  
15           the Bigfoot National Recreation Trail in accordance  
16           with—

17                   (A) the National Trails System Act (Public  
18                   Law 90–543);

19                   (B) this subtitle; and

20                   (C) other applicable law (including regula-  
21                   tions).

22           (2) ADMINISTRATION.—Upon designation by  
23           the Secretary of Agriculture, the Bigfoot National  
24           Recreation Trail (referred to in this section as the

1 “trail”) shall be administered by the Secretary of  
2 Agriculture, in consultation with—

3 (A) other Federal, State, Tribal, regional,  
4 and local agencies;

5 (B) private landowners; and

6 (C) other interested organizations.

7 (3) PRIVATE PROPERTY RIGHTS.—

8 (A) IN GENERAL.—No portions of the trail  
9 may be located on non-Federal land without the  
10 written consent of the landowner.

11 (B) PROHIBITION.—The Secretary of Agri-  
12 culture shall not acquire for the trail any land  
13 or interest in land outside the exterior boundary  
14 of any federally managed area without the con-  
15 sent of the owner of the land or interest in the  
16 land.

17 (C) EFFECT.—Nothing in this section—

18 (i) requires any private property  
19 owner to allow public access (including  
20 Federal, State, or local government access)  
21 to private property; or

22 (ii) modifies any provision of Federal,  
23 State, or local law with respect to public  
24 access to or use of private land.

1 (c) COOPERATIVE AGREEMENTS.—In carrying out  
2 this section, the Secretary of Agriculture may enter into  
3 cooperative agreements with State, Tribal, and local gov-  
4 ernment entities and private entities to complete needed  
5 trail construction, reconstruction, realignment, mainte-  
6 nance, or education projects related to the Bigfoot Na-  
7 tional Recreation Trail.

8 (d) MAP.—

9 (1) MAP REQUIRED.—Upon designation of the  
10 Bigfoot National Recreation Trail, the Secretary of  
11 Agriculture shall prepare a map of the trail.

12 (2) PUBLIC AVAILABILITY.—The map referred  
13 to in paragraph (1) shall be on file and available for  
14 public inspection in the appropriate offices of the  
15 Forest Service.

16 **SEC. 223. ELK CAMP RIDGE RECREATION TRAIL.**

17 (a) DESIGNATION.—

18 (1) IN GENERAL.—In accordance with para-  
19 graph (2), the Secretary of Agriculture after an op-  
20 portunity for public comment, shall designate a trail  
21 (which may include a system of trails)—

22 (A) for use by off-highway vehicles or  
23 mountain bicycles, or both; and

24 (B) to be known as the Elk Camp Ridge  
25 Recreation Trail.

1           (2) REQUIREMENTS.—In designating the Elk  
2           Camp Ridge Recreation Trail (referred to in this  
3           section as the “trail”), the Secretary shall only in-  
4           clude trails that are—

5                   (A) as of the date of enactment of this  
6                   subtitle, authorized for use by off-highway vehi-  
7                   cles or mountain bikes, or both; and

8                   (B) located on land that is managed by the  
9                   Forest Service in Del Norte County.

10           (3) MAP.—A map that depicts the trail shall be  
11           on file and available for public inspection in the ap-  
12           propriate offices of the Forest Service.

13           (b) MANAGEMENT.—

14                   (1) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary shall manage  
15           the trail—

16                   (A) in accordance with applicable laws (in-  
17                   cluding regulations);

18                   (B) to ensure the safety of citizens who  
19                   use the trail; and

20                   (C) in a manner by which to minimize any  
21                   damage to sensitive habitat or cultural re-  
22                   sources.

23           (2) MONITORING; EVALUATION.—To minimize  
24           the impacts of the use of the trail on environmental  
25           and cultural resources, the Secretary shall annually

1 assess the effects of the use of off-highway vehicles  
2 and mountain bicycles on—

3 (A) the trail;

4 (B) land located in proximity to the trail;

5 and

6 (C) plants, wildlife, and wildlife habitat.

7 (3) CLOSURE.—The Secretary, in consultation  
8 with the State and Del Norte County, and subject  
9 to paragraph (4), may temporarily close or perma-  
10 nently reroute a portion of the trail if the Secretary  
11 determines that—

12 (A) the trail is having an adverse impact  
13 on—

14 (i) wildlife habitats;

15 (ii) natural resources;

16 (iii) cultural resources; or

17 (iv) traditional uses;

18 (B) the trail threatens public safety; or

19 (C) closure of the trail is necessary—

20 (i) to repair damage to the trail; or

21 (ii) to repair resource damage.

22 (4) REROUTING.—Any portion of the trail that  
23 is temporarily closed by the Secretary under para-  
24 graph (3) may be permanently rerouted along any  
25 road or trail—

1 (A) that is—

2 (i) in existence as of the date of the  
3 closure of the portion of the trail;

4 (ii) located on public land; and

5 (iii) open to motorized or mechanized  
6 use; and

7 (B) if the Secretary determines that re-  
8 routing the portion of the trail would not sig-  
9 nificantly increase or decrease the length of the  
10 trail.

11 (5) NOTICE OF AVAILABLE ROUTES.—The Sec-  
12 retary shall ensure that visitors to the trail have ac-  
13 cess to adequate notice relating to the availability of  
14 trail routes through—

15 (A) the placement of appropriate signage  
16 along the trail; and

17 (B) the distribution of maps, safety edu-  
18 cation materials, and other information that the  
19 Secretary concerned determines to be appro-  
20 priate.

21 (c) EFFECT.—Nothing in this section affects the  
22 ownership, management, or other rights relating to any  
23 non-Federal land (including any interest in any non-Fed-  
24 eral land).

1 **SEC. 224. TRINITY LAKE TRAIL.**

2 (a) TRAIL CONSTRUCTION.—

3 (1) FEASIBILITY STUDY.—Not later than 18  
4 months after the date of enactment of this subtitle,  
5 the Secretary shall study the feasibility and public  
6 interest of constructing a recreational trail for non-  
7 motorized uses around Trinity Lake.

8 (2) CONSTRUCTION.—

9 (A) CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZED.—Sub-  
10 ject to appropriations, and in accordance with  
11 paragraph (3), if the Secretary determines  
12 under paragraph (1) that the construction of  
13 the trail described in such paragraph is feasible  
14 and in the public interest, the Secretary may  
15 provide for the construction of the trail.

16 (B) USE OF VOLUNTEER SERVICES AND  
17 CONTRIBUTIONS.—The trail may be constructed  
18 under this section through the acceptance of  
19 volunteer services and contributions from non-  
20 Federal sources to reduce or eliminate the need  
21 for Federal expenditures to construct the trail.

22 (3) COMPLIANCE.—In carrying out this section,  
23 the Secretary shall comply with—

24 (A) the laws (including regulations) gen-  
25 erally applicable to the National Forest System;  
26 and

1 (B) this subtitle.

2 (b) EFFECT.—Nothing in this section affects the  
3 ownership, management, or other rights relating to any  
4 non-Federal land (including any interest in any non-Fed-  
5 eral land).

6 **SEC. 225. TRAILS STUDY.**

7 (a) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 2 years after the  
8 date of enactment of this subtitle, the Secretary of Agri-  
9 culture, in accordance with subsection (b) and in consulta-  
10 tion with interested parties, shall conduct a study to im-  
11 prove motorized and nonmotorized recreation trail oppor-  
12 tunities (including mountain bicycling) on land not des-  
13 igned as wilderness within the portions of the Six Rivers,  
14 Shasta-Trinity, and Mendocino National Forests located  
15 in Del Norte, Humboldt, Trinity, and Mendocino Coun-  
16 ties.

17 (b) CONSULTATION.—In carrying out the study re-  
18 quired by subsection (a), the Secretary of Agriculture shall  
19 consult with the Secretary of the Interior regarding oppor-  
20 tunities to improve, through increased coordination, recre-  
21 ation trail opportunities on land under the jurisdiction of  
22 the Secretary of the Interior that shares a boundary with  
23 the national forest land described in subsection (a).



1 **SEC. 226. CONSTRUCTION OF MOUNTAIN BICYCLING**  
2 **ROUTES.**

3 (a) TRAIL CONSTRUCTION.—

4 (1) FEASIBILITY STUDY.—Not later than 18  
5 months after the date of enactment of this subtitle,  
6 the Secretary of Agriculture shall study the feasi-  
7 bility and public interest of constructing recreational  
8 trails for mountain bicycling and other nonmotorized  
9 uses on the routes as generally depicted in the re-  
10 port entitled “Trail Study for Smith River National  
11 Recreation Area Six Rivers National Forest” and  
12 dated 2016.

13 (2) CONSTRUCTION.—

14 (A) CONSTRUCTION AUTHORIZED.—Sub-  
15 ject to appropriations, and in accordance with  
16 paragraph (3), if the Secretary determines  
17 under paragraph (1) that the construction of  
18 one or more routes described in such paragraph  
19 is feasible and in the public interest, the Sec-  
20 retary may provide for the construction of the  
21 routes.

22 (B) MODIFICATIONS.—The Secretary may  
23 modify the routes as necessary in the opinion of  
24 the Secretary.

25 (C) USE OF VOLUNTEER SERVICES AND  
26 CONTRIBUTIONS.—Routes may be constructed

1 under this section through the acceptance of  
2 volunteer services and contributions from non-  
3 Federal sources to reduce or eliminate the need  
4 for Federal expenditures to construct the route.

5 (3) COMPLIANCE.—In carrying out this section,  
6 the Secretary shall comply with—

7 (A) the laws (including regulations) gen-  
8 erally applicable to the National Forest System;  
9 and

10 (B) this subtitle.

11 (b) EFFECT.—Nothing in this section affects the  
12 ownership, management, or other rights relating to any  
13 non-Federal land (including any interest in any non-Fed-  
14 eral land).

15 **SEC. 227. PARTNERSHIPS.**

16 (a) AGREEMENTS AUTHORIZED.—The Secretary is  
17 authorized to enter into agreements with qualified private  
18 and nonprofit organizations to undertake the following ac-  
19 tivities on Federal lands in Mendocino, Humboldt, Trinity,  
20 and Del Norte Counties—

21 (1) trail and campground maintenance;

22 (2) public education, visitor contacts, and out-  
23 reach; and

24 (3) visitor center staffing.

1 (b) CONTENTS.—Any agreements entered into under  
2 subsection (a) shall clearly define the role and responsi-  
3 bility of the Secretary and the private or nonprofit organi-  
4 zation.

5 (c) COMPLIANCE.—The Secretary shall enter into  
6 agreements under subsection (a) in accordance with exist-  
7 ing law.

8 (d) EFFECT.—Nothing in this section—

9 (1) reduces or diminishes the authority of the  
10 Secretary to manage land and resources under the  
11 jurisdiction of the Secretary; or

12 (2) amends or modifies the application of any  
13 existing law (including regulations) applicable to  
14 land under the jurisdiction of the Secretary.

### 15 **PART 3—CONSERVATION**

#### 16 **SEC. 231. DESIGNATION OF WILDERNESS.**

17 (a) IN GENERAL.—In accordance with the Wilderness  
18 Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.), the following areas in the  
19 State are designated as wilderness areas and as compo-  
20 nents of the National Wilderness Preservation System:

21 (1) BLACK BUTTE RIVER WILDERNESS.—Cer-  
22 tain Federal land managed by the Forest Service in  
23 the State, comprising approximately 11,155 acres,  
24 as generally depicted on the map entitled “Black  
25 Butte Wilderness—Proposed” and dated May 15,

1       2020, which shall be known as the Black Butte  
2       River Wilderness.

3           (2)    CHANCHELULLA    WILDERNESS    ADDI-  
4       TIONS.—Certain Federal land managed by the For-  
5       est Service in the State, comprising approximately  
6       6,382 acres, as generally depicted on the map enti-  
7       tled “Chanchelulla Wilderness Additions—Proposed”  
8       and dated May 15, 2020, which is incorporated in,  
9       and considered to be a part of, the Chanchelulla Wil-  
10      derness, as designated by section 101(a)(4) of the  
11      California Wilderness Act of 1984 (16 U.S.C. 1132  
12      note; 98 Stat. 1619).

13           (3)    CHINQUAPIN    WILDERNESS.—Certain Fed-  
14      eral land managed by the Forest Service in the  
15      State, comprising approximately 27,164 acres, as  
16      generally depicted on the map entitled “Chinquapin  
17      Wilderness—Proposed” and dated May 15, 2020,  
18      which shall be known as the Chinquapin Wilderness.

19           (4)    ELKHORN    RIDGE    WILDERNESS    ADDITION.—  
20      Certain Federal land managed by the Bureau of  
21      Land Management in the State, comprising approxi-  
22      mately 37 acres, as generally depicted on the map  
23      entitled “Proposed Elkhorn Ridge Wilderness Addi-  
24      tions” and dated October 24, 2019, which is incor-  
25      porated in, and considered to be a part of, the Elk-

1 horn Ridge Wilderness, as designated by section  
2 6(d) of Public Law 109–362 (16 U.S.C. 1132 note;  
3 120 Stat. 2070).

4 (5) ENGLISH RIDGE WILDERNESS.—Certain  
5 Federal land managed by the Bureau of Land Man-  
6 agement in the State, comprising approximately  
7 6,204 acres, as generally depicted on the map enti-  
8 tled “English Ridge Wilderness—Proposed” and  
9 dated March 29, 2019, which shall be known as the  
10 English Ridge Wilderness.

11 (6) HEADWATERS FOREST WILDERNESS.—Cer-  
12 tain Federal land managed by the Bureau of Land  
13 Management in the State, comprising approximately  
14 4,360 acres, as generally depicted on the map enti-  
15 tled “Headwaters Forest Wilderness—Proposed”  
16 and dated October 15, 2019, which shall be known  
17 as the Headwaters Forest Wilderness.

18 (7) MAD RIVER BUTTES WILDERNESS.—Certain  
19 Federal land managed by the Forest Service in the  
20 State, comprising approximately 6,097 acres, as gen-  
21 erally depicted on the map entitled “Mad River  
22 Buttes Wilderness—Proposed” and dated May 15,  
23 2020, which shall be known as the Mad River  
24 Buttes Wilderness.

1           (8) MOUNT LASSIC WILDERNESS ADDITION.—  
2           Certain Federal land managed by the Forest Service  
3           in the State, comprising approximately 1,288 acres,  
4           as generally depicted on the map entitled “Mt.  
5           Lassic Wilderness Additions—Proposed” and dated  
6           May 15, 2020, which is incorporated in, and consid-  
7           ered to be a part of, the Mount Lassic Wilderness,  
8           as designated by section 3(6) of Public Law 109–  
9           362 (16 U.S.C. 1132 note; 120 Stat. 2065).

10           (9) NORTH FORK EEL WILDERNESS ADDI-  
11           TION.—Certain Federal land managed by the Forest  
12           Service and the Bureau of Land Management in the  
13           State, comprising approximately 16,342 acres, as  
14           generally depicted on the map entitled “North Fork  
15           Eel Wilderness Additions” and dated May 15, 2020,  
16           which is incorporated in, and considered to be a part  
17           of, the North Fork Eel Wilderness, as designated by  
18           section 101(a)(19) of the California Wilderness Act  
19           of 1984 (16 U.S.C. 1132 note; 98 Stat. 1621).

20           (10) PATTISON WILDERNESS.—Certain Federal  
21           land managed by the Forest Service in the State,  
22           comprising approximately 29,451 acres, as generally  
23           depicted on the map entitled “Pattison Wilderness—  
24           Proposed” and dated May 15, 2020, which shall be  
25           known as the Pattison Wilderness.

1           (11) SANHEDRIN WILDERNESS ADDITION.—  
2           Certain Federal land managed by the Forest Service  
3           in the State, comprising approximately 112 acres, as  
4           generally depicted on the map entitled “Sanhedrin  
5           Wilderness Addition—Proposed” and dated March  
6           29, 2019, which is incorporated in, and considered  
7           to be a part of, the Sanhedrin Wilderness, as des-  
8           ignated by section 3(2) of Public Law 109–362 (16  
9           U.S.C. 1132 note; 120 Stat. 2065).

10           (12) SISKIYOU WILDERNESS ADDITION.—Cer-  
11           tain Federal land managed by the Forest Service in  
12           the State, comprising approximately 23,913 acres,  
13           as generally depicted on the maps entitled “Siskiyou  
14           Wilderness Additions—Proposed (North)” and  
15           “Siskiyou Wilderness Additions—Proposed (South)”  
16           and dated May 15, 2020, which is incorporated in,  
17           and considered to be a part of, the Siskiyou Wilder-  
18           ness, as designated by section 101(a)(30) of the  
19           California Wilderness Act of 1984 (16 U.S.C. 1132  
20           note; 98 Stat. 1623) (as amended by section 3(5) of  
21           Public Law 109–362 (16 U.S.C. 1132 note; 120  
22           Stat. 2065)).

23           (13) SOUTH FORK EEL RIVER WILDERNESS AD-  
24           DITION.—Certain Federal land managed by the Bu-  
25           reau of Land Management in the State, comprising

1 approximately 603 acres, as generally depicted on  
2 the map entitled “South Fork Eel River Wilderness  
3 Additions—Proposed” and dated October 24, 2019,  
4 which is incorporated in, and considered to be a part  
5 of, the South Fork Eel River Wilderness, as des-  
6 ignated by section 3(10) of Public Law 109–362 (16  
7 U.S.C. 1132 note; 120 Stat. 2066).

8 (14) SOUTH FORK TRINITY RIVER WILDER-  
9 NESS.—Certain Federal land managed by the Forest  
10 Service in the State, comprising approximately  
11 26,115 acres, as generally depicted on the map enti-  
12 tled “South Fork Trinity River Wilderness Addi-  
13 tions—Proposed” and dated May 15, 2020, which  
14 shall be known as the South Fork Trinity River Wil-  
15 derness.

16 (15) TRINITY ALPS WILDERNESS ADDITION.—  
17 Certain Federal land managed by the Forest Service  
18 in the State, comprising approximately 61,187 acres,  
19 as generally depicted on the maps entitled “Trinity  
20 Alps Proposed Wilderness Additions EAST” and  
21 “Trinity Alps Wilderness Additions West—Pro-  
22 posed” and dated May 15, 2020, which is incor-  
23 porated in, and considered to be a part of, the Trin-  
24 ity Alps Wilderness, as designated by section  
25 101(a)(34) of the California Wilderness Act of 1984



1 (16 U.S.C. 1132 note; 98 Stat. 1623) (as amended  
2 by section 3(7) of Public Law 109–362 (16 U.S.C.  
3 1132 note; 120 Stat. 2065)).

4 (16) UNDERWOOD WILDERNESS.—Certain Fed-  
5 eral land managed by the Forest Service in the  
6 State, comprising approximately 15,068 acres, as  
7 generally depicted on the map entitled “Underwood  
8 Wilderness—Proposed” and dated May 15, 2020,  
9 which shall be known as the Underwood Wilderness.

10 (17) YOLLA BOLLY-MIDDLE EEL WILDERNESS  
11 ADDITIONS.—Certain Federal land managed by the  
12 Forest Service and the Bureau of Land Management  
13 in the State, comprising approximately 11,243 acres,  
14 as generally depicted on the maps entitled “Yolla  
15 Bolly Wilderness Proposed—NORTH”, “Yolla Bolly  
16 Wilderness Proposed—SOUTH”, and “Yolla Bolly  
17 Wilderness Proposed—WEST” and dated May 15,  
18 2020, which is incorporated in, and considered to be  
19 a part of, the Yolla Bolly-Middle Eel Wilderness, as  
20 designated by section 3 of the Wilderness Act (16  
21 U.S.C. 1132) (as amended by section 3(4) of Public  
22 Law 109–362 (16 U.S.C. 1132 note; 120 Stat.  
23 2065)).

24 (18) YUKI WILDERNESS ADDITION.—Certain  
25 Federal land managed by the Forest Service and the

1 Bureau of Land Management in the State, com-  
2 prising approximately 11,076 acres, as generally de-  
3 picted on the map entitled “Yuki Wilderness Addi-  
4 tions—Proposed” and dated May 15, 2020, which is  
5 incorporated in, and considered to be a part of, the  
6 Yuki Wilderness, as designated by section 3(3) of  
7 Public Law 109–362 (16 U.S.C. 1132 note; 120  
8 Stat. 2065).

9 (b) REDESIGNATION OF NORTH FORK WILDERNESS  
10 AS NORTH FORK EEL RIVER WILDERNESS.—Section  
11 101(a)(19) of Public Law 98–425 (16 U.S.C. 1132 note;  
12 98 Stat. 1621) is amended by striking “North Fork Wil-  
13 derness” and inserting “North Fork Eel River Wilder-  
14 ness”. Any reference in a law, map, regulation, document,  
15 paper, or other record of the United States to the North  
16 Fork Wilderness shall be deemed to be a reference to the  
17 North Fork Eel River Wilderness.

18 (c) ELKHORN RIDGE WILDERNESS ADJUSTMENTS.—  
19 The boundary of the Elkhorn Ridge Wilderness estab-  
20 lished by section 6(d) of Public Law 109–362 (16 U.S.C.  
21 1132 note) is adjusted by deleting approximately 30 acres  
22 of Federal land as generally depicted on the map entitled  
23 “Proposed Elkhorn Ridge Wilderness Additions” and  
24 dated October 24, 2019.

1 **SEC. 232. ADMINISTRATION OF WILDERNESS.**

2 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subject to valid existing rights,  
3 the wilderness areas and wilderness additions established  
4 by section 231 shall be administered by the Secretary in  
5 accordance with this subtitle and the Wilderness Act (16  
6 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.), except that—

7 (1) any reference in the Wilderness Act to the  
8 effective date of that Act shall be considered to be  
9 a reference to the date of enactment of this subtitle;  
10 and

11 (2) any reference in that Act to the Secretary  
12 of Agriculture shall be considered to be a reference  
13 to the Secretary.

14 (b) FIRE MANAGEMENT AND RELATED ACTIVI-  
15 TIES.—

16 (1) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary may take  
17 such measures in a wilderness area or wilderness ad-  
18 dition designated by section 231 as are necessary for  
19 the control of fire, insects, and diseases in accord-  
20 ance with section 4(d)(1) of the Wilderness Act (16  
21 U.S.C. 1133(d)(1)) and House Report 98–40 of the  
22 98th Congress.

23 (2) FUNDING PRIORITIES.—Nothing in this  
24 subtitle limits funding for fire and fuels manage-  
25 ment in the wilderness areas or wilderness additions  
26 designated by this subtitle.

1           (3) ADMINISTRATION.—Consistent with para-  
2           graph (1) and other applicable Federal law, to en-  
3           sure a timely and efficient response to fire emer-  
4           gencies in the wilderness additions designated by  
5           this subtitle, the Secretary of Agriculture shall—

6                   (A) not later than 1 year after the date of  
7                   enactment of this subtitle, establish agency ap-  
8                   proval procedures (including appropriate delega-  
9                   tions of authority to the Forest Supervisor, Dis-  
10                  trict Manager, or other agency officials) for re-  
11                  sponding to fire emergencies; and

12                   (B) enter into agreements with appropriate  
13                  State or local firefighting agencies.

14           (c) GRAZING.—The grazing of livestock in the wilder-  
15           ness areas and wilderness additions designated by this  
16           subtitle, if established before the date of enactment of this  
17           subtitle, shall be administered in accordance with—

18                   (1) section 4(d)(4) of the Wilderness Act (16  
19                  U.S.C. 1133(d)(4)); and

20                   (2)(A) for lands under the jurisdiction of the  
21                  Secretary of Agriculture, the guidelines set forth in  
22                  the report of the Committee on Interior and Insular  
23                  Affairs of the House of Representatives accom-  
24                  panying H.R. 5487 of the 96th Congress (H. Rept.  
25                  96–617); or

1           (B) for lands under the jurisdiction of the Sec-  
2           retary of the Interior, the guidelines set forth in Ap-  
3           pendix A of the report of the Committee on Interior  
4           and Insular Affairs of the House of Representatives  
5           accompanying H.R. 2570 of the 101st Congress (H.  
6           Rept. 101–405).

7           (d) FISH AND WILDLIFE.—

8           (1) IN GENERAL.—In accordance with section  
9           4(d)(7) of the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C.  
10          1133(d)(7)), nothing in this subtitle affects the ju-  
11          risdiction or responsibilities of the State with respect  
12          to fish and wildlife on public land in the State.

13          (2) MANAGEMENT ACTIVITIES.—In furtherance  
14          of the purposes and principles of the Wilderness Act  
15          (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.), the Secretary may conduct  
16          any management activities that are necessary to  
17          maintain or restore fish, wildlife, and plant popu-  
18          lations and habitats in the wilderness areas or wil-  
19          derness additions designated by section 231, if the  
20          management activities are—

21                 (A) consistent with relevant wilderness  
22                 management plans; and

23                 (B) conducted in accordance with—

24                         (i) the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C.  
25                         1131 et seq.); and

1 (ii) appropriate policies, such as the  
2 policies established in Appendix B of  
3 House Report 101–405.

4 (e) BUFFER ZONES.—

5 (1) IN GENERAL.—Congress does not intend for  
6 designation of wilderness or wilderness additions by  
7 this subtitle to lead to the creation of protective pe-  
8 rimeters or buffer zones around each wilderness area  
9 or wilderness addition.

10 (2) ACTIVITIES OR USES UP TO BOUNDARIES.—

11 The fact that nonwilderness activities or uses can be  
12 seen or heard from within a wilderness area shall  
13 not, of itself, preclude the activities or uses up to the  
14 boundary of the wilderness area.

15 (f) MILITARY ACTIVITIES.—Nothing in this subtitle  
16 precludes—

17 (1) low-level overflights of military aircraft over  
18 the wilderness areas or wilderness additions des-  
19 igned by section 231;

20 (2) the designation of new units of special air-  
21 space over the wilderness areas or wilderness addi-  
22 tions designated by section 231; or

23 (3) the use or establishment of military flight  
24 training routes over the wilderness areas or wilder-  
25 ness additions designated by section 231.

1 (g) HORSES.—Nothing in this subtitle precludes  
2 horseback riding in, or the entry of recreational or com-  
3 mercial saddle or pack stock into, an area designated as  
4 a wilderness area or wilderness addition by section 231—

5 (1) in accordance with section 4(d)(5) of the  
6 Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1133(d)(5)); and

7 (2) subject to any terms and conditions deter-  
8 mined to be necessary by the Secretary.

9 (h) WITHDRAWAL.—Subject to valid existing rights,  
10 the wilderness areas and wilderness additions designated  
11 by section 231 are withdrawn from—

12 (1) all forms of entry, appropriation, and dis-  
13 posal under the public land laws;

14 (2) location, entry, and patent under the mining  
15 laws; and

16 (3) operation of the mineral materials and geo-  
17 thermal leasing laws.

18 (i) USE BY MEMBERS OF INDIAN TRIBES.—

19 (1) ACCESS.—In recognition of the past use of  
20 wilderness areas and wilderness additions designated  
21 by this subtitle by members of Indian Tribes for tra-  
22 ditional cultural and religious purposes, the Sec-  
23 retary shall ensure that Indian Tribes have access to  
24 the wilderness areas and wilderness additions des-

1       ignated by section 231 for traditional cultural and  
2       religious purposes.

3           (2) TEMPORARY CLOSURES.—

4           (A) IN GENERAL.—In carrying out this  
5       section, the Secretary, on request of an Indian  
6       Tribe, may temporarily close to the general  
7       public one or more specific portions of a wilder-  
8       ness area or wilderness addition to protect the  
9       privacy of the members of the Indian Tribe in  
10      the conduct of the traditional cultural and reli-  
11      gious activities in the wilderness area or wilder-  
12      ness addition.

13          (B) REQUIREMENT.—Any closure under  
14      subparagraph (A) shall be made in such a man-  
15      ner as to affect the smallest practicable area for  
16      the minimum period of time necessary for the  
17      activity to be carried out.

18          (3) APPLICABLE LAW.—Access to the wilder-  
19      ness areas and wilderness additions under this sub-  
20      section shall be in accordance with—

21           (A) Public Law 95–341 (commonly known  
22      as the American Indian Religious Freedom Act)  
23      (42 U.S.C. 1996 et seq.); and

24           (B) the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et  
25      seq.).



1           (j) INCORPORATION OF ACQUIRED LAND AND INTER-  
2 ESTS.—Any land within the boundary of a wilderness area  
3 or wilderness addition designated by section 231 that is  
4 acquired by the United States shall—

5           (1) become part of the wilderness area in which  
6 the land is located;

7           (2) be withdrawn in accordance with subsection  
8 (h); and

9           (3) be managed in accordance with this section,  
10 the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.), and  
11 any other applicable law.

12       (k) CLIMATOLOGICAL DATA COLLECTION.—In ac-  
13 cordance with the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.)  
14 and subject to such terms and conditions as the Secretary  
15 may prescribe, the Secretary may authorize the installa-  
16 tion and maintenance of hydrologic, meteorologic, or cli-  
17 matological collection devices in the wilderness areas and  
18 wilderness additions designated by section 231 if the Sec-  
19 retary determines that the facilities and access to the fa-  
20 cilities are essential to flood warning, flood control, or  
21 water reservoir operation activities.

22       (l) AUTHORIZED EVENTS.—The Secretary may con-  
23 tinue to authorize the competitive equestrian event per-  
24 mitted since 2012 in the Chinquapin Wilderness estab-

1 lished by section 231 in a manner compatible with the  
2 preservation of the area as wilderness.

3 (m) RECREATIONAL CLIMBING.—Nothing in this  
4 subtitle prohibits recreational rock climbing activities in  
5 the wilderness areas, such as the placement, use, and  
6 maintenance of fixed anchors, including any fixed anchor  
7 established before the date of the enactment of this sub-  
8 title—

9 (1) in accordance with the Wilderness Act (16  
10 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.); and

11 (2) subject to any terms and conditions deter-  
12 mined to be necessary by the Secretary.

13 **SEC. 233. DESIGNATION OF POTENTIAL WILDERNESS.**

14 (a) DESIGNATION.—In furtherance of the purposes of  
15 the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.), the following  
16 areas in the State are designated as potential wilderness  
17 areas:

18 (1) Certain Federal land managed by the For-  
19 est Service, comprising approximately 4,005 acres,  
20 as generally depicted on the map entitled “Chin-  
21 quapin Proposed Potential Wilderness” and dated  
22 May 15, 2020.

23 (2) Certain Federal land administered by the  
24 National Park Service, comprising approximately  
25 31,000 acres, as generally depicted on the map enti-

1 tled “Redwood National Park—Potential Wilder-  
2 ness” and dated October 9, 2019.

3 (3) Certain Federal land managed by the For-  
4 est Service, comprising approximately 5,681 acres,  
5 as generally depicted on the map entitled “Siskiyou  
6 Proposed Potential Wildernesses” and dated May  
7 15, 2020.

8 (4) Certain Federal land managed by the For-  
9 est Service, comprising approximately 446 acres, as  
10 generally depicted on the map entitled “South Fork  
11 Trinity River Proposed Potential Wilderness” and  
12 dated May 15, 2020.

13 (5) Certain Federal land managed by the For-  
14 est Service, comprising approximately 1,256 acres,  
15 as generally depicted on the map entitled “Trinity  
16 Alps Proposed Potential Wilderness” and dated May  
17 15, 2020.

18 (6) Certain Federal land managed by the For-  
19 est Service, comprising approximately 4,386 acres,  
20 as generally depicted on the map entitled “Yolla  
21 Bolly Middle-Eel Proposed Potential Wilderness”  
22 and dated May 15, 2020.

23 (7) Certain Federal land managed by the For-  
24 est Service, comprising approximately 2,918 acres,  
25 as generally depicted on the map entitled “Yuki Pro-

1 posed Potential Wilderness” and dated May 15,  
2 2020.

3 (b) MANAGEMENT.—Except as provided in subsection  
4 (c) and subject to valid existing rights, the Secretary shall  
5 manage the potential wilderness areas designated by sub-  
6 section (a) (referred to in this section as “potential wilder-  
7 ness areas”) as wilderness until the potential wilderness  
8 areas are designated as wilderness under subsection (d).

9 (c) ECOLOGICAL RESTORATION.—

10 (1) IN GENERAL.—For purposes of ecological  
11 restoration (including the elimination of nonnative  
12 species, removal of illegal, unused, or decommis-  
13 sioned roads, repair of skid tracks, and any other  
14 activities necessary to restore the natural ecosystems  
15 in a potential wilderness area and consistent with  
16 paragraph (2)), the Secretary may use motorized  
17 equipment and mechanized transport in a potential  
18 wilderness area until the potential wilderness area is  
19 designated as wilderness under subsection (d).

20 (2) LIMITATION.—To the maximum extent  
21 practicable, the Secretary shall use the minimum  
22 tool or administrative practice necessary to accom-  
23 plish ecological restoration with the least amount of  
24 adverse impact on wilderness character and re-  
25 sources.

1 (d) EVENTUAL WILDERNESS DESIGNATION.—The  
2 potential wilderness areas shall be designated as wilder-  
3 ness and as a component of the National Wilderness Pres-  
4 ervation System on the earlier of—

5 (1) the date on which the Secretary publishes in  
6 the Federal Register notice that the conditions in a  
7 potential wilderness area that are incompatible with  
8 the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.) have  
9 been removed; or

10 (2) the date that is 10 years after the date of  
11 enactment of this subtitle for potential wilderness  
12 areas located on lands managed by the Forest Serv-  
13 ice.

14 (e) ADMINISTRATION AS WILDERNESS.—

15 (1) IN GENERAL.—On its designation as wilder-  
16 ness under subsection (d), a potential wilderness  
17 area shall be administered in accordance with sec-  
18 tion 232 and the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et  
19 seq.).

20 (2) DESIGNATION.—On its designation as wil-  
21 derness under subsection (d)—

22 (A) the land described in subsection (a)(1)  
23 shall be incorporated in, and considered to be a  
24 part of, the Chinquapin Wilderness established  
25 by section 231(a)(3);

1 (B) the land described in subsection (a)(3)  
2 shall be incorporated in, and considered to be a  
3 part of, the Siskiyou Wilderness as designated  
4 by section 101(a)(30) of the California Wilder-  
5 ness Act of 1984 (16 U.S.C. 1132 note; 98  
6 Stat. 1623) (as amended by section 3(5) of  
7 Public Law 109–362 (16 U.S.C. 1132 note;  
8 120 Stat. 2065) and expanded by section  
9 231(a)(12));

10 (C) the land described in subsection (a)(4)  
11 shall be incorporated in, and considered to be a  
12 part of, the South Fork Trinity River Wilder-  
13 ness established by section 231(a)(14);

14 (D) the land described in subsection (a)(5)  
15 shall be incorporated in, and considered to be a  
16 part of, the Trinity Alps Wilderness as des-  
17 ignated by section 101(a)(34) of the California  
18 Wilderness Act of 1984 (16 U.S.C. 1132 note;  
19 98 Stat. 1623) (as amended by section 3(7) of  
20 Public Law 109–362 (16 U.S.C. 1132 note;  
21 120 Stat. 2065) and expanded by section  
22 231(a)(15));

23 (E) the land described in subsection (a)(6)  
24 shall be incorporated in, and considered to be a  
25 part of, the Yolla Bolly-Middle Eel Wilderness

1 as designated by section 3 of the Wilderness  
2 Act (16 U.S.C. 1132) (as amended by section  
3 3(4) of Public Law 109–362 (16 U.S.C. 1132  
4 note; 120 Stat. 2065) and expanded by section  
5 231(a)(17)); and

6 (F) the land described in subsection (a)(7)  
7 shall be incorporated in, and considered to be a  
8 part of, the Yuki Wilderness as designated by  
9 section 3(3) of Public Law 109–362 (16 U.S.C.  
10 1132 note; 120 Stat. 2065) and expanded by  
11 section 231(a)(18).

12 (f) REPORT.—Within 3 years after the date of enact-  
13 ment of this subtitle, and every 3 years thereafter until  
14 the date upon which the potential wilderness is designated  
15 wilderness under subsection (d), the Secretary shall sub-  
16 mit a report to the Committee on Natural Resources of  
17 the House of Representatives and the Committee on En-  
18 ergy and Natural Resources of the Senate on the status  
19 of ecological restoration within the potential wilderness  
20 area and the progress toward the potential wilderness  
21 area’s eventual wilderness designation under subsection  
22 (d).

1 **SEC. 234. DESIGNATION OF WILD AND SCENIC RIVERS.**

2 Section 3(a) of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers  
3 Act (16 U.S.C. 1274(a)) is amended by adding at the end  
4 the following:

5 “(231) SOUTH FORK TRINITY RIVER.—The fol-  
6 lowing segments from the source tributaries in the  
7 Yolla Bolly-Middle Eel Wilderness, to be adminis-  
8 tered by the Secretary of Agriculture:

9 “(A) The 18.3-mile segment from its mul-  
10 tiple source springs in the Cedar Basin of the  
11 Yolla Bolly-Middle Eel Wilderness in section  
12 15, T. 27 N., R. 10 W. to .25 miles upstream  
13 of the Wild Mad Road, as a wild river.

14 “(B) The .65-mile segment from .25 miles  
15 upstream of Wild Mad Road to the confluence  
16 with the unnamed tributary approximately .4  
17 miles downstream of the Wild Mad Road in sec-  
18 tion 29, T. 28 N., R. 11 W., as a scenic river.

19 “(C) The 9.8-mile segment from .75 miles  
20 downstream of Wild Mad Road to Silver Creek,  
21 as a wild river.

22 “(D) The 5.4-mile segment from Silver  
23 Creek confluence to Farley Creek, as a scenic  
24 river.

25 “(E) The 3.6-mile segment from Farley  
26 Creek to Cave Creek, as a recreational river.



1           “(F) The 5.6-mile segment from Cave  
2           Creek to the confluence of the unnamed creek  
3           upstream of Hidden Valley Ranch in section 5,  
4           T. 15, R. 7 E., as a wild river.

5           “(G) The 2.5-mile segment from unnamed  
6           creek confluence upstream of Hidden Valley  
7           Ranch to the confluence with the unnamed  
8           creek flowing west from Bear Wallow Mountain  
9           in section 29, T. 1 N., R. 7 E., as a scenic  
10          river.

11          “(H) The 3.8-mile segment from the  
12          unnamed creek confluence in section 29, T. 1  
13          N., R. 7 E. to Plummer Creek, as a wild river.

14          “(I) The 1.8-mile segment from Plummer  
15          Creek to the confluence with the unnamed trib-  
16          utary north of McClellan Place in section 6, T.  
17          1 N., R. 7 E., as a scenic river.

18          “(J) The 5.4-mile segment from the  
19          unnamed tributary confluence in section 6, T. 1  
20          N., R. 7 E. to Hitchcock Creek, as a wild river.

21          “(K) The 7-mile segment from Eltapom  
22          Creek to the Grouse Creek, as a scenic river.

23          “(L) The 5-mile segment from Grouse  
24          Creek to Coon Creek, as a wild river.

1           “(232) EAST FORK SOUTH FORK TRINITY  
2 RIVER.—The following segments to be administered  
3 by the Secretary of Agriculture:

4           “(A) The 8.4-mile segment from its source  
5 in the Pettijohn Basin in the Yolla Bolly-Middle  
6 Eel Wilderness in section 10, T. 3 S., R. 10 W.  
7 to .25 miles upstream of the Wild Mad Road,  
8 as a wild river.

9           “(B) The 3.4-mile segment from .25 miles  
10 upstream of the Wild Mad Road to the South  
11 Fork Trinity River, as a recreational river.

12          “(233) RATTLESNAKE CREEK.—The 5.9-mile  
13 segment from the confluence with the unnamed trib-  
14 utary in the southeast corner of section 5, T. 1 S.,  
15 R. 12 W. to the South Fork Trinity River, to be ad-  
16 ministered by the Secretary of Agriculture as a rec-  
17 reational river.

18          “(234) BUTTER CREEK.—The 7-mile segment  
19 from .25 miles downstream of the Road 3N08 cross-  
20 ing to the South Fork Trinity River, to be adminis-  
21 tered by the Secretary of Agriculture as a scenic  
22 river.

23          “(235) HAYFORK CREEK.—The following seg-  
24 ments to be administered by the Secretary of Agri-  
25 culture:

1           “(A) The 3.2-mile segment from Little  
2           Creek to Bear Creek, as a recreational river.

3           “(B) The 13.2-mile segment from Bear  
4           Creek to the northern boundary of section 19,  
5           T. 3 N., R. 7 E., as a scenic river.

6           “(236) OLSEN CREEK.—The 2.8-mile segment  
7           from the confluence of its source tributaries in sec-  
8           tion 5, T. 3 N., R. 7 E. to the northern boundary  
9           of section 24, T. 3 N., R. 6 E., to be administered  
10          by the Secretary of the Interior as a scenic river.

11          “(237) RUSCH CREEK.—The 3.2-mile segment  
12          from .25 miles downstream of the 32N11 Road  
13          crossing to Hayfork Creek, to be administered by  
14          the Secretary of Agriculture as a recreational river.

15          “(238) ELTAPOM CREEK.—The 3.4-mile seg-  
16          ment from Buckhorn Creek to the South Fork Trin-  
17          ity River, to be administered by the Secretary of Ag-  
18          riculture as a wild river.

19          “(239) GROUSE CREEK.—The following seg-  
20          ments to be administered by the Secretary of Agri-  
21          culture:

22                 “(A) The 3.9-mile segment from Carson  
23                 Creek to Cow Creek, as a scenic river.

1           “(B) The 7.4-mile segment from Cow  
2           Creek to the South Fork Trinity River, as a  
3           recreational river.

4           “(240) MADDEN CREEK.—The following seg-  
5           ments to be administered by the Secretary of Agri-  
6           culture:

7           “(A) The 6.8-mile segment from the con-  
8           fluence of Madden Creek and its unnamed trib-  
9           utary in section 18, T. 5 N., R. 5 E. to  
10          Fourmile Creek, as a wild river.

11          “(B) The 1.6-mile segment from Fourmile  
12          Creek to the South Fork Trinity River, as a  
13          recreational river.

14          “(241) CANYON CREEK.—The following seg-  
15          ments to be administered by the Secretary of Agri-  
16          culture and the Secretary of the Interior:

17          “(A) The 6.6-mile segment from the outlet  
18          of lower Canyon Creek Lake to Bear Creek up-  
19          stream of Ripstein, as a wild river.

20          “(B) The 11.2-mile segment from Bear  
21          Creek upstream of Ripstein to the southern  
22          boundary of section 25, T. 34 N., R. 11 W., as  
23          a recreational river.

1           “(242) NORTH FORK TRINITY RIVER.—The fol-  
2           lowing segments to be administered by the Secretary  
3           of Agriculture:

4                   “(A) The 12-mile segment from the con-  
5                   fluence of source tributaries in section 24, T. 8  
6                   N., R. 12 W. to the Trinity Alps Wilderness  
7                   boundary upstream of Hobo Gulch, as a wild  
8                   river.

9                   “(B) The .5-mile segment from where the  
10                  river leaves the Trinity Alps Wilderness to  
11                  where it fully reenters the Trinity Alps Wilder-  
12                  ness downstream of Hobo Gulch, as a scenic  
13                  river.

14                  “(C) The 13.9-mile segment from where  
15                  the river fully reenters the Trinity Alps Wilder-  
16                  ness downstream of Hobo Gulch to the Trinity  
17                  Alps Wilderness boundary upstream of the  
18                  County Road 421 crossing, as a wild river.

19                  “(D) The 1.3-mile segment from the Trin-  
20                  ity Alps Wilderness boundary upstream of the  
21                  County Road 421 crossing to the Trinity River,  
22                  as a recreational river.

23           “(243) EAST FORK NORTH FORK TRINITY  
24           RIVER.—The following segments to be administered  
25           by the Secretary of Agriculture:

1           “(A) The 9.5-mile segment from the river’s  
2 source north of Mt. Hilton in section 19, T. 36  
3 N., R. 10 W. to the end of Road 35N20 ap-  
4 proximately .5 miles downstream of the con-  
5 fluence with the East Branch East Fork North  
6 Fork Trinity River, as a wild river.

7           “(B) The 3.25-mile segment from the end  
8 of Road 35N20 to .25 miles upstream of  
9 Coleridge, as a scenic river.

10           “(C) The 4.6-mile segment from .25 miles  
11 upstream of Coleridge to the confluence of Fox  
12 Gulch, as a recreational river.

13           “(244) NEW RIVER.—The following segments  
14 to be administered by the Secretary of Agriculture:

15           “(A) The 12.7-mile segment of Virgin  
16 Creek from its source spring in section 22, T.  
17 9 N., R. 7 E. to Slide Creek, as a wild river.

18           “(B) The 2.3-mile segment of the New  
19 River where it begins at the confluence of Vir-  
20 gin and Slide Creeks to Barron Creek, as a wild  
21 river.

22           “(245) MIDDLE EEL RIVER.—The following  
23 segment, to be administered by the Secretary of Ag-  
24 riculture:

1           “(A) The 37.7-mile segment from its  
2 source in Frying Pan Meadow to Rose Creek,  
3 as a wild river.

4           “(B) The 1.5-mile segment from Rose  
5 Creek to the Black Butte River, as a rec-  
6 reational river.

7           “(C) The 10.5-mile segment of Balm of  
8 Gilead Creek from its source in Hopkins Hollow  
9 to the Middle Eel River, as a wild river.

10           “(D) The 13-mile segment of the North  
11 Fork Middle Fork Eel River from the source on  
12 Dead Puppy Ridge in section 11, T. 26 N., R.  
13 11 W. to the confluence of the Middle Eel  
14 River, as a wild river.

15           “(246) NORTH FORK EEL RIVER, CA.—The  
16 14.3-mile segment from the confluence with Gilman  
17 Creek to the Six Rivers National Forest boundary,  
18 to be administered by the Secretary of Agriculture  
19 as a wild river.

20           “(247) RED MOUNTAIN CREEK, CA.—The fol-  
21 lowing segments to be administered by the Secretary  
22 of Agriculture:

23           “(A) The 5.25-mile segment from its  
24 source west of Mike’s Rock in section 23, T. 26

1 N., R. 12 E. to the confluence with Littlefield  
2 Creek, as a wild river.

3 “(B) The 1.6-mile segment from the con-  
4 fluence with Littlefield Creek to the confluence  
5 with the unnamed tributary in section 32, T. 26  
6 N., R. 8 E., as a scenic river.

7 “(C) The 1.25-mile segment from the con-  
8 fluence with the unnamed tributary in section  
9 32, T. 4 S., R. 8 E. to the confluence with the  
10 North Fork Eel River, as a wild river.

11 “(248) REDWOOD CREEK.—The following seg-  
12 ments to be administered by the Secretary of the In-  
13 terior:

14 “(A) The 6.2-mile segment from the con-  
15 fluence with Lacks Creek to the confluence with  
16 Coyote Creek as a scenic river on publication by  
17 the Secretary of a notice in the Federal Reg-  
18 ister that sufficient inholdings within the  
19 boundaries of the segments have been acquired  
20 in fee title to establish a manageable addition  
21 to the system.

22 “(B) The 19.1-mile segment from the con-  
23 fluence with Coyote Creek in section 2, T. 8 N.,  
24 R. 2 E. to the Redwood National Park bound-



1           ary upstream of Orick in section 34, T. 11 N.,  
2           R. 1 E. as a scenic river.

3           “(C) The 2.3-mile segment of Emerald  
4           Creek (also known as Harry Weir Creek) from  
5           its source in section 29, T. 10 N., R. 2 E. to  
6           the confluence with Redwood Creek as a scenic  
7           river.

8           “(249) LACKS CREEK.—The following segments  
9           to be administered by the Secretary of the Interior:

10           “(A) The 5.1-mile segment from the con-  
11           fluence with two unnamed tributaries in section  
12           14, T. 7 N., R. 3 E. to Kings Crossing in sec-  
13           tion 27, T. 8 N., R. 3 E. as a wild river.

14           “(B) The 2.7-mile segment from Kings  
15           Crossing to the confluence with Redwood Creek  
16           as a scenic river upon publication by the Sec-  
17           retary of a notice in the Federal Register that  
18           sufficient inholdings within the segment have  
19           been acquired in fee title or as scenic easements  
20           to establish a manageable addition to the sys-  
21           tem.

22           “(250) LOST MAN CREEK.—The following seg-  
23           ments to be administered by the Secretary of the In-  
24           terior:

1           “(A) The 6.4-mile segment of Lost Man  
2           Creek from its source in section 5, T. 10 N., R.  
3           2 E. to .25 miles upstream of the Prairie Creek  
4           confluence, as a recreational river.

5           “(B) The 2.3-mile segment of Larry  
6           Damm Creek from its source in section 8, T. 11  
7           N., R. 2 E. to the confluence with Lost Man  
8           Creek, as a recreational river.

9           “(251) LITTLE LOST MAN CREEK.—The 3.6-  
10          mile segment of Little Lost Man Creek from its  
11          source in section 6, T. 10 N., R. 2 E. to .25 miles  
12          upstream of the Lost Man Creek road crossing, to  
13          be administered by the Secretary of the Interior as  
14          a wild river.

15          “(252) SOUTH FORK ELK RIVER.—The fol-  
16          lowing segments to be administered by the Secretary  
17          of the Interior through a cooperative management  
18          agreement with the State of California:

19                 “(A) The 3.6-mile segment of the Little  
20                 South Fork Elk River from the source in sec-  
21                 tion 21, T. 3 N., R. 1 E. to the confluence with  
22                 the South Fork Elk River, as a wild river.

23                 “(B) The 2.2-mile segment of the  
24                 unnamed tributary of the Little South Fork Elk  
25                 River from its source in section 15, T. 3 N., R.

1           1 E. to the confluence with the Little South  
2           Fork Elk River, as a wild river.

3           “(C) The 3.6-mile segment of the South  
4           Fork Elk River from the confluence of the Lit-  
5           tle South Fork Elk River to the confluence with  
6           Tom Gulch, as a recreational river.

7           “(253) SALMON CREEK.—The 4.6-mile segment  
8           from its source in section 27, T. 3 N., R. 1 E. to  
9           the Headwaters Forest Reserve boundary in section  
10          18, T. 3 N., R. 1 E. to be administered by the Sec-  
11          retary of the Interior as a wild river through a coop-  
12          erative management agreement with the State of  
13          California.

14          “(254) SOUTH FORK EEL RIVER.—The fol-  
15          lowing segments to be administered by the Secretary  
16          of the Interior:

17                 “(A) The 6.2-mile segment from the con-  
18                 fluence with Jack of Hearts Creek to the south-  
19                 ern boundary of the South Fork Eel Wilderness  
20                 in section 8, T. 22 N., R. 16 W., as a rec-  
21                 reational river to be administered by the Sec-  
22                 retary through a cooperative management  
23                 agreement with the State of California.

24                 “(B) The 6.1-mile segment from the south-  
25                 ern boundary of the South Fork Eel Wilderness

1 to the northern boundary of the South Fork  
2 Eel Wilderness in section 29, T. 23 N., R. 16  
3 W., as a wild river.

4 “(255) ELDER CREEK.—The following seg-  
5 ments to be administered by the Secretary of the In-  
6 terior through a cooperative management agreement  
7 with the State of California:

8 “(A) The 3.6-mile segment from its source  
9 north of Signal Peak in section 6, T. 21 N., R.  
10 15 W. to the confluence with the unnamed trib-  
11 utary near the center of section 28, T. 22 N.,  
12 R. 16 W., as a wild river.

13 “(B) The 1.3-mile segment from the con-  
14 fluence with the unnamed tributary near the  
15 center of section 28, T. 22 N., R. 15 W. to the  
16 confluence with the South Fork Eel River, as a  
17 recreational river.

18 “(C) The 2.1-mile segment of Paralyze  
19 Canyon from its source south of Signal Peak in  
20 section 7, T. 21 N., R. 15 W. to the confluence  
21 with Elder Creek, as a wild river.

22 “(256) CEDAR CREEK.—The following seg-  
23 ments to be administered as a wild river by the Sec-  
24 retary of the Interior:

1           “(A) The 7.7-mile segment from its source  
2           in section 22, T. 24 N., R. 16 W. to the south-  
3           ern boundary of the Red Mountain unit of the  
4           South Fork Eel Wilderness.

5           “(B) The 1.9-mile segment of North Fork  
6           Cedar Creek from its source in section 28, T.  
7           24 N., R. 16 E. to the confluence with Cedar  
8           Creek.

9           “(257) EAST BRANCH SOUTH FORK EEL  
10          RIVER.—The following segments to be administered  
11          by the Secretary of the Interior as a scenic river on  
12          publication by the Secretary of a notice in the Fed-  
13          eral Register that sufficient inholdings within the  
14          boundaries of the segments have been acquired in  
15          fee title or as scenic easements to establish a man-  
16          ageable addition to the system:

17                 “(A) The 2.3-mile segment of Cruso Cabin  
18                 Creek from the confluence of two unnamed trib-  
19                 utaries in section 18, T. 24 N., R. 15 W. to the  
20                 confluence with Elkhorn Creek.

21                 “(B) The 1.8-mile segment of Elkhorn  
22                 Creek from the confluence of two unnamed trib-  
23                 utaries in section 22, T. 24 N., R. 16 W. to the  
24                 confluence with Cruso Cabin Creek.

1           “(C) The 14.2-mile segment of the East  
2           Branch South Fork Eel River from the con-  
3           fluence of Cruso Cabin and Elkhorn Creeks to  
4           the confluence with Rays Creek.

5           “(D) The 1.7-mile segment of the  
6           unnamed tributary from its source on the north  
7           flank of Red Mountain’s north ridge in section  
8           2, T. 24 N., R. 17 W. to the confluence with  
9           the East Branch South Fork Eel River.

10          “(E) The 1.3-mile segment of the  
11          unnamed tributary from its source on the north  
12          flank of Red Mountain’s north ridge in section  
13          1, T. 24 N., R. 17 W. to the confluence with  
14          the East Branch South Fork Eel River.

15          “(F) The 1.8-mile segment of Tom Long  
16          Creek from the confluence with the unnamed  
17          tributary in section 12, T. 5 S., R. 4 E. to the  
18          confluence with the East Branch South Fork  
19          Eel River.

20          “(258) MATTOLE RIVER ESTUARY.—The 1.5-  
21          mile segment from the confluence of Stansberry  
22          Creek to the Pacific Ocean, to be administered as a  
23          recreational river by the Secretary of the Interior.

1           “(259) HONEYDEW CREEK.—The following seg-  
2           ments to be administered as a wild river by the Sec-  
3           retary of the Interior:

4                   “(A) The 5.1-mile segment of Honeydew  
5           Creek from its source in the southwest corner  
6           of section 25, T. 3 S., R. 1 W. to the eastern  
7           boundary of the King Range National Con-  
8           servation Area in section 18, T. 3 S., R. 1 E.

9                   “(B) The 2.8-mile segment of West Fork  
10          Honeydew Creek from its source west of North  
11          Slide Peak to the confluence with Honeydew  
12          Creek.

13                  “(C) The 2.7-mile segment of Upper East  
14          Fork Honeydew Creek from its source in sec-  
15          tion 23, T. 3 S., R. 1 W. to the confluence with  
16          Honeydew Creek.

17           “(260) BEAR CREEK.—The following segments  
18          to be administered by the Secretary of the Interior:

19                   “(A) The 1.9-mile segment of North Fork  
20          Bear Creek from the confluence with the  
21          unnamed tributary immediately downstream of  
22          the Horse Mountain Road crossing to the con-  
23          fluence with the South Fork, as a scenic river.

24                   “(B) The 6.1-mile segment of South Fork  
25          Bear Creek from the confluence in section 2, T.

1           5 S., R. 1 W. with the unnamed tributary flow-  
2           ing from the southwest flank of Queen Peak to  
3           the confluence with the North Fork, as a scenic  
4           river.

5           “(C) The 3-mile segment of Bear Creek  
6           from the confluence of the North and South  
7           Forks to the southern boundary of section 11,  
8           T. 4 S., R. 1 E., as a wild river.

9           “(261) GITCHELL CREEK.—The 3-mile segment  
10          of Gitchell Creek from its source near Saddle Moun-  
11          tain to the Pacific Ocean to be administered by the  
12          Secretary of the Interior as a wild river.

13          “(262) BIG FLAT CREEK.—The following seg-  
14          ments to be administered by the Secretary of the In-  
15          terior as a wild river:

16               “(A) The 4-mile segment of Big Flat  
17               Creek from its source near King Peak in sec-  
18               tion 36, T. 3 S., R. 1 W. to the Pacific Ocean.

19               “(B) The .8-mile segment of the unnamed  
20               tributary from its source in section 35, T. 3 S.,  
21               R. 1 W. to the confluence with Big Flat Creek.

22               “(C) The 2.7-mile segment of North Fork  
23               Big Flat Creek from the source in section 34,  
24               T. 3 S., R. 1 W. to the confluence with Big  
25               Flat Creek.



1           “(263) BIG CREEK.—The following segments to  
2 be administered by the Secretary of the Interior as  
3 wild rivers:

4           “(A) The 2.7-mile segment of Big Creek  
5 from its source in section 26, T. 3 S., R. 1 W.  
6 to the Pacific Ocean.

7           “(B) The 1.9-mile unnamed southern trib-  
8 utary from its source in section 25, T. 3 S., R.  
9 1 W. to the confluence with Big Creek.

10          “(264) ELK CREEK.—The 11.4-mile segment  
11 from its confluence with Lookout Creek to its con-  
12 fluence with Deep Hole Creek, to be jointly adminis-  
13 tered by the Secretaries of Agriculture and the Inte-  
14 rior, as a wild river.

15          “(265) EDEN CREEK.—The 2.7-mile segment  
16 from the private property boundary in the northwest  
17 quarter of section 27, T. 21 N., R. 12 W. to the  
18 eastern boundary of section 23, T. 21 N., R. 12 W.,  
19 to be administered by the Secretary of the Interior  
20 as a wild river.

21          “(266) DEEP HOLE CREEK.—The 4.3-mile seg-  
22 ment from the private property boundary in the  
23 southwest quarter of section 13, T. 20 N., R. 12 W.  
24 to the confluence with Elk Creek, to be administered  
25 by the Secretary of the Interior as a wild river.

1           “(267) INDIAN CREEK.—The 3.3-mile segment  
2           from 300 feet downstream of the jeep trail in section  
3           13, T. 20 N., R. 13 W. to the confluence with the  
4           Eel River, to be administered by the Secretary of the  
5           Interior as a wild river.

6           “(268) FISH CREEK.—The 4.2-mile segment  
7           from the source at Buckhorn Spring to the con-  
8           fluence with the Eel River, to be administered by the  
9           Secretary of the Interior as a wild river.”.

10 **SEC. 235. SANHEDRIN SPECIAL CONSERVATION MANAGE-**  
11 **MENT AREA.**

12           (a) ESTABLISHMENT.—Subject to valid existing  
13 rights, there is established the Sanhedrin Special Con-  
14 servation Management Area (referred to in this section as  
15 the “conservation management area”), comprising ap-  
16 proximately 12,254 acres of Federal land administered by  
17 the Forest Service in Mendocino County, California, as  
18 generally depicted on the map entitled “Sanhedrin Con-  
19 servation Management Area” and dated May 15, 2020.

20           (b) PURPOSES.—The purposes of the conservation  
21 management area are to—

22           (1) conserve, protect, and enhance for the ben-  
23 efit and enjoyment of present and future generations  
24 the ecological, scenic, wildlife, recreational, roadless,  
25 cultural, historical, natural, educational, and sci-

1       entific resources of the conservation management  
2       area;

3           (2) protect and restore late-successional forest  
4       structure, oak woodlands and grasslands, aquatic  
5       habitat, and anadromous fisheries within the con-  
6       servation management area;

7           (3) protect and restore the wilderness character  
8       of the conservation management area; and

9           (4) allow visitors to enjoy the scenic, natural,  
10      cultural, and wildlife values of the conservation man-  
11      agement area.

12      (c) MANAGEMENT.—

13           (1) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary shall manage  
14      the conservation management area—

15           (A) in a manner consistent with the pur-  
16      poses described in subsection (b); and

17           (B) in accordance with—

18           (i) the laws (including regulations)  
19      generally applicable to the National Forest  
20      System;

21           (ii) this section; and

22           (iii) any other applicable law (includ-  
23      ing regulations).

24           (2) USES.—The Secretary shall only allow uses  
25      of the conservation management area that the Sec-

1       retary determines would further the purposes de-  
2       scribed in subsection (b).

3       (d) **MOTORIZED VEHICLES.**—

4           (1) **IN GENERAL.**—Except as provided in para-  
5       graph (3), the use of motorized vehicles in the con-  
6       servation management area shall be permitted only  
7       on existing roads, trails, and areas designated for  
8       use by such vehicles as of the date of enactment of  
9       this subtitle.

10          (2) **NEW OR TEMPORARY ROADS.**—Except as  
11       provided in paragraph (3), no new or temporary  
12       roads shall be constructed within the conservation  
13       management area.

14          (3) **EXCEPTION.**—Nothing in paragraph (1) or  
15       (2) prevents the Secretary from—

16           (A) rerouting or closing an existing road or  
17       trail to protect natural resources from degrada-  
18       tion, or to protect public safety, as determined  
19       to be appropriate by the Secretary;

20           (B) designating routes of travel on lands  
21       acquired by the Secretary and incorporated into  
22       the conservation management area if the des-  
23       ignations are—

24           (i) consistent with the purposes de-  
25       scribed in subsection (b); and

1 (ii) completed, to the maximum extent  
2 practicable, within 3 years of the date of  
3 acquisition;

4 (C) constructing a temporary road on  
5 which motorized vehicles are permitted as part  
6 of a vegetation management project carried out  
7 in accordance with subsection (e);

8 (D) authorizing the use of motorized vehi-  
9 cles for administrative purposes; or

10 (E) responding to an emergency.

11 (4) DECOMMISSIONING OF TEMPORARY  
12 ROADS.—

13 (A) REQUIREMENT.—The Secretary shall  
14 decommission any temporary road constructed  
15 under paragraph (3)(C) not later than 3 years  
16 after the date on which the applicable vegeta-  
17 tion management project is completed.

18 (B) DEFINITION.—As used in subpara-  
19 graph (A), the term “decommission” means—

20 (i) to reestablish vegetation on a road;  
21 and

22 (ii) to restore any natural drainage,  
23 watershed function, or other ecological  
24 processes that are disrupted or adversely  
25 impacted by the road by removing or

1 hydrologically disconnecting the road  
2 prism.

3 (e) TIMBER HARVEST.—

4 (1) IN GENERAL.—Except as provided in para-  
5 graph (2), no harvesting of timber shall be allowed  
6 within the conservation management area.

7 (2) EXCEPTIONS.—The Secretary may author-  
8 ize harvesting of timber in the conservation manage-  
9 ment area—

10 (A) if the Secretary determines that the  
11 harvesting is necessary to further the purposes  
12 of the conservation management area;

13 (B) in a manner consistent with the pur-  
14 poses described in subsection (b); and

15 (C) subject to—

16 (i) such reasonable regulations, poli-  
17 cies, and practices as the Secretary deter-  
18 mines appropriate; and

19 (ii) all applicable laws (including regu-  
20 lations).

21 (f) GRAZING.—The grazing of livestock in the con-  
22 servation management area, where established before the  
23 date of enactment of this subtitle, shall be permitted to  
24 continue—

25 (1) subject to—

1 (A) such reasonable regulations, policies,  
2 and practices as the Secretary considers nec-  
3 essary; and

4 (B) applicable law (including regulations);  
5 and

6 (2) in a manner consistent with the purposes  
7 described in subsection (b).

8 (g) WILDFIRE, INSECT, AND DISEASE MANAGE-  
9 MENT.—Consistent with this section, the Secretary may  
10 take any measures within the conservation management  
11 area that the Secretary determines to be necessary to con-  
12 trol fire, insects, and diseases, including the coordination  
13 of those activities with a State or local agency.

14 (h) ACQUISITION AND INCORPORATION OF LAND AND  
15 INTERESTS IN LAND.—

16 (1) ACQUISITION AUTHORITY.—In accordance  
17 with applicable laws (including regulations), the Sec-  
18 retary may acquire any land or interest in land with-  
19 in or adjacent to the boundaries of the conservation  
20 management area by purchase from willing sellers,  
21 donation, or exchange.

22 (2) INCORPORATION.—Any land or interest in  
23 land acquired by the Secretary under paragraph (1)  
24 shall be—

1 (A) incorporated into, and administered as  
2 part of, the conservation management area; and

3 (B) withdrawn in accordance with sub-  
4 section (i).

5 (i) WITHDRAWAL.—Subject to valid existing rights,  
6 all Federal land located in the conservation management  
7 area is withdrawn from—

8 (1) all forms of entry, appropriation, and dis-  
9 posal under the public land laws;

10 (2) location, entry, and patenting under the  
11 mining laws; and

12 (3) operation of the mineral leasing, mineral  
13 materials, and geothermal leasing laws.

14 **PART 4—MISCELLANEOUS**

15 **SEC. 241. MAPS AND LEGAL DESCRIPTIONS.**

16 (a) IN GENERAL.—As soon as practicable after the  
17 date of enactment of this subtitle, the Secretary shall pre-  
18 pare maps and legal descriptions of the—

19 (1) wilderness areas and wilderness additions  
20 designated by section 231;

21 (2) potential wilderness areas designated by  
22 section 233;

23 (3) South Fork Trinity-Mad River Restoration  
24 Area;



1 (4) Horse Mountain Special Management Area;  
2 and

3 (5) Sanhedrin Special Conservation Manage-  
4 ment Area.

5 (b) SUBMISSION OF MAPS AND LEGAL DESCRIP-  
6 TIONS.—The Secretary shall file the maps and legal de-  
7 scriptions prepared under subsection (a) with—

8 (1) the Committee on Natural Resources of the  
9 House of Representatives; and

10 (2) the Committee on Energy and Natural Re-  
11 sources of the Senate.

12 (c) FORCE OF LAW.—The maps and legal descrip-  
13 tions prepared under subsection (a) shall have the same  
14 force and effect as if included in this subtitle, except that  
15 the Secretary may correct any clerical and typographical  
16 errors in the maps and legal descriptions.

17 (d) PUBLIC AVAILABILITY.—The maps and legal de-  
18 scriptions prepared under subsection (a) shall be on file  
19 and available for public inspection in the appropriate of-  
20 fices of the Forest Service, Bureau of Land Management,  
21 and National Park Service.

22 **SEC. 242. UPDATES TO LAND AND RESOURCE MANAGE-**  
23 **MENT PLANS.**

24 As soon as practicable, in accordance with applicable  
25 laws (including regulations), the Secretary shall incor-

1 porate the designations and studies required by this sub-  
2 title into updated management plans for units covered by  
3 this subtitle.

4 **SEC. 243. PACIFIC GAS AND ELECTRIC COMPANY UTILITY**  
5 **FACILITIES AND RIGHTS-OF-WAY.**

6 (a) EFFECT OF TITLE.—Nothing in this subtitle—

7 (1) affects any validly issued right-of-way for  
8 the customary operation, maintenance, upgrade, re-  
9 pair, relocation within an existing right-of-way, re-  
10 placement, or other authorized activity (including  
11 the use of any mechanized vehicle, helicopter, and  
12 other aerial device) in a right-of-way acquired by or  
13 issued, granted, or permitted to Pacific Gas and  
14 Electric Company (including any predecessor or suc-  
15 cessor in interest or assign) that is located on land  
16 included in the South Fork Trinity—Mad River Res-  
17 toration Area, Bigfoot National Recreation Trail,  
18 Sanhedrin Special Conservation Management Area,  
19 and Horse Mountain Special Management Area; or

20 (2) prohibits the upgrading or replacement of  
21 any—

22 (A) utility facilities of the Pacific Gas and  
23 Electric Company, including those utility facili-  
24 ties known on the date of enactment of this  
25 subtitle within the—

- 1 (i) South Fork Trinity—Mad River  
2 Restoration Area known as—
- 3 (I) Gas Transmission Line 177A  
4 or rights-of-way;
- 5 (II) Gas Transmission Line  
6 DFM 1312-02 or rights-of-way;
- 7 (III) Electric Transmission Line  
8 Bridgeville—Cottonwood 115 kV or  
9 rights-of-way;
- 10 (IV) Electric Transmission Line  
11 Humboldt—Trinity 60 kV or rights-  
12 of-way;
- 13 (V) Electric Transmission Line  
14 Humboldt—Trinity 115 kV or rights-  
15 of-way;
- 16 (VI) Electric Transmission Line  
17 Maple Creek—Hoopa 60 kV or rights-  
18 of-way;
- 19 (VII) Electric Distribution  
20 Line—Willow Creek 1101 12 kV or  
21 rights-of-way;
- 22 (VIII) Electric Distribution  
23 Line—Willow Creek 1103 12 kV or  
24 rights-of-way;

- 1 (IX) Electric Distribution Line—  
2 Low Gap 1101 12 kV or rights-of-  
3 way;  
4 (X) Electric Distribution Line—  
5 Fort Seward 1121 12 kV or rights-of-  
6 way;  
7 (XI) Forest Glen Border District  
8 Regulator Station or rights-of-way;  
9 (XII) Durret District Gas Regu-  
10 lator Station or rights-of-way;  
11 (XIII) Gas Distribution Line  
12 4269C or rights-of-way;  
13 (XIV) Gas Distribution Line  
14 43991 or rights-of-way;  
15 (XV) Gas Distribution Line  
16 4993D or rights-of-way;  
17 (XVI) Sportsmans Club District  
18 Gas Regulator Station or rights-of-  
19 way;  
20 (XVII) Highway 36 and Zenia  
21 District Gas Regulator Station or  
22 rights-of-way;  
23 (XVIII) Dinsmore Lodge 2nd  
24 Stage Gas Regulator Station or  
25 rights-of-way;

- 1 (XIX) Electric Distribution  
2 Line—Wildwood 1101 12kV or rights-  
3 of-way;
- 4 (XX) Low Gap Substation;
- 5 (XXI) Hyampom Switching Sta-  
6 tion; or
- 7 (XXII) Wildwood Substation;
- 8 (ii) Bigfoot National Recreation Trail  
9 known as—
- 10 (I) Gas Transmission Line 177A  
11 or rights-of-way;
- 12 (II) Electric Transmission Line  
13 Humboldt—Trinity 115 kV or rights-  
14 of-way;
- 15 (III) Electric Transmission Line  
16 Bridgeville—Cottonwood 115 kV or  
17 rights-of-way; or
- 18 (IV) Electric Transmission Line  
19 Humboldt—Trinity 60 kV or rights-  
20 of-way;
- 21 (iii) Sanhedrin Special Conservation  
22 Management Area known as, Electric Dis-  
23 tribution Line—Willits 1103 12 kV or  
24 rights-of-way; or

1 (iv) Horse Mountain Special Manage-  
2 ment Area known as, Electric Distribution  
3 Line Willow Creek 1101 12 kV or rights-  
4 of-way; or

5 (B) utility facilities of the Pacific Gas and  
6 Electric Company in rights-of-way issued,  
7 granted, or permitted by the Secretary adjacent  
8 to a utility facility referred to in paragraph (1).

9 (b) PLANS FOR ACCESS.—Not later than 1 year after  
10 the date of enactment of this subtitle or the issuance of  
11 a new utility facility right-of-way within the South Fork  
12 Trinity—Mad River Restoration Area, Bigfoot National  
13 Recreation Trail, Sanhedrin Special Conservation Man-  
14 agement Area, and Horse Mountain Special Management  
15 Area, whichever is later, the Secretary, in consultation  
16 with the Pacific Gas and Electric Company, shall publish  
17 plans for regular and emergency access by the Pacific Gas  
18 and Electric Company to the rights-of-way of the Pacific  
19 Gas and Electric Company.

20 **Subtitle C—Wild Olympics Wilder-**  
21 **ness and Wild and Scenic Rivers**

22 **SEC. 301. DESIGNATION OF OLYMPIC NATIONAL FOREST**  
23 **WILDERNESS AREAS.**

24 (a) IN GENERAL.—In furtherance of the Wilderness  
25 Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.), the following Federal land

1 in the Olympic National Forest in the State of Wash-  
2 ington comprising approximately 126,554 acres, as gen-  
3 erally depicted on the map entitled “Proposed Wild Olym-  
4 pics Wilderness and Wild and Scenic Rivers Act” and  
5 dated April 8, 2019 (referred to in this section as the  
6 “map”), is designated as wilderness and as components  
7 of the National Wilderness Preservation System:

8           (1) LOST CREEK WILDERNESS.—Certain Fed-  
9 eral land managed by the Forest Service, comprising  
10 approximately 7,159 acres, as generally depicted on  
11 the map, which shall be known as the “Lost Creek  
12 Wilderness”.

13           (2) RUGGED RIDGE WILDERNESS.—Certain  
14 Federal land managed by the Forest Service, com-  
15 prising approximately 5,956 acres, as generally de-  
16 picted on the map, which shall be known as the  
17 “Rugged Ridge Wilderness”.

18           (3) ALCKEE CREEK WILDERNESS.—Certain  
19 Federal land managed by the Forest Service, com-  
20 prising approximately 1,787 acres, as generally de-  
21 picted on the map, which shall be known as the  
22 “Alckee Creek Wilderness”.

23           (4) GATES OF THE ELWHA WILDERNESS.—Cer-  
24 tain Federal land managed by the Forest Service,  
25 comprising approximately 5,669 acres, as generally

1 depicted on the map, which shall be known as the  
2 “Gates of the Elwha Wilderness”.

3 (5) BUCKHORN WILDERNESS ADDITIONS.—Cer-  
4 tain Federal land managed by the Forest Service,  
5 comprising approximately 21,965 acres, as generally  
6 depicted on the map, is incorporated in, and shall be  
7 managed as part of, the “Buckhorn Wilderness”, as  
8 designated by section 3 of the Washington State  
9 Wilderness Act of 1984 (16 U.S.C. 1132 note; Pub-  
10 lic Law 98–339).

11 (6) GREEN MOUNTAIN WILDERNESS.—Certain  
12 Federal land managed by the Forest Service, com-  
13 prising approximately 4,790 acres, as generally de-  
14 picted on the map, which shall be known as the  
15 “Green Mountain Wilderness”.

16 (7) THE BROTHERS WILDERNESS ADDITIONS.—  
17 Certain land managed by the Forest Service, com-  
18 prising approximately 8,625 acres, as generally de-  
19 picted on the map, is incorporated in, and shall be  
20 managed as part of, the “The Brothers Wilderness”,  
21 as designated by section 3 of the Washington State  
22 Wilderness Act of 1984 (16 U.S.C. 1132 note; Pub-  
23 lic Law 98–339).

24 (8) MOUNT SKOKOMISH WILDERNESS ADDI-  
25 TIONS.—Certain land managed by the Forest Serv-



1 ice, comprising approximately 8,933 acres, as gen-  
2 erally depicted on the map, is incorporated in, and  
3 shall be managed as part of, the “Mount Skokomish  
4 Wilderness”, as designated by section 3 of the  
5 Washington State Wilderness Act of 1984 (16  
6 U.S.C. 1132 note; Public Law 98–339).

7 (9) WONDER MOUNTAIN WILDERNESS ADDI-  
8 TIONS.—Certain land managed by the Forest Serv-  
9 ice, comprising approximately 26,517 acres, as gen-  
10 erally depicted on the map, is incorporated in, and  
11 shall be managed as part of, the “Wonder Mountain  
12 Wilderness”, as designated by section 3 of the  
13 Washington State Wilderness Act of 1984 (16  
14 U.S.C. 1132 note; Public Law 98–339).

15 (10) MOONLIGHT DOME WILDERNESS.—Certain  
16 Federal land managed by the Forest Service, com-  
17 prising approximately 9,117 acres, as generally de-  
18 picted on the map, which shall be known as the  
19 “Moonlight Dome Wilderness”.

20 (11) SOUTH QUINAULT RIDGE WILDERNESS.—  
21 Certain Federal land managed by the Forest Serv-  
22 ice, comprising approximately 10,887 acres, as gen-  
23 erally depicted on the map, which shall be known as  
24 the “South Quinault Ridge Wilderness”.

1           (12) COLONEL BOB WILDERNESS ADDITIONS.—  
2           Certain Federal land managed by the Forest Serv-  
3           ice, comprising approximately 353 acres, as gen-  
4           erally depicted on the map, is incorporated in, and  
5           shall be managed as part of, the “Colonel Bob Wil-  
6           derness”, as designated by section 3 of the Wash-  
7           ington State Wilderness Act of 1984 (16 U.S.C.  
8           1132 note; Public Law 98–339).

9           (13) SAM’S RIVER WILDERNESS.—Certain Fed-  
10          eral land managed by the Forest Service, comprising  
11          approximately 13,418 acres, as generally depicted on  
12          the map, which shall be known as the “Sam’s River  
13          Wilderness”.

14          (14) CANOE CREEK WILDERNESS.—Certain  
15          Federal land managed by the Forest Service, com-  
16          prising approximately 1,378 acres, as generally de-  
17          picted on the map, which shall be known as the  
18          “Canoe Creek Wilderness”.

19          (b) ADMINISTRATION.—

20               (1) MANAGEMENT.—Subject to valid existing  
21          rights, the land designated as wilderness by sub-  
22          section (a) shall be administered by the Secretary of  
23          Agriculture (referred to in this section as the “Sec-  
24          retary”), in accordance with the Wilderness Act (16  
25          U.S.C. 1131 et seq.), except that any reference in

1 that Act to the effective date of that Act shall be  
2 considered to be a reference to the date of enact-  
3 ment of this subtitle.

4 (2) MAP AND DESCRIPTION.—

5 (A) IN GENERAL.—As soon as practicable  
6 after the date of enactment of this subtitle, the  
7 Secretary shall file a map and a legal descrip-  
8 tion of the land designated as wilderness by  
9 subsection (a) with—

10 (i) the Committee on Natural Re-  
11 sources of the House of Representatives;

12 and

13 (ii) the Committee on Energy and  
14 Natural Resources of the Senate.

15 (B) EFFECT.—Each map and legal de-  
16 scription filed under subparagraph (A) shall  
17 have the same force and effect as if included in  
18 this subtitle, except that the Secretary may cor-  
19 rect minor errors in the map and legal descrip-  
20 tion.

21 (C) PUBLIC AVAILABILITY.—Each map  
22 and legal description filed under subparagraph  
23 (A) shall be filed and made available for public  
24 inspection in the appropriate office of the For-  
25 est Service.

1 (c) POTENTIAL WILDERNESS.—

2 (1) IN GENERAL.—In furtherance of the pur-  
3 poses of the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et  
4 seq.), certain Federal land managed by the Forest  
5 Service, comprising approximately 5,346 acres as  
6 identified as “Potential Wilderness” on the map, is  
7 designated as potential wilderness.

8 (2) DESIGNATION AS WILDERNESS.—On the  
9 date on which the Secretary publishes in the Federal  
10 Register notice that any nonconforming uses in the  
11 potential wilderness designated by paragraph (1)  
12 have terminated, the potential wilderness shall be—

13 (A) designated as wilderness and as a com-  
14 ponent of the National Wilderness Preservation  
15 System; and

16 (B) incorporated into the adjacent wilder-  
17 ness area.

18 (d) ADJACENT MANAGEMENT.—

19 (1) NO PROTECTIVE PERIMETERS OR BUFFER  
20 ZONES.—The designations in this section shall not  
21 create a protective perimeter or buffer zone around  
22 any wilderness area.

23 (2) NONCONFORMING USES PERMITTED OUT-  
24 SIDE OF BOUNDARIES OF WILDERNESS AREAS.—Any  
25 activity or use outside of the boundary of any wilder-

1       ness area designated under this section shall be per-  
2       mitted even if the activity or use would be seen or  
3       heard within the boundary of the wilderness area.

4       (e) FIRE, INSECTS, AND DISEASES.—The Secretary  
5       may take such measures as are necessary to control fire,  
6       insects, and diseases, in the wilderness areas designated  
7       by this section, in accordance with section 4(d)(1) of the  
8       Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1133(d)(1)) and subject to  
9       such terms and conditions as the Secretary determines to  
10      be appropriate.

11      **SEC. 302. WILD AND SCENIC RIVER DESIGNATIONS.**

12      (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 3(a) of the National Wild  
13      and Scenic Rivers Act (16 U.S.C. 1274(a)) is amended  
14      by adding at the end the following:

15              “(231) ELWHA RIVER, WASHINGTON.—The ap-  
16              proximately 29.0-mile segment of the Elwha River  
17              and tributaries from the source to Cat Creek, to be  
18              administered by the Secretary of the Interior as a  
19              wild river.

20              “(232) DUNGENESS RIVER, WASHINGTON.—  
21              The segment of the Dungeness River from the head-  
22              waters to the State of Washington Department of  
23              Natural Resources land in T. 29 N., R. 4 W., sec.  
24              12, to be administered by the Secretary of Agri-  
25              culture, except that portions of the river within the

1 boundaries of Olympic National Park shall be ad-  
2 ministered by the Secretary of the Interior, including  
3 the following segments of the mainstem and major  
4 tributary the Gray Wolf River, in the following class-  
5 es:

6 “(A) The approximately 5.8-mile segment  
7 of the Dungeness River from the headwaters to  
8 the 2870 Bridge, as a wild river.

9 “(B) The approximately 2.1-mile segment  
10 of the Dungeness River from the 2870 Bridge  
11 to Silver Creek, as a scenic river.

12 “(C) The approximately 2.7-mile segment  
13 of the Dungeness River from Silver Creek to  
14 Sleepy Hollow Creek, as a wild river.

15 “(D) The approximately 6.3-mile segment  
16 of the Dungeness River from Sleepy Hollow  
17 Creek to the Olympic National Forest bound-  
18 ary, as a scenic river.

19 “(E) The approximately 1.9-mile segment  
20 of the Dungeness River from the National For-  
21 est boundary to the State of Washington De-  
22 partment of Natural Resources land in T. 29  
23 N., R. 4 W., sec. 12, to be administered as a  
24 recreational river through a cooperative man-  
25 agement agreement between the State of Wash-

1           ington and the Secretary of Agriculture as pro-  
2           vided in section 10(e) of the Wild and Scenic  
3           Rivers Act (16 U.S.C. 1281(e)).

4           “(F) The approximately 16.1-mile segment  
5           of the Gray Wolf River from the headwaters to  
6           the 2870 Bridge, as a wild river.

7           “(G) The approximately 1.1-mile segment  
8           of the Gray Wolf River from the 2870 Bridge  
9           to the confluence with the Dungeness River, as  
10          a scenic river.

11          “(233) BIG QUILCENE RIVER, WASHINGTON.—  
12          The segment of the Big Quilcene River from the  
13          headwaters to the City of Port Townsend water in-  
14          take facility, to be administered by the Secretary of  
15          Agriculture, in the following classes:

16                 “(A) The approximately 4.4-mile segment  
17                 from the headwaters to the Buckhorn Wilder-  
18                 ness boundary, as a wild river.

19                 “(B) The approximately 5.3-mile segment  
20                 from the Buckhorn Wilderness boundary to the  
21                 City of Port Townsend water intake facility, as  
22                 a scenic river.

23                 “(C) Section 7(a), with respect to the li-  
24                 censing of dams, water conduits, reservoirs,  
25                 powerhouses, transmission lines, or other

1 project works, shall apply to the approximately  
2 5-mile segment from the City of Port Townsend  
3 water intake facility to the Olympic National  
4 Forest boundary.

5 “(234) DOSEWALLIPS RIVER, WASHINGTON.—  
6 The segment of the Dosewallips River from the  
7 headwaters to the private land in T. 26 N., R. 3 W.,  
8 sec. 15, to be administered by the Secretary of Agri-  
9 culture, except that portions of the river within the  
10 boundaries of Olympic National Park shall be ad-  
11 ministered by the Secretary of the Interior, in the  
12 following classes:

13 “(A) The approximately 12.9-mile segment  
14 from the headwaters to Station Creek, as a wild  
15 river.

16 “(B) The approximately 6.8-mile segment  
17 from Station Creek to the private land in T. 26  
18 N., R. 3 W., sec. 15, as a scenic river.

19 “(235) DUCKABUSH RIVER, WASHINGTON.—  
20 The segment of the Duckabush River from the head-  
21 waters to the private land in T. 25 N., R. 3 W., sec.  
22 1, to be administered by the Secretary of Agri-  
23 culture, except that portions of the river within the  
24 boundaries of Olympic National Park shall be ad-



1 ministered by the Secretary of the Interior, in the  
2 following classes:

3 “(A) The approximately 19.0-mile segment  
4 from the headwaters to the Brothers Wilderness  
5 boundary, as a wild river.

6 “(B) The approximately 1.9-mile segment  
7 from the Brothers Wilderness boundary to the  
8 private land in T. 25 N., R. 3 W., sec. 1, as  
9 a scenic river.

10 “(236) HAMMA HAMMA RIVER, WASHINGTON.—  
11 The segment of the Hamma Hamma River from the  
12 headwaters to the eastern edge of the NW1/4 sec.  
13 21, T. 24 N., R. 3 W., to be administered by the  
14 Secretary of Agriculture, in the following classes:

15 “(A) The approximately 3.1-mile segment  
16 from the headwaters to the Mt. Skokomish Wil-  
17 derness boundary, as a wild river.

18 “(B) The approximately 5.8-mile segment  
19 from the Mt. Skokomish Wilderness boundary  
20 to Lena Creek, as a scenic river.

21 “(C) The approximately 6.8-mile segment  
22 from Lena Creek to the eastern edge of the  
23 NW1/4 sec. 21, T. 24 N., R. 3 W., to be ad-  
24 ministered as a recreational river through a co-  
25 operative management agreement between the

1 State of Washington and the Secretary of Agri-  
2 culture as provided in section 10(e) of the Wild  
3 and Scenic Rivers Act (16 U.S.C. 1281(e)).

4 “(237) SOUTH FORK SKOKOMISH RIVER, WASH-  
5 INGTON.—The segment of the South Fork  
6 Skokomish River from the headwaters to the Olym-  
7 pic National Forest boundary to be administered by  
8 the Secretary of Agriculture, in the following classes:

9 “(A) The approximately 6.7-mile segment  
10 from the headwaters to Church Creek, as a wild  
11 river.

12 “(B) The approximately 8.3-mile segment  
13 from Church Creek to LeBar Creek, as a scenic  
14 river.

15 “(C) The approximately 4.0-mile segment  
16 from LeBar Creek to upper end of gorge in the  
17 NW1/4 sec. 22, T. 22 N., R. 5 W., as a rec-  
18 reational river.

19 “(D) The approximately 6.0-mile segment  
20 from the upper end of the gorge to the Olympic  
21 National Forest boundary, as a scenic river.

22 “(238) MIDDLE FORK SATSOP RIVER, WASH-  
23 INGTON.—The approximately 7.9-mile segment of  
24 the Middle Fork Satsop River from the headwaters  
25 to the Olympic National Forest boundary, to be ad-

1 ministered by the Secretary of Agriculture, as a sce-  
2 nic river.

3 “(239) WEST FORK SATSOP RIVER, WASH-  
4 INGTON.—The approximately 8.2-mile segment of  
5 the West Fork Satsop River from the headwaters to  
6 the Olympic National Forest boundary, to be admin-  
7 istered by the Secretary of Agriculture, as a scenic  
8 river.

9 “(240) WYNOOCHEE RIVER, WASHINGTON.—  
10 The segment of the Wynoochee River from the head-  
11 waters to the head of Wynoochee Reservoir to be ad-  
12 ministered by the Secretary of Agriculture, except  
13 that portions of the river within the boundaries of  
14 Olympic National Park shall be administered by the  
15 Secretary of the Interior, in the following classes:

16 “(A) The approximately 2.5-mile segment  
17 from the headwaters to the boundary of the  
18 Wonder Mountain Wilderness, as a wild river.

19 “(B) The approximately 7.4-mile segment  
20 from the boundary of the Wonder Mountain  
21 Wilderness to the head of Wynoochee Reservoir,  
22 as a recreational river.

23 “(241) EAST FORK HUMPTULIPS RIVER, WASH-  
24 INGTON.—The segment of the East Fork  
25 Humptulips River from the headwaters to the Olym-

1       pic National Forest boundary to be administered by  
2       the Secretary of Agriculture, in the following classes:

3               “(A) The approximately 7.4-mile segment  
4               from the headwaters to the Moonlight Dome  
5               Wilderness boundary, as a wild river.

6               “(B) The approximately 10.3-mile segment  
7               from the Moonlight Dome Wilderness boundary  
8               to the Olympic National Forest boundary, as a  
9               scenic river.

10              “(242) WEST FORK HUMPTULIPS RIVER, WASH-  
11              INGTON.—The approximately 21.4-mile segment of  
12              the West Fork Humptulips River from the head-  
13              waters to the Olympic National Forest Boundary, to  
14              be administered by the Secretary of Agriculture, as  
15              a scenic river.

16              “(243) QUINAULT RIVER, WASHINGTON.—The  
17              segment of the Quinault River from the headwaters  
18              to private land in T. 24 N., R. 8 W., sec. 33, to be  
19              administered by the Secretary of the Interior, in the  
20              following classes:

21               “(A) The approximately 16.5-mile segment  
22               from the headwaters to Graves Creek, as a wild  
23               river.

1           “(B) The approximately 6.7-mile segment  
2           from Graves Creek to Cannings Creek, as a sce-  
3           nic river.

4           “(C) The approximately 1.0-mile segment  
5           from Cannings Creek to private land in T. 24  
6           N., R. 8 W., sec. 33, as a recreational river.

7           “(244) QUEETS RIVER, WASHINGTON.—The  
8           segment of the Queets River from the headwaters to  
9           the Olympic National Park boundary to be adminis-  
10          tered by the Secretary of the Interior, except that  
11          portions of the river outside the boundaries of Olym-  
12          pic National Park shall be administered by the Sec-  
13          retary of Agriculture, including the following seg-  
14          ments of the mainstem and certain tributaries in the  
15          following classes:

16               “(A) The approximately 28.6-mile segment  
17               of the Queets River from the headwaters to the  
18               confluence with Sams River, as a wild river.

19               “(B) The approximately 16.0-mile segment  
20               of the Queets River from the confluence with  
21               Sams River to the Olympic National Park  
22               boundary, as a scenic river.

23               “(C) The approximately 15.7-mile segment  
24               of the Sams River from the headwaters to the

1 confluence with the Queets River, as a scenic  
2 river.

3 “(D) The approximately 17.7-mile segment  
4 of Matheny Creek from the headwaters to the  
5 confluence with the Queets River, to be admin-  
6 istered as a scenic river through a cooperative  
7 management agreement between the State of  
8 Washington and the Secretary of Agriculture as  
9 provided in section 10(e) of the Wild and Scenic  
10 Rivers Act (16 U.S.C. 1281(e)).

11 “(245) HOH RIVER, WASHINGTON.—The seg-  
12 ment of the Hoh River and the major tributary  
13 South Fork Hoh from the headwaters to Olympic  
14 National Park boundary, to be administered by the  
15 Secretary of the Interior, in the following classes:

16 “(A) The approximately 20.7-mile segment  
17 of the Hoh River from the headwaters to Jack-  
18 son Creek, as a wild river.

19 “(B) The approximately 6.0-mile segment  
20 of the Hoh River from Jackson Creek to the  
21 Olympic National Park boundary, as a scenic  
22 river.

23 “(C) The approximately 13.8-mile segment  
24 of the South Fork Hoh River from the head-

1 waters to the Olympic National Park boundary,  
2 as a wild river.

3 “(D) The approximately 4.6-mile segment  
4 of the South Fork Hoh River from the Olympic  
5 National Park boundary to the Washington  
6 State Department of Natural Resources bound-  
7 ary in T. 27 N., R. 10 W., sec. 29, to be ad-  
8 ministered as a recreational river through a co-  
9 operative management agreement between the  
10 State of Washington and the Secretary of Agri-  
11 culture as provided in section 10(e) of the Wild  
12 and Scenic Rivers Act (16 U.S.C. 1281(e)).

13 “(246) BOGACHIEL RIVER, WASHINGTON.—The  
14 approximately 25.6-mile segment of the Bogachiel  
15 River from the source to the Olympic National Park  
16 boundary, to be administered by the Secretary of the  
17 Interior, as a wild river.

18 “(247) SOUTH FORK CALAWAH RIVER, WASH-  
19 INGTON.—The segment of the South Fork Calawah  
20 River and the major tributary Sitkum River from  
21 the headwaters to Hyas Creek to be administered by  
22 the Secretary of Agriculture, except those portions  
23 of the river within the boundaries of Olympic Na-  
24 tional Park shall be administered by the Secretary

1 of the Interior, including the following segments in  
2 the following classes:

3 “(A) The approximately 15.7-mile segment  
4 of the South Fork Calawah River from the  
5 headwaters to the Sitkum River, as a wild river.

6 “(B) The approximately 0.9-mile segment  
7 of the South Fork Calawah River from the  
8 Sitkum River to Hvas Creek, as a scenic river.

9 “(C) The approximately 1.6-mile segment  
10 of the Sitkum River from the headwaters to the  
11 Rugged Ridge Wilderness boundary, as a wild  
12 river.

13 “(D) The approximately 11.9-mile segment  
14 of the Sitkum River from the Rugged Ridge  
15 Wilderness boundary to the confluence with the  
16 South Fork Calawah, as a scenic river.

17 “(248) SOL DUC RIVER, WASHINGTON.—The  
18 segment of the Sol Duc River from the headwaters  
19 to the Olympic National Park boundary to be ad-  
20 ministered by the Secretary of the Interior, including  
21 the following segments of the mainstem and certain  
22 tributaries in the following classes:

23 “(A) The approximately 7.0-mile segment  
24 of the Sol Duc River from the headwaters to



1 the end of Sol Duc Hot Springs Road, as a wild  
2 river.

3 “(B) The approximately 10.8-mile segment  
4 of the Sol Duc River from the end of Sol Duc  
5 Hot Springs Road to the Olympic National  
6 Park boundary, as a scenic river.

7 “(C) The approximately 14.2-mile segment  
8 of the North Fork Sol Duc River from the  
9 headwaters to the Olympic Hot Springs Road  
10 bridge, as a wild river.

11 “(D) The approximately 0.2-mile segment  
12 of the North Fork Sol Duc River from the  
13 Olympic Hot Springs Road bridge to the con-  
14 fluence with the Sol Duc River, as a scenic  
15 river.

16 “(E) The approximately 8.0-mile segment  
17 of the South Fork Sol Duc River from the  
18 headwaters to the confluence with the Sol Duc  
19 River, as a scenic river.

20 “(249) LYRE RIVER, WASHINGTON.—The ap-  
21 proximately 0.2-mile segment of the Lyre River from  
22 Lake Crescent to the Olympic National Park bound-  
23 ary, to be administered by the Secretary of the Inte-  
24 rior as a scenic river.”.

1 (b) EFFECT.—The amendment made by subsection  
2 (a) does not affect valid existing water rights.

3 (c) UPDATES TO LAND AND RESOURCE MANAGE-  
4 MENT PLANS.—

5 (1) IN GENERAL.—Except as provided in para-  
6 graph (2), not later than 3 years after the date of  
7 the enactment of this subtitle, the Secretary of Agri-  
8 culture shall, with respect to the designations made  
9 under subsection (a) on lands under the jurisdiction  
10 of the Secretary, incorporate such designations into  
11 updated management plans for units of the National  
12 Forest System in accordance with applicable laws  
13 (including regulations).

14 (2) EXCEPTION.—The date specified in para-  
15 graph (1) shall be 5 years after the date of the en-  
16 actment of this subtitle if the Secretary of Agri-  
17 culture—

18 (A) is unable to meet the requirement  
19 under such paragraph by the date specified in  
20 such paragraph; and

21 (B) not later than 3 years after the date  
22 of the enactment of this subtitle, includes in the  
23 Department of Agriculture annual budget sub-  
24 mission to Congress a request for additional

1           sums as may be necessary to meet the require-  
2           ment of such paragraph.

3           (3) COMPREHENSIVE MANAGEMENT PLAN RE-  
4           QUIREMENTS.—Updated management plans under  
5           paragraph (1) or (2) satisfy the requirements under  
6           section 3(d) of the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act (16  
7           U.S.C. 1274(d)).

8   **SEC. 303. EXISTING RIGHTS AND WITHDRAWAL.**

9           (a) IN GENERAL.—In accordance with section 12(b)  
10          of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers Act (16 U.S.C.  
11          1283(b)), nothing in this subtitle or the amendment made  
12          by section 302(a) affects or abrogates existing rights,  
13          privileges, or contracts held by private parties, nor does  
14          this subtitle in any way modify or direct the management,  
15          acquisition, or disposition of lands managed by the Wash-  
16          ington Department of Natural Resources on behalf of the  
17          State of Washington.

18          (b) WITHDRAWAL.—Subject to valid existing rights,  
19          the Federal land within the boundaries of the river seg-  
20          ments designated by this subtitle and the amendment  
21          made by section 302(a) is withdrawn from all forms of—

22                 (1) entry, appropriation, or disposal under the  
23                 public land laws;

24                 (2) location, entry, and patent under the mining  
25                 laws; and

1           (3) disposition under all laws relating to min-  
2           eral and geothermal leasing or mineral materials.

3 **SEC. 304. TREATY RIGHTS.**

4           Nothing in this subtitle alters, modifies, diminishes,  
5 or extinguishes the reserved treaty rights of any Indian  
6 tribe with hunting, fishing, gathering, and cultural or reli-  
7 gious rights as protected by a treaty.

8 **Subtitle D—Central Coast Heritage**  
9 **Protection**

10 **SEC. 401. DEFINITIONS.**

11           In this subtitle:

12           (1) SCENIC AREAS.—The term “scenic area”  
13 means a scenic area designated by section 407(a).

14           (2) SECRETARY.—The term “Secretary”  
15 means—

16                   (A) with respect to land managed by the  
17 Bureau of Land Management, the Secretary of  
18 the Interior; and

19                   (B) with respect to land managed by the  
20 Forest Service, the Secretary of Agriculture.

21           (3) STATE.—The term “State” means the State  
22 of California.

23           (4) WILDERNESS AREA.—The term “wilderness  
24 area” means a wilderness area or wilderness addi-  
25 tion designated by section 402(a).

1 **SEC. 402. DESIGNATION OF WILDERNESS.**

2 (a) IN GENERAL.—In accordance with the Wilderness  
3 Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.), the following areas in the  
4 State are designated as wilderness areas and as compo-  
5 nents of the National Wilderness Preservation System:

6 (1) Certain land in the Bakersfield Field Office  
7 of the Bureau of Land Management comprising ap-  
8 proximately 35,116 acres, as generally depicted on  
9 the map entitled “Proposed Caliente Mountain Wil-  
10 derness” and dated November 13, 2019, which shall  
11 be known as the “Caliente Mountain Wilderness”.

12 (2) Certain land in the Bakersfield Field Office  
13 of the Bureau of Land Management comprising ap-  
14 proximately 13,332 acres, as generally depicted on  
15 the map entitled “Proposed Soda Lake Wilderness”  
16 and dated June 25, 2019, which shall be known as  
17 the “Soda Lake Wilderness”.

18 (3) Certain land in the Bakersfield Field Office  
19 of the Bureau of Land Management comprising ap-  
20 proximately 12,585 acres, as generally depicted on  
21 the map entitled “Proposed Temblor Range Wilder-  
22 ness” and dated June 25, 2019, which shall be  
23 known as the “Temblor Range Wilderness”.

24 (4) Certain land in the Los Padres National  
25 Forest comprising approximately 23,670 acres, as  
26 generally depicted on the map entitled “Chumash

1 Wilderness Area Additions—Proposed” and dated  
2 March 29, 2019, which shall be incorporated into  
3 and managed as part of the Chumash Wilderness as  
4 designated by the Los Padres Condor Range and  
5 River Protection Act (Public Law 102–301; 106  
6 Stat. 242).

7 (5) Certain land in the Los Padres National  
8 Forest comprising approximately 54,036 acres, as  
9 generally depicted on the maps entitled “Dick Smith  
10 Wilderness Area Additions—Proposed Map 1 of 2  
11 (Bear Canyon and Cuyama Peak Units)” and “Dick  
12 Smith Wilderness Area Additions—Proposed Map 2  
13 of 2 (Buckhorn and Mono Units)” and dated No-  
14 vember 14, 2019, which shall be incorporated into  
15 and managed as part of the Dick Smith Wilderness  
16 as designated by the California Wilderness Act of  
17 1984 (Public Law 98–425; 16 U.S.C. 1132 note).

18 (6) Certain land in the Los Padres National  
19 Forest and the Bakersfield Field Office of the Bu-  
20 reau of Land Management comprising approximately  
21 7,289 acres, as generally depicted on the map enti-  
22 tled “Garcia Wilderness Area Additions—Proposed”  
23 and dated March 29, 2019, which shall be incor-  
24 porated into and managed as part of the Garcia Wil-  
25 derness as designated by the Los Padres Condor

1 Range and River Protection Act (Public Law 102–  
2 301; 106 Stat. 242).

3 (7) Certain land in the Los Padres National  
4 Forest and the Bakersfield Field Office of the Bu-  
5 reau of Land Management comprising approximately  
6 8,774 acres, as generally depicted on the map enti-  
7 tled “Machesna Mountain Wilderness—Proposed  
8 Additions” and dated October 30, 2019, which shall  
9 be incorporated into and managed as part of the  
10 Machesna Mountain Wilderness as designated by the  
11 California Wilderness Act of 1984 (Public Law 98–  
12 425; 16 U.S.C. 1132 note).

13 (8) Certain land in the Los Padres National  
14 Forest comprising approximately 30,184 acres, as  
15 generally depicted on the map entitled “Matilija Wil-  
16 derness Area Additions—Proposed” and dated  
17 March 29, 2019, which shall be incorporated into  
18 and managed as part of the Matilija Wilderness as  
19 designated by the Los Padres Condor Range and  
20 River Protection Act (Public Law 102–301; 106  
21 Stat. 242).

22 (9) Certain land in the Los Padres National  
23 Forest comprising approximately 23,969 acres, as  
24 generally depicted on the map entitled “San Rafael  
25 Wilderness Area Additions—Proposed” and dated

1 February 2, 2021, which shall be incorporated into  
2 and managed as part of the San Rafael Wilderness  
3 as designated by Public Law 90–271 (82 Stat. 51),  
4 the California Wilderness Act of 1984 (Public Law  
5 98–425; 16 U.S.C. 1132 note), and the Los Padres  
6 Condor Range and River Protection Act (Public Law  
7 102–301; 106 Stat. 242).

8 (10) Certain land in the Los Padres National  
9 Forest comprising approximately 2,921 acres, as  
10 generally depicted on the map entitled “Santa Lucia  
11 Wilderness Area Additions—Proposed” and dated  
12 March 29, 2019, which shall be incorporated into  
13 and managed as part of the Santa Lucia Wilderness  
14 as designated by the Endangered American Wilder-  
15 ness Act of 1978 (Public Law 95–237; 16 U.S.C.  
16 1132 note).

17 (11) Certain land in the Los Padres National  
18 Forest comprising approximately 14,313 acres, as  
19 generally depicted on the map entitled “Sespe Wil-  
20 derness Area Additions—Proposed” and dated  
21 March 29, 2019, which shall be incorporated into  
22 and managed as part of the Sespe Wilderness as  
23 designated by the Los Padres Condor Range and  
24 River Protection Act (Public Law 102–301; 106  
25 Stat. 242).



1           (12) Certain land in the Los Padres National  
2 Forest comprising approximately 17,870 acres, as  
3 generally depicted on the map entitled “Diablo  
4 Caliente Wilderness Area—Proposed” and dated  
5 March 29, 2019, which shall be known as the “Dia-  
6 blo Caliente Wilderness”.

7 (b) MAPS AND LEGAL DESCRIPTIONS.—

8           (1) IN GENERAL.—As soon as practicable after  
9 the date of enactment of this subtitle, the Secretary  
10 shall file maps and legal descriptions of the wilder-  
11 ness areas with—

12                   (A) the Committee on Energy and Natural  
13 Resources of the Senate; and

14                   (B) the Committee on Natural Resources  
15 of the House of Representatives.

16           (2) FORCE OF LAW.—The maps and legal de-  
17 scriptions filed under paragraph (1) shall have the  
18 same force and effect as if included in this subtitle,  
19 except that the Secretary may correct any clerical  
20 and typographical errors in the maps and legal de-  
21 scriptions.

22           (3) PUBLIC AVAILABILITY.—The maps and  
23 legal descriptions filed under paragraph (1) shall be  
24 on file and available for public inspection in the ap-

1       appropriate offices of the Forest Service and Bureau  
2       of Land Management.

3       **SEC. 403. DESIGNATION OF THE MACHESNA MOUNTAIN PO-**  
4                                   **TENTIAL WILDERNESS.**

5       (a) DESIGNATION.—In furtherance of the purposes of  
6 the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.), certain land  
7 in the Los Padres National Forest comprising approxi-  
8 mately 2,359 acres, as generally depicted on the map enti-  
9 tled “Machesna Mountain Potential Wilderness” and  
10 dated March 29, 2019, is designated as the Machesna  
11 Mountain Potential Wilderness Area.

12       (b) MAP AND LEGAL DESCRIPTION.—

13               (1) IN GENERAL.—As soon as practicable after  
14 the date of enactment of this subtitle, the Secretary  
15 shall file a map and legal description of the  
16 Machesna Mountain Potential Wilderness Area (re-  
17 ferred to in this section as the “potential wilderness  
18 area”) with—

19                       (A) the Committee on Energy and Natural  
20                       Resources of the Senate; and

21                       (B) the Committee on Natural Resources  
22                       of the House of Representatives.

23       (2) FORCE OF LAW.—The map and legal de-  
24 scription filed under paragraph (1) shall have the  
25 same force and effect as if included in this subtitle,

1       except that the Secretary may correct any clerical  
2       and typographical errors in the map and legal de-  
3       scription.

4               (3) PUBLIC AVAILABILITY.—The map and legal  
5       description filed under paragraph (1) shall be on file  
6       and available for public inspection in the appropriate  
7       offices of the Forest Service.

8               (c) MANAGEMENT.—Except as provided in subsection  
9       (d) and subject to valid existing rights, the Secretary shall  
10      manage the potential wilderness area in accordance with  
11      the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.).

12              (d) TRAIL USE, CONSTRUCTION, RECONSTRUCTION,  
13      AND REALIGNMENT.—

14              (1) IN GENERAL.—In accordance with para-  
15      graph (2), the Secretary may reconstruct, realign, or  
16      reroute the Pine Mountain Trail.

17              (2) REQUIREMENT.—In carrying out the recon-  
18      struction, realignment, or rerouting under paragraph  
19      (1), the Secretary shall—

20              (A) comply with all existing laws (including  
21      regulations); and

22              (B) to the maximum extent practicable,  
23      use the minimum tool or administrative practice  
24      necessary to accomplish the reconstruction, re-  
25      alignment, or rerouting with the least amount

1           of adverse impact on wilderness character and  
2           resources.

3           (3) **MOTORIZED VEHICLES AND MACHINERY.**—

4           In accordance with paragraph (2), the Secretary  
5           may use motorized vehicles and machinery to carry  
6           out the trail reconstruction, realignment, or rerout-  
7           ing authorized by this subsection.

8           (4) **MOTORIZED AND MECHANIZED VEHI-**

9           **CLES.**—The Secretary may permit the use of motor-  
10          ized and mechanized vehicles on the existing Pine  
11          Mountain Trail in accordance with existing law (in-  
12          cluding regulations) and this subsection until such  
13          date as the potential wilderness area is designated  
14          as wilderness in accordance with subsection (h).

15          (e) **WITHDRAWAL.**—Subject to valid existing rights,  
16          the Federal land in the potential wilderness area is with-  
17          drawn from all forms of—

18               (1) entry, appropriation, or disposal under the  
19               public land laws;

20               (2) location, entry, and patent under the mining  
21               laws; and

22               (3) disposition under all laws pertaining to min-  
23               eral and geothermal leasing or mineral materials.

24          (f) **COOPERATIVE AGREEMENTS.**—In carrying out  
25          this section, the Secretary may enter into cooperative

1 agreements with State, Tribal, and local governmental en-  
2 tities and private entities to complete the trail reconstruc-  
3 tion, realignment, or rerouting authorized by subsection  
4 (d).

5 (g) BOUNDARIES.—The Secretary shall modify the  
6 boundary of the potential wilderness area to exclude any  
7 area within 150 feet of the centerline of the new location  
8 of any trail that has been reconstructed, realigned, or re-  
9 routed under subsection (d).

10 (h) WILDERNESS DESIGNATION.—

11 (1) IN GENERAL.—The potential wilderness  
12 area, as modified under subsection (g), shall be des-  
13 ignated as wilderness and as a component of the Na-  
14 tional Wilderness Preservation System on the earlier  
15 of—

16 (A) the date on which the Secretary pub-  
17 lishes in the Federal Register notice that the  
18 trail reconstruction, realignment, or rerouting  
19 authorized by subsection (d) has been com-  
20 pleted; or

21 (B) the date that is 20 years after the date  
22 of enactment of this subtitle.

23 (2) ADMINISTRATION OF WILDERNESS.—On  
24 designation as wilderness under this section, the po-  
25 tential wilderness area shall be—

1 (A) incorporated into the Machesna Moun-  
2 tain Wilderness Area, as designated by the Cali-  
3 fornia Wilderness Act of 1984 (Public Law 98-  
4 425; 16 U.S.C. 1132 note) and expanded by  
5 section 402; and

6 (B) administered in accordance with sec-  
7 tion 404 and the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C.  
8 1131 et seq.).

9 **SEC. 404. ADMINISTRATION OF WILDERNESS.**

10 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subject to valid existing rights,  
11 the wilderness areas shall be administered by the Sec-  
12 retary in accordance with this subtitle and the Wilderness  
13 Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.), except that—

14 (1) any reference in the Wilderness Act (16  
15 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.) to the effective date of that Act  
16 shall be considered to be a reference to the date of  
17 enactment of this subtitle; and

18 (2) any reference in the Wilderness Act (16  
19 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.) to the Secretary of Agriculture  
20 shall be considered to be a reference to the Secretary  
21 that has jurisdiction over the wilderness area.

22 (b) FIRE MANAGEMENT AND RELATED ACTIVI-  
23 TIES.—

24 (1) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary may take any  
25 measures in a wilderness area as are necessary for

1 the control of fire, insects, and diseases in accord-  
2 ance with section 4(d)(1) of the Wilderness Act (16  
3 U.S.C. 1133(d)(1)) and House Report 98–40 of the  
4 98th Congress.

5 (2) FUNDING PRIORITIES.—Nothing in this  
6 subtitle limits funding for fire and fuels manage-  
7 ment in the wilderness areas.

8 (3) REVISION AND DEVELOPMENT OF LOCAL  
9 FIRE MANAGEMENT PLANS.—As soon as practicable  
10 after the date of enactment of this subtitle, the Sec-  
11 retary shall amend the local information in the Fire  
12 Management Reference System or individual oper-  
13 ational plans that apply to the land designated as a  
14 wilderness area.

15 (4) ADMINISTRATION.—Consistent with para-  
16 graph (1) and other applicable Federal law, to en-  
17 sure a timely and efficient response to fire emer-  
18 gencies in the wilderness areas, the Secretary shall  
19 enter into agreements with appropriate State or  
20 local firefighting agencies.

21 (c) GRAZING.—The grazing of livestock in the wilder-  
22 ness areas, if established before the date of enactment of  
23 this subtitle, shall be permitted to continue, subject to any  
24 reasonable regulations as the Secretary considers nec-  
25 essary in accordance with—

1 (1) section 4(d)(4) of the Wilderness Act (16  
2 U.S.C. 1133(d)(4));

3 (2) the guidelines set forth in Appendix A of  
4 House Report 101–405, accompanying H.R. 2570 of  
5 the 101st Congress for land under the jurisdiction of  
6 the Secretary of the Interior;

7 (3) the guidelines set forth in House Report  
8 96–617, accompanying H.R. 5487 of the 96th Con-  
9 gress for land under the jurisdiction of the Secretary  
10 of Agriculture; and

11 (4) all other laws governing livestock grazing on  
12 Federal public land.

13 (d) FISH AND WILDLIFE.—

14 (1) IN GENERAL.—In accordance with section  
15 4(d)(7) of the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C.  
16 1133(d)(7)), nothing in this subtitle affects the ju-  
17 risdiction or responsibilities of the State with respect  
18 to fish and wildlife on public land in the State.

19 (2) MANAGEMENT ACTIVITIES.—In furtherance  
20 of the purposes and principles of the Wilderness Act  
21 (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.), the Secretary may conduct  
22 any management activities that are necessary to  
23 maintain or restore fish and wildlife populations and  
24 habitats in the wilderness areas, if the management  
25 activities are—



1 (A) consistent with relevant wilderness  
2 management plans;

3 (B) conducted in accordance with appro-  
4 priate policies, such as the policies established  
5 in Appendix B of House Report 101–405; and

6 (C) in accordance with memoranda of un-  
7 derstanding between the Federal agencies and  
8 the State Department of Fish and Wildlife.

9 (e) BUFFER ZONES.—

10 (1) IN GENERAL.—Congress does not intend for  
11 the designation of wilderness areas by this subtitle  
12 to lead to the creation of protective perimeters or  
13 buffer zones around each wilderness area.

14 (2) ACTIVITIES OR USES UP TO BOUNDARIES.—  
15 The fact that nonwilderness activities or uses can be  
16 seen or heard from within a wilderness area shall  
17 not, of itself, preclude the activities or uses up to the  
18 boundary of the wilderness area.

19 (f) MILITARY ACTIVITIES.—Nothing in this subtitle  
20 precludes—

21 (1) low-level overflights of military aircraft over  
22 the wilderness areas;

23 (2) the designation of new units of special air-  
24 space over the wilderness areas; or

1           (3) the use or establishment of military flight  
2 training routes over wilderness areas.

3           (g) HORSES.—Nothing in this subtitle precludes  
4 horseback riding in, or the entry of recreational saddle or  
5 pack stock into, a wilderness area—

6           (1) in accordance with section 4(d)(5) of the  
7 Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1133(d)(5)); and

8           (2) subject to any terms and conditions deter-  
9 mined to be necessary by the Secretary.

10          (h) WITHDRAWAL.—Subject to valid existing rights,  
11 the wilderness areas are withdrawn from—

12           (1) all forms of entry, appropriation, and dis-  
13 posal under the public land laws;

14           (2) location, entry, and patent under the mining  
15 laws; and

16           (3) disposition under all laws pertaining to min-  
17 eral and geothermal leasing or mineral materials.

18          (i) INCORPORATION OF ACQUIRED LAND AND INTER-  
19 ESTS.—Any land within the boundary of a wilderness area  
20 that is acquired by the United States shall—

21           (1) become part of the wilderness area in which  
22 the land is located; and

23           (2) be managed in accordance with—

24                   (A) this section;

1 (B) the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et  
2 seq.); and

3 (C) any other applicable law.

4 (j) TREATMENT OF EXISTING WATER DIVERSIONS IN  
5 THE SAN RAFAEL WILDERNESS ADDITIONS.—

6 (1) AUTHORIZATION FOR CONTINUED USE.—

7 The Secretary of Agriculture may issue a special use  
8 authorization to the owners of the 2 existing water  
9 transport or diversion facilities, including adminis-  
10 trative access roads (in this subsection referred to as  
11 a “facility”), located on National Forest System  
12 land in the San Rafael Wilderness Additions in the  
13 Moon Canyon unit (T. 11 N., R. 30 W., secs. 13  
14 and 14) and the Peak Mountain unit (T. 10 N., R.  
15 28 W., secs. 23 and 26) for the continued operation,  
16 maintenance, and reconstruction of the facility if the  
17 Secretary determines that—

18 (A) the facility was in existence on the  
19 date on which the land on which the facility is  
20 located was designated as part of the National  
21 Wilderness Preservation System (in this sub-  
22 section referred to as “the date of designa-  
23 tion”);

24 (B) the facility has been in substantially  
25 continuous use to deliver water for the bene-

1            ficial use on the non-Federal land of the owner  
2            since the date of designation;

3            (C) the owner of the facility holds a valid  
4            water right for use of the water on the non-  
5            Federal land of the owner under State law, with  
6            a priority date that predates the date of des-  
7            ignation; and

8            (D) it is not practicable or feasible to relo-  
9            cate the facility to land outside of the wilder-  
10           ness and continue the beneficial use of water on  
11           the non-Federal land recognized under State  
12           law.

13           (2) TERMS AND CONDITIONS.—

14           (A) REQUIRED TERMS AND CONDITIONS.—  
15           In a special use authorization issued under  
16           paragraph (1), the Secretary may—

17           (i) allow use of motorized equipment  
18           and mechanized transport for operation,  
19           maintenance, or reconstruction of a facil-  
20           ity, if the Secretary determines that—

21           (I) the use is the minimum nec-  
22           essary to allow the facility to continue  
23           delivery of water to the non-Federal  
24           land for the beneficial uses recognized

1 by the water right held under State  
2 law; and

3 (II) the use of nonmotorized  
4 equipment and nonmechanized trans-  
5 port is impracticable or infeasible; and

6 (ii) preclude use of the facility for the  
7 diversion or transport of water in excess of  
8 the water right recognized by the State on  
9 the date of designation.

10 (B) DISCRETIONARY TERMS AND CONDI-  
11 TIONS.—In a special use authorization issued  
12 under paragraph (1), the Secretary may require  
13 or allow modification or relocation of the facility  
14 in the wilderness, as the Secretary determines  
15 necessary, to reduce impacts to wilderness val-  
16 ues set forth in section 2 of the Wilderness Act  
17 (16 U.S.C. 1131) if the beneficial use of water  
18 on the non-Federal land is not diminished.

19 (k) TREATMENT OF EXISTING ELECTRICAL DIS-  
20 TRIBUTION LINE IN THE SAN RAFAEL WILDERNESS AD-  
21 DITIONS.—

22 (1) AUTHORIZATION FOR CONTINUED USE.—  
23 The Secretary of Agriculture may issue a special use  
24 authorization to the owners of the existing electrical  
25 distribution line to the Plowshare Peak communica-

1       tion site (in this subsection referred to as a “facil-  
2       ity”) located on National Forest System land in the  
3       San Rafael Wilderness Additions in the Moon Can-  
4       yon unit (T. 11 N., R. 30 W., secs. 2, 3 and 4) for  
5       the continued operation, maintenance, and recon-  
6       struction of the facility if the Secretary determines  
7       that—

8               (A) the facility was in existence on the  
9               date on which the land on which the facility is  
10              located was designated as part of the National  
11              Wilderness Preservation System (in this sub-  
12              section referred to as “the date of designa-  
13              tion”);

14             (B) the facility has been in substantially  
15             continuous use to deliver electricity to the com-  
16             munication site; and

17             (C) it is not practicable or feasible to relo-  
18             cate the distribution line to land outside of the  
19             wilderness.

20       (2) TERMS AND CONDITIONS.—

21             (A) REQUIRED TERMS AND CONDITIONS.—

22       In a special use authorization issued under  
23       paragraph (1), the Secretary may allow use of  
24       motorized equipment and mechanized transport  
25       for operation, maintenance, or reconstruction of

1 the electrical distribution line, if the Secretary  
2 determines that the use of nonmotorized equip-  
3 ment and nonmechanized transport is impracti-  
4 cable or infeasible.

5 (B) DISCRETIONARY TERMS AND CONDI-  
6 TIONS.—In a special use authorization issued  
7 under paragraph (1), the Secretary may require  
8 or allow modification or relocation of the facility  
9 in the wilderness, as the Secretary determines  
10 necessary, to reduce impacts to wilderness val-  
11 ues set forth in section 2 of the Wilderness Act  
12 (16 U.S.C. 1131).

13 (I) CLIMATOLOGICAL DATA COLLECTION.—In ac-  
14 cordance with the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.)  
15 and subject to terms and conditions as the Secretary may  
16 prescribe, the Secretary may authorize the installation and  
17 maintenance of hydrologic, meteorologic, or climatological  
18 collection devices in the wilderness areas if the Secretary  
19 determines that the facilities and access to the facilities  
20 are essential to flood warning, flood control, or water res-  
21 ervoir operation activities.

22 **SEC. 405. DESIGNATION OF WILD AND SCENIC RIVERS.**

23 (a) INDIAN CREEK, MONO CREEK, AND MATILIJA  
24 CREEK, CALIFORNIA.—Section 3(a) of the Wild and Sce-

1 nic Rivers Act (16 U.S.C. 1274(a)) is amended by adding  
2 at the end the following:

3 “(231) INDIAN CREEK, CALIFORNIA.—The fol-  
4 lowing segments of Indian Creek in the State of  
5 California, to be administered by the Secretary of  
6 Agriculture:

7 “(A) The 9.5-mile segment of Indian Creek  
8 from its source in sec. 19, T. 7 N., R. 26 W.,  
9 to the Dick Smith Wilderness boundary, as a  
10 wild river.

11 “(B) The 1-mile segment of Indian Creek  
12 from the Dick Smith Wilderness boundary to  
13 0.25 miles downstream of Road 6N24, as a sce-  
14 nic river.

15 “(C) The 3.9-mile segment of Indian Creek  
16 from 0.25 miles downstream of Road 6N24 to  
17 the southern boundary of sec. 32, T. 6 N., R.  
18 26 W., as a wild river.

19 “(232) MONO CREEK, CALIFORNIA.—The fol-  
20 lowing segments of Mono Creek in the State of Cali-  
21 fornia, to be administered by the Secretary of Agri-  
22 culture:

23 “(A) The 4.2-mile segment of Mono Creek  
24 from its source in sec. 1, T. 7 N., R. 26 W.,  
25 to 0.25 miles upstream of Don Victor Fire



1 Road in sec. 28, T. 7 N., R. 25 W., as a wild  
2 river.

3 “(B) The 2.1-mile segment of Mono Creek  
4 from 0.25 miles upstream of the Don Victor  
5 Fire Road in sec. 28, T. 7 N., R. 25 W., to  
6 0.25 miles downstream of Don Victor Fire  
7 Road in sec. 34, T. 7 N., R. 25 W., as a rec-  
8 reational river.

9 “(C) The 14.7-mile segment of Mono  
10 Creek from 0.25 miles downstream of Don Vic-  
11 tor Fire Road in sec. 34, T. 7 N., R. 25 W.,  
12 to the Ogilvy Ranch private property boundary  
13 in sec. 22, T. 6 N., R. 26 W., as a wild river.

14 “(D) The 3.5-mile segment of Mono Creek  
15 from the Ogilvy Ranch private property bound-  
16 ary to the southern boundary of sec. 33, T. 6  
17 N., R. 26 W., as a recreational river.

18 “(233) MATILJA CREEK, CALIFORNIA.—The  
19 following segments of Matilija Creek in the State of  
20 California, to be administered by the Secretary of  
21 Agriculture:

22 “(A) The 7.2-mile segment of the Matilija  
23 Creek from its source in sec. 25, T. 6 N., R.  
24 25 W., to the private property boundary in sec.  
25 9, T. 5 N., R. 24 W., as a wild river.

1           “(B) The 7.25-mile segment of the Upper  
2           North Fork Matilija Creek from its source in  
3           sec. 36, T. 6 N., R. 24 W., to the Matilija Wil-  
4           derness boundary, as a wild river.”.

5           (b) SESPE CREEK, CALIFORNIA.—Section 3(a) of the  
6           Wild and Scenic Rivers Act (16 U.S.C. 1274(a)) is amend-  
7           ed by striking paragraph (142) and inserting the fol-  
8           lowing:

9           “(142) SESPE CREEK, CALIFORNIA.—The fol-  
10          lowing segments of Sespe Creek in the State of Cali-  
11          fornia, to be administered by the Secretary of Agri-  
12          culture:

13           “(A) The 2.7-mile segment of Sespe Creek  
14           from the private property boundary in sec. 10,  
15           T. 6 N., R. 24 W., to the Hartman Ranch pri-  
16           vate property boundary in sec. 14, T. 6 N., R.  
17           24 W., as a wild river.

18           “(B) The 15-mile segment of Sespe Creek  
19           from the Hartman Ranch private property  
20           boundary in sec. 14, T. 6 N., R. 24 W., to the  
21           western boundary of sec. 6, T. 5 N., R. 22 W.,  
22           as a recreational river.

23           “(C) The 6.1-mile segment of Sespe Creek  
24           from the western boundary of sec. 6, T. 5 N.,

1 R. 22 W., to the confluence with Trout Creek,  
2 as a scenic river.

3 “(D) The 28.6-mile segment of Sespe  
4 Creek from the confluence with Trout Creek to  
5 the southern boundary of sec. 35, T. 5 N., R.  
6 20 W., as a wild river.”.

7 (c) SISQUOC RIVER, CALIFORNIA.—Section 3(a) of  
8 the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act (16 U.S.C. 1274(a)) is  
9 amended by striking paragraph (143) and inserting the  
10 following:

11 “(143) SISQUOC RIVER, CALIFORNIA.—The fol-  
12 lowing segments of the Sisquoc River and its tribu-  
13 taries in the State of California, to be administered  
14 by the Secretary of Agriculture:

15 “(A) The 33-mile segment of the main  
16 stem of the Sisquoc River extending from its  
17 origin downstream to the Los Padres Forest  
18 boundary, as a wild river.

19 “(B) The 4.2-mile segment of the South  
20 Fork Sisquoc River from its source northeast of  
21 San Rafael Mountain in sec. 2, T. 7 N., R. 28  
22 W., to its confluence with the Sisquoc River, as  
23 a wild river.

24 “(C) The 10.4-mile segment of Manzana  
25 Creek from its source west of San Rafael Peak

1 in sec. 4, T. 7 N., R. 28 W., to the San Rafael  
2 Wilderness boundary upstream of Nira Camp-  
3 ground, as a wild river.

4 “(D) The 0.6-mile segment of Manzana  
5 Creek from the San Rafael Wilderness bound-  
6 ary upstream of the Nira Campground to the  
7 San Rafael Wilderness boundary downstream of  
8 the confluence of Davy Brown Creek, as a rec-  
9 reational river.

10 “(E) The 5.8-mile segment of Manzana  
11 Creek from the San Rafael Wilderness bound-  
12 ary downstream of the confluence of Davy  
13 Brown Creek to the private property boundary  
14 in sec. 1, T. 8 N., R. 30 W., as a wild river.

15 “(F) The 3.8-mile segment of Manzana  
16 Creek from the private property boundary in  
17 sec. 1, T. 8 N., R. 30 W., to the confluence of  
18 the Sisquoc River, as a recreational river.

19 “(G) The 3.4-mile segment of Davy Brown  
20 Creek from its source west of Ranger Peak in  
21 sec. 32, T. 8 N., R. 29 W., to 300 feet up-  
22 stream of its confluence with Munch Canyon, as  
23 a wild river.

24 “(H) The 1.4-mile segment of Davy Brown  
25 Creek from 300 feet upstream of its confluence

1 with Munch Canyon to its confluence with  
2 Manzana Creek, as a recreational river.

3 “(I) The 2-mile segment of Munch Canyon  
4 from its source north of Ranger Peak in sec.  
5 33, T. 8 N., R. 29 W., to 300 feet upstream  
6 of its confluence with Sunset Valley Creek, as  
7 a wild river.

8 “(J) The 0.5-mile segment of Munch Can-  
9 yon from 300 feet upstream of its confluence  
10 with Sunset Valley Creek to its confluence with  
11 Davy Brown Creek, as a recreational river.

12 “(K) The 2.6-mile segment of Fish Creek  
13 from 500 feet downstream of Sunset Valley  
14 Road to its confluence with Manzana Creek, as  
15 a wild river.

16 “(L) The 1.5-mile segment of East Fork  
17 Fish Creek from its source in sec. 26, T. 8 N.,  
18 R. 29 W., to its confluence with Fish Creek, as  
19 a wild river.”.

20 (d) PIRU CREEK, CALIFORNIA.—Section 3(a) of the  
21 Wild and Scenic Rivers Act (16 U.S.C. 1274(a)) is amend-  
22 ed by striking paragraph (199) and inserting the fol-  
23 lowing:

24 “(199) PIRU CREEK, CALIFORNIA.—The fol-  
25 lowing segments of Piru Creek in the State of Cali-

1       fornia, to be administered by the Secretary of Agri-  
2       culture:

3               “(A) The 9.1-mile segment of Piru Creek  
4               from its source in sec. 3, T. 6 N., R. 22 W.,  
5               to the private property boundary in sec. 4, T.  
6               6 N., R. 21 W., as a wild river.

7               “(B) The 17.2-mile segment of Piru Creek  
8               from the private property boundary in sec. 4, T.  
9               6 N., R. 21 W., to 0.25 miles downstream of  
10              the Gold Hill Road, as a scenic river.

11              “(C) The 4.1-mile segment of Piru Creek  
12              from 0.25 miles downstream of Gold Hill Road  
13              to the confluence with Trail Canyon, as a wild  
14              river.

15              “(D) The 7.25-mile segment of Piru Creek  
16              from the confluence with Trail Canyon to the  
17              confluence with Buck Creek, as a scenic river.

18              “(E) The 3-mile segment of Piru Creek  
19              from 0.5 miles downstream of Pyramid Dam at  
20              the first bridge crossing to the boundary of the  
21              Sespe Wilderness, as a recreational river.

22              “(F) The 13-mile segment of Piru Creek  
23              from the boundary of the Sespe Wilderness to  
24              the boundary of the Sespe Wilderness, as a wild  
25              river.

1           “(G) The 2.2-mile segment of Piru Creek  
2           from the boundary of the Sespe Wilderness to  
3           the upper limit of Piru Reservoir, as a rec-  
4           reational river.”.

5           (e) EFFECT.—The designation of additional miles of  
6 Piru Creek under subsection (d) shall not affect valid  
7 water rights in existence on the date of enactment of this  
8 subtitle.

9           (f) **MOTORIZED USE OF TRAILS.**—Nothing in this  
10 section (including the amendments made by this section)  
11 affects the motorized use of trails designated by the Forest  
12 Service for motorized use that are located adjacent to and  
13 crossing upper Piru Creek, if the use is consistent with  
14 the protection and enhancement of river values under the  
15 Wild and Scenic Rivers Act (16 U.S.C. 1271 et seq.).

16 **SEC. 406. DESIGNATION OF THE FOX MOUNTAIN POTEN-**  
17 **TIAL WILDERNESS.**

18           (a) **DESIGNATION.**—In furtherance of the purposes of  
19 the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.), certain land  
20 in the Los Padres National Forest comprising approxi-  
21 mately 41,082 acres, as generally depicted on the map en-  
22 titled “Fox Mountain Potential Wilderness Area” and  
23 dated November 14, 2019, is designated as the Fox Moun-  
24 tain Potential Wilderness Area.

25           (b) **MAP AND LEGAL DESCRIPTION.**—

1           (1) IN GENERAL.—As soon as practicable after  
2           the date of enactment of this subtitle, the Secretary  
3           of Agriculture shall file a map and a legal descrip-  
4           tion of the Fox Mountain Potential Wilderness Area  
5           (referred to in this section as the “potential wilder-  
6           ness area”) with—

7                   (A) the Committee on Energy and Natural  
8                   Resources of the Senate; and

9                   (B) the Committee on Natural Resources  
10                  of the House of Representatives.

11           (2) FORCE OF LAW.—The map and legal de-  
12           scription filed under paragraph (1) shall have the  
13           same force and effect as if included in this subtitle,  
14           except that the Secretary of Agriculture may correct  
15           any clerical and typographical errors in the map and  
16           legal description.

17           (3) PUBLIC AVAILABILITY.—The map and legal  
18           description filed under paragraph (1) shall be on file  
19           and available for public inspection in the appropriate  
20           offices of the Forest Service.

21           (c) MANAGEMENT.—Except as provided in subsection  
22           (d) and subject to valid existing rights, the Secretary shall  
23           manage the potential wilderness area in accordance with  
24           the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.).



1 (d) TRAIL USE CONSTRUCTION, RECONSTRUCTION,  
2 AND REALIGNMENT.—

3 (1) IN GENERAL.—In accordance with para-  
4 graph (2), the Secretary of Agriculture may—

5 (A) construct a new trail for use by hikers,  
6 equestrians, and mechanized vehicles that con-  
7 nects the Aliso Park Campground to the Bull  
8 Ridge Trail; and

9 (B) reconstruct or realign—

10 (i) the Bull Ridge Trail; and

11 (ii) the Rocky Ridge Trail.

12 (2) REQUIREMENT.—In carrying out the con-  
13 struction, reconstruction, or alignment under para-  
14 graph (1), the Secretary shall—

15 (A) comply with all existing laws (including  
16 regulations); and

17 (B) to the maximum extent practicable,  
18 use the minimum tool or administrative practice  
19 necessary to accomplish the construction, recon-  
20 struction, or alignment with the least amount of  
21 adverse impact on wilderness character and re-  
22 sources.

23 (3) MOTORIZED VEHICLES AND MACHINERY.—

24 In accordance with paragraph (2), the Secretary  
25 may use motorized vehicles and machinery to carry

1 out the trail construction, reconstruction, or realign-  
2 ment authorized by this subsection.

3 (4) MECHANIZED VEHICLES.—The Secretary  
4 may permit the use of mechanized vehicles on the  
5 existing Bull Ridge Trail and Rocky Ridge Trail in  
6 accordance with existing law (including regulations)  
7 and this subsection until such date as the potential  
8 wilderness area is designated as wilderness in ac-  
9 cordance with subsection (h).

10 (e) WITHDRAWAL.—Subject to valid existing rights,  
11 the Federal land in the potential wilderness area is with-  
12 drawn from all forms of—

13 (1) entry, appropriation, or disposal under the  
14 public land laws;

15 (2) location, entry, and patent under the mining  
16 laws; and

17 (3) disposition under all laws pertaining to min-  
18 eral and geothermal leasing or mineral materials.

19 (f) COOPERATIVE AGREEMENTS.—In carrying out  
20 this section, the Secretary may enter into cooperative  
21 agreements with State, Tribal, and local governmental en-  
22 tities and private entities to complete the trail construc-  
23 tion, reconstruction, and realignment authorized by sub-  
24 section (d).

1 (g) BOUNDARIES.—The Secretary shall modify the  
2 boundary of the potential wilderness area to exclude any  
3 area within 50 feet of the centerline of the new location  
4 of any trail that has been constructed, reconstructed, or  
5 realigned under subsection (d).

6 (h) WILDERNESS DESIGNATION.—

7 (1) IN GENERAL.—The potential wilderness  
8 area, as modified under subsection (g), shall be des-  
9 ignated as wilderness and as a component of the Na-  
10 tional Wilderness Preservation System on the earlier  
11 of—

12 (A) the date on which the Secretary pub-  
13 lishes in the Federal Register notice that the  
14 trail construction, reconstruction, or alignment  
15 authorized by subsection (d) has been com-  
16 pleted; or

17 (B) the date that is 20 years after the date  
18 of enactment of this subtitle.

19 (2) ADMINISTRATION OF WILDERNESS.—On  
20 designation as wilderness under this section, the po-  
21 tential wilderness area shall be—

22 (A) incorporated into the San Rafael Wil-  
23 derness, as designated by Public Law 90–271  
24 (82 Stat. 51), the California Wilderness Act of  
25 1984 (Public Law 98–425; 16 U.S.C. 1132

1 note), and the Los Padres Condor Range and  
2 River Protection Act (Public Law 102–301; 106  
3 Stat. 242), and section 402; and

4 (B) administered in accordance with sec-  
5 tion 404 and the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C.  
6 1131 et seq.).

7 **SEC. 407. DESIGNATION OF SCENIC AREAS.**

8 (a) IN GENERAL.—Subject to valid existing rights,  
9 there are established the following scenic areas:

10 (1) CONDOR RIDGE SCENIC AREA.—Certain  
11 land in the Los Padres National Forest comprising  
12 approximately 18,666 acres, as generally depicted on  
13 the map entitled “Condor Ridge Scenic Area—Pro-  
14 posed” and dated March 29, 2019, which shall be  
15 known as the “Condor Ridge Scenic Area”.

16 (2) BLACK MOUNTAIN SCENIC AREA.—Certain  
17 land in the Los Padres National Forest and the Ba-  
18 kersfield Field Office of the Bureau of Land Man-  
19 agement comprising approximately 16,216 acres, as  
20 generally depicted on the map entitled “Black Moun-  
21 tain Scenic Area—Proposed” and dated March 29,  
22 2019, which shall be known as the “Black Mountain  
23 Scenic Area”.

24 (b) MAPS AND LEGAL DESCRIPTIONS.—

1           (1) IN GENERAL.—As soon as practicable after  
2           the date of enactment of this subtitle, the Secretary  
3           of Agriculture shall file a map and legal description  
4           of the Condor Ridge Scenic Area and Black Mountain  
5           Scenic Area with—

6                   (A) the Committee on Energy and Natural  
7                   Resources of the Senate; and

8                   (B) the Committee on Natural Resources  
9                   of the House of Representatives.

10           (2) FORCE OF LAW.—The maps and legal descriptions  
11           filed under paragraph (1) shall have the same force and effect  
12           as if included in this subtitle, except that the Secretary of  
13           Agriculture may correct any clerical and typographical errors  
14           in the maps and legal descriptions.  
15

16           (3) PUBLIC AVAILABILITY.—The maps and legal descriptions  
17           filed under paragraph (1) shall be on file and available for  
18           public inspection in the appropriate offices of the Forest Service  
19           and Bureau of Land Management.  
20

21           (c) PURPOSE.—The purpose of the scenic areas is to  
22           conserve, protect, and enhance for the benefit and enjoyment  
23           of present and future generations the ecological, scenic,  
24           wildlife, recreational, cultural, historical, natural, educational,  
25           and scientific resources of the scenic areas.

1 (d) MANAGEMENT.—

2 (1) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary shall admin-  
3 ister the scenic areas—

4 (A) in a manner that conserves, protects,  
5 and enhances the resources of the scenic areas,  
6 and in particular the scenic character attributes  
7 of the scenic areas; and

8 (B) in accordance with—

9 (i) this section;

10 (ii) the Federal Land Policy and Man-  
11 agement Act (43 U.S.C. 1701 et seq.) for  
12 land under the jurisdiction of the Secretary  
13 of the Interior;

14 (iii) any laws (including regulations)  
15 relating to the National Forest System, for  
16 land under the jurisdiction of the Secretary  
17 of Agriculture; and

18 (iv) any other applicable law (includ-  
19 ing regulations).

20 (2) USES.—The Secretary shall only allow those  
21 uses of the scenic areas that the Secretary deter-  
22 mines would further the purposes described in sub-  
23 section (c).

1 (e) WITHDRAWAL.—Subject to valid existing rights,  
2 the Federal land in the scenic areas is withdrawn from  
3 all forms of—

4 (1) entry, appropriation, or disposal under the  
5 public land laws;

6 (2) location, entry, and patent under the mining  
7 laws; and

8 (3) disposition under all laws pertaining to min-  
9 eral and geothermal leasing or mineral materials.

10 (f) PROHIBITED USES.—The following shall be pro-  
11 hibited on the Federal land within the scenic areas:

12 (1) Permanent roads.

13 (2) Permanent structures.

14 (3) Timber harvesting except when necessary  
15 for the purposes described in subsection (g).

16 (4) Transmission lines.

17 (5) Except as necessary to meet the minimum  
18 requirements for the administration of the scenic  
19 areas and to protect public health and safety—

20 (A) the use of motorized vehicles; or

21 (B) the establishment of temporary roads.

22 (6) Commercial enterprises, except as necessary  
23 for realizing the purposes of the scenic areas.

24 (g) WILDFIRE, INSECT, AND DISEASE MANAGE-  
25 MENT.—Consistent with this section, the Secretary may

1 take any measures in the scenic areas that the Secretary  
2 determines to be necessary to control fire, insects, and dis-  
3 eases, including, as the Secretary determines to be appro-  
4 priate, the coordination of those activities with the State  
5 or a local agency.

6 (h) **ADJACENT MANAGEMENT.**—The fact that an oth-  
7 erwise authorized activity or use can be seen or heard  
8 within a scenic area shall not preclude the activity or use  
9 outside the boundary of the scenic area.

10 **SEC. 408. CONDOR NATIONAL SCENIC TRAIL.**

11 (a) **IN GENERAL.**—The contiguous trail established  
12 pursuant to this section shall be known as the “Condor  
13 National Scenic Trail” named after the California condor,  
14 a critically endangered bird species that lives along the  
15 extent of the trail corridor.

16 (b) **PURPOSE.**—The purposes of the Condor National  
17 Scenic Trail are to—

18 (1) provide a continual extended hiking corridor  
19 that connects the southern and northern portions of  
20 the Los Padres National Forest, spanning the entire  
21 length of the forest along the coastal mountains of  
22 southern and central California; and

23 (2) provide for the public enjoyment of the na-  
24 tionally significant scenic, historic, natural, and cul-  
25 tural qualities of the Los Padres National Forest.



1 (c) AMENDMENT.—Section 5(a) of the National  
2 Trails System Act (16 U.S.C. 1244(a)) is amended by  
3 adding at the end the following:

4 “(31) CONDOR NATIONAL SCENIC TRAIL.—

5 “(A) IN GENERAL.—The Condor National  
6 Scenic Trail, a trail extending approximately  
7 400 miles from Lake Piru in the southern por-  
8 tion of the Los Padres National Forest to the  
9 Botchers Gap Campground in northern portion  
10 of the Los Padres National Forest.

11 “(B) ADMINISTRATION.—The trail shall be  
12 administered by the Secretary of Agriculture, in  
13 consultation with—

14 “(i) other Federal, State, Tribal, re-  
15 gional, and local agencies;

16 “(ii) private landowners; and

17 “(iii) other interested organizations.

18 “(C) RECREATIONAL USES.—Notwith-  
19 standing section 7(c), the use of motorized vehi-  
20 cles on roads or trails included in the Condor  
21 National Scenic Trail on which motorized vehi-  
22 cles are permitted as of the date of enactment  
23 of this paragraph may be permitted.

24 “(D) PRIVATE PROPERTY RIGHTS.—

1                   “(i) PROHIBITION.—The Secretary  
2                   shall not acquire for the trail any land or  
3                   interest in land outside the exterior bound-  
4                   ary of any federally managed area without  
5                   the consent of the owner of land or interest  
6                   in land.

7                   “(ii) EFFECT.—Nothing in this para-  
8                   graph—

9                   “(I) requires any private prop-  
10                  erty owner to allow public access (in-  
11                  cluding Federal, State, or local gov-  
12                  ernment access) to private property;  
13                  or

14                  “(II) modifies any provision of  
15                  Federal, State, or local law with re-  
16                  spect to public access to or use of pri-  
17                  vate land.

18                  “(E) REALIGNMENT.—The Secretary of  
19                  Agriculture may realign segments of the Condor  
20                  National Scenic Trail as necessary to fulfill the  
21                  purposes of the trail.

22                  “(F) MAP.—The map referred to in sub-  
23                  paragraph (A) shall be on file and available for  
24                  public inspection in the appropriate offices of  
25                  the Forest Service.”.

1 (d) STUDY.—

2 (1) STUDY REQUIRED.—Not later than 3 years  
3 after the date of enactment of this subtitle, in ac-  
4 cordance with this section, the Secretary of Agri-  
5 culture shall conduct a study that—

6 (A) addresses the feasibility of, and alter-  
7 natives for, connecting the northern and south-  
8 ern portions of the Los Padres National Forest  
9 by establishing a trail across the applicable por-  
10 tions of the northern and southern Santa Lucia  
11 Mountains of the southern California Coastal  
12 Range; and

13 (B) considers realignment of the trail or  
14 construction of new trail segments to avoid ex-  
15 isting trail segments that currently allow motor-  
16 ized vehicles.

17 (2) CONTENTS.—In carrying out the study re-  
18 quired by paragraph (1), the Secretary of Agri-  
19 culture shall—

20 (A) conform to the requirements for na-  
21 tional scenic trail studies described in section  
22 5(b) of the National Trails System Act (16  
23 U.S.C. 1244(b));

24 (B) provide for a continual hiking route  
25 through and connecting the southern and

1 northern sections of the Los Padres National  
2 Forest;

3 (C) promote recreational, scenic, wilder-  
4 ness and cultural values;

5 (D) enhance connectivity with the overall  
6 National Forest trail system;

7 (E) consider new connectors and realign-  
8 ment of existing trails;

9 (F) emphasize safe and continuous public  
10 access, dispersal from high-use areas, and suit-  
11 able water sources; and

12 (G) to the extent practicable, provide all-  
13 year use.

14 (3) ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENT.—In com-  
15 pleting the study required by paragraph (1), the  
16 Secretary of Agriculture shall consult with—

17 (A) appropriate Federal, State, Tribal, re-  
18 gional, and local agencies;

19 (B) private landowners;

20 (C) nongovernmental organizations; and

21 (D) members of the public.

22 (4) SUBMISSION.—The Secretary of Agriculture  
23 shall submit the study required by paragraph (1)  
24 to—

1 (A) the Committee on Natural Resources  
2 of the House of Representatives; and

3 (B) the Committee on Energy and Natural  
4 Resources of the Senate.

5 (5) ADDITIONS AND ALTERATIONS TO THE  
6 CONDOR NATIONAL SCENIC TRAIL.—

7 (A) IN GENERAL.—Upon completion of the  
8 study required by paragraph (1), if the Sec-  
9 retary of Agriculture determines that additional  
10 or alternative trail segments are feasible for in-  
11 clusion in the Condor National Scenic Trail, the  
12 Secretary of Agriculture shall include those seg-  
13 ments in the Condor National Scenic Trail.

14 (B) EFFECTIVE DATE.—Additions or alter-  
15 nations to the Condor National Scenic Trail  
16 shall be effective on the date the Secretary of  
17 Agriculture publishes in the Federal Register  
18 notice that the additional or alternative seg-  
19 ments are included in the Condor National Sce-  
20 nic Trail.

21 (e) COOPERATIVE AGREEMENTS.—In carrying out  
22 this section (including the amendments made by this sec-  
23 tion), the Secretary of Agriculture may enter into coopera-  
24 tive agreements with State, Tribal, and local government  
25 entities and private entities to complete needed trail con-

1 struction, reconstruction, and realignment projects au-  
2 thorized by this section (including the amendments made  
3 by this section).

4 **SEC. 409. FOREST SERVICE STUDY.**

5 Not later than 6 years after the date of enactment  
6 of this subtitle, the Secretary of Agriculture (acting  
7 through the Chief of the Forest Service) shall study the  
8 feasibility of opening a new trail, for vehicles measuring  
9 50 inches or less, connecting Forest Service Highway 95  
10 to the existing off-highway vehicle trail system in the  
11 Ballinger Canyon off-highway vehicle area.

12 **SEC. 410. NONMOTORIZED RECREATION OPPORTUNITIES.**

13 Not later than 6 years after the date of enactment  
14 of this subtitle, the Secretary of Agriculture, in consulta-  
15 tion with interested parties, shall conduct a study to im-  
16 prove nonmotorized recreation trail opportunities (includ-  
17 ing mountain bicycling) on land not designated as wilder-  
18 ness within the Santa Barbara, Ojai, and Mt. Pinos rang-  
19 er districts.

20 **SEC. 411. USE BY MEMBERS OF TRIBES.**

21 (a) ACCESS.—The Secretary shall ensure that Tribes  
22 have access, in accordance with the Wilderness Act (16  
23 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.), to the wilderness areas, scenic areas,  
24 and potential wilderness areas designated by this subtitle  
25 for traditional cultural and religious purposes.

1 (b) TEMPORARY CLOSURES.—

2 (1) IN GENERAL.—In carrying out this section,  
3 the Secretary, on request of a Tribe, may tempo-  
4 rarily close to the general public one or more specific  
5 portions of a wilderness area, scenic area, or poten-  
6 tial wilderness area designated by this subtitle to  
7 protect the privacy of the members of the Tribe in  
8 the conduct of traditional cultural and religious ac-  
9 tivities.

10 (2) REQUIREMENT.—Any closure under para-  
11 graph (1) shall be—

12 (A) made in such a manner as to affect  
13 the smallest practicable area for the minimum  
14 period of time necessary for the activity to be  
15 carried out; and

16 (B) be consistent with the purpose and in-  
17 tent of Public Law 95–341 (commonly known  
18 as the American Indian Religious Freedom Act)  
19 (42 U.S.C. 1996) and the Wilderness Act (16  
20 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.).

21 **Subtitle E—San Gabriel Mountains**  
22 **Foothills and Rivers Protection**

23 **SEC. 501. DEFINITION OF STATE.**

24 In this subtitle, the term “State” means the State  
25 of California.

1    **PART 1—SAN GABRIEL NATIONAL RECREATION**

2                                    **AREA**

3    **SEC. 511. PURPOSES.**

4        The purposes of this part are—

5            (1) to conserve, protect, and enhance for the  
6        benefit and enjoyment of present and future genera-  
7        tions the ecological, scenic, wildlife, recreational, cul-  
8        tural, historical, natural, educational, and scientific  
9        resources of the Recreation Area;

10           (2) to provide environmentally responsible, well-  
11        managed recreational opportunities within the  
12        Recreation Area;

13           (3) to improve access to and from the Recre-  
14        ation Area;

15           (4) to provide expanded educational and inter-  
16        pretive services to increase public understanding of,  
17        and appreciation for, the natural and cultural re-  
18        sources of the Recreation Area;

19           (5) to facilitate the cooperative management of  
20        the land and resources within the Recreation Area,  
21        in collaboration with the State and political subdivi-  
22        sions of the State, historical, business, cultural,  
23        civic, recreational, tourism and other nongovern-  
24        mental organizations, and the public; and

25           (6) to allow the continued use of the Recreation  
26        Area by all individuals, entities, and local govern-



1       ment agencies in activities relating to integrated  
2       water management, flood protection, water conserva-  
3       tion, water quality, water rights, water supply,  
4       groundwater recharge and monitoring, wastewater  
5       treatment, public roads and bridges, and utilities  
6       within or adjacent to the Recreation Area.

7       **SEC. 512. DEFINITIONS.**

8       In this part:

9               (1) **ADJUDICATION.**—The term “adjudication”  
10       means any final judgment, order, ruling, or decree  
11       entered in any judicial proceeding adjudicating or af-  
12       fecting water rights, surface water management, or  
13       groundwater management.

14               (2) **ADVISORY COUNCIL.**—The term “Advisory  
15       Council” means the San Gabriel National Recreation  
16       Area Public Advisory Council established under sec-  
17       tion 517(a).

18               (3) **FEDERAL LANDS.**—The term “Federal  
19       lands” means—

20                       (A) public lands under the jurisdiction of  
21       the Secretary of the Interior; and

22                       (B) lands under the jurisdiction of the Sec-  
23       retary of Defense, acting through the Chief of  
24       Engineers.

1           (4) MANAGEMENT PLAN.—The term “manage-  
2           ment plan” means the management plan for the  
3           Recreation Area required under section 514(d).

4           (5) PARTNERSHIP.—The term “Partnership”  
5           means the San Gabriel National Recreation Area  
6           Partnership established by section 518(a).

7           (6) PUBLIC WATER SYSTEM.—The term “public  
8           water system” has the meaning given the term in 42  
9           U.S.C. 300(f)(4) or in section 116275 of the Cali-  
10          fornia Health and Safety Code.

11          (6) RECREATION AREA.—The term “Recreation  
12          Area” means the San Gabriel National Recreation  
13          Area established by section 513(a).

14          (7) SECRETARY.—The term “Secretary” means  
15          the Secretary of the Interior.

16          (8) UTILITY FACILITY.—The term “utility facil-  
17          ity” means—

18                (A) any electric substations, communica-  
19                tion facilities, towers, poles, and lines, ground  
20                wires, communication circuits, and other struc-  
21                tures, and related infrastructure; and

22                (B) any such facilities associated with a  
23                public water system.

24          (9) WATER RESOURCE FACILITY.—The term  
25          “water resource facility” means irrigation and

1       pumping facilities, dams and reservoirs, flood control  
2       facilities, water conservation works, including debris  
3       protection facilities, sediment placement sites, rain  
4       gauges and stream gauges, water quality facilities,  
5       recycled water facilities, water pumping, conveyance  
6       and distribution systems, water storage tanks and  
7       reservoirs, and water treatment facilities, aqueducts,  
8       canals, ditches, pipelines, wells, hydropower projects,  
9       and transmission and other ancillary facilities,  
10      groundwater recharge facilities, water conservation,  
11      water filtration plants, and other water diversion,  
12      conservation, groundwater recharge, storage, and  
13      carriage structures.

14   **SEC. 513. SAN GABRIEL NATIONAL RECREATION AREA.**

15       (a) ESTABLISHMENT; BOUNDARIES.—Subject to  
16      valid existing rights, there is established as a unit of the  
17      National Park System in the State the San Gabriel Na-  
18      tional Recreation Area, which shall consist of approxi-  
19      mately 49,387 acres of Federal land and interests in land  
20      in the State depicted as the “Proposed San Gabriel Na-  
21      tional Recreation Area” on the map entitled “San Gabriel  
22      National Recreation Area Proposed Boundary” and dated  
23      July 2019.

24       (b) MAP AND LEGAL DESCRIPTION.—

1           (1) IN GENERAL.—As soon as practicable after  
2           the date of the enactment of this subtitle, the Sec-  
3           retary shall file a map and a legal description of the  
4           Recreation Area with—

5                   (A) the Committee on Energy and Natural  
6                   Resources of the Senate; and

7                   (B) the Committee on Natural Resources  
8                   of the House of Representatives.

9           (2) FORCE OF LAW.—The map and legal de-  
10          scription filed under paragraph (1) shall have the  
11          same force and effect as if included in this subtitle,  
12          except that the Secretary may correct any clerical or  
13          typographical error in the map or legal description.

14          (3) PUBLIC AVAILABILITY.—The map and legal  
15          description filed under paragraph (1) shall be on file  
16          and available for public inspection in the appropriate  
17          offices of the National Park Service.

18          (c) ADMINISTRATION AND JURISDICTION.—

19                  (1) PUBLIC LANDS.—The public lands included  
20                  in the Recreation Area shall be administered by the  
21                  Secretary, acting through the Director of the Na-  
22                  tional Park Service.

23                  (2) DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE LAND.—Al-  
24                  though certain Federal lands under the jurisdiction  
25                  of the Secretary of Defense are included in the

1 recreation area, nothing in this part transfers ad-  
2 ministration jurisdiction of such Federal lands from  
3 the Secretary of Defense or otherwise affects Fed-  
4 eral lands under the jurisdiction of the Secretary of  
5 Defense.

6 (3) STATE AND LOCAL JURISDICTION.—Noth-  
7 ing in this part alters, modifies, or diminishes any  
8 right, responsibility, power, authority, jurisdiction,  
9 or entitlement of the State, a political subdivision of  
10 the State, including, but not limited to courts of  
11 competent jurisdiction, regulatory commissions,  
12 boards, and departments, or any State or local agen-  
13 cy under any applicable Federal, State, or local law  
14 (including regulations).

15 **SEC. 514. MANAGEMENT.**

16 (a) NATIONAL PARK SYSTEM.—Subject to valid ex-  
17 isting rights, the Secretary shall manage the public lands  
18 included in the Recreation Area in a manner that protects  
19 and enhances the natural resources and values of the pub-  
20 lic lands, in accordance with—

21 (1) this part;

22 (2) section 100101(a), chapter 1003, and sec-  
23 tions 100751(a), 100752, 100753 and 102101 of  
24 title 54, United States Code (formerly known as the  
25 “National Park Service Organic Act”);

1           (3) the laws generally applicable to units of the  
2       National Park System; and

3           (4) other applicable law, regulations, adjudica-  
4       tions, and orders.

5       (b) COOPERATION WITH SECRETARY OF DE-  
6 FENSE.—The Secretary shall cooperate with the Secretary  
7 of Defense to develop opportunities for the management  
8 of the Federal land under the jurisdiction of the Secretary  
9 of Defense included in the Recreation Area in accordance  
10 with the purposes described in section 511, to the max-  
11 imum extent practicable.

12       (c) TREATMENT OF NON-FEDERAL LAND.—

13           (1) IN GENERAL.—Nothing in this part—

14               (A) authorizes the Secretary to take any  
15               action that would affect the use of any land not  
16               owned by the United States within the Recre-  
17               ation Area;

18               (B) affects the use of, or access to, any  
19               non-Federal land within the Recreation Area;

20               (C) modifies any provision of Federal,  
21               State, or local law with respect to public access  
22               to, or use of, non-Federal land;

23               (D) requires any owner of non-Federal  
24               land to allow public access (including Federal,

1 State, or local government access) to private  
2 property or any other non-Federal land;

3 (E) alters any duly adopted land use regu-  
4 lation, approved land use plan, or any other  
5 regulatory authority of any State or local agen-  
6 cy or unit of Tribal government;

7 (F) creates any liability, or affects any li-  
8 ability under any other law, of any private  
9 property owner or other owner of non-Federal  
10 land with respect to any person injured on the  
11 private property or other non-Federal land;

12 (G) conveys to the Partnership any land  
13 use or other regulatory authority;

14 (H) shall be construed to cause any Fed-  
15 eral, State, or local regulation or permit re-  
16 quirement intended to apply to units of the Na-  
17 tional Park System to affect the federal lands  
18 under the jurisdiction of the Secretary of De-  
19 fense or non-Federal lands within the bound-  
20 aries of the recreation area; or

21 (I) requires any local government to par-  
22 ticipate in any program administered by the  
23 Secretary.

24 (2) COOPERATION.—The Secretary is encour-  
25 aged to work with owners of non-Federal land who

1 have agreed to cooperate with the Secretary to ad-  
2 vance the purposes of this part.

3 (3) BUFFER ZONES.—

4 (A) IN GENERAL.—Nothing in this part es-  
5 tablishes any protective perimeter or buffer  
6 zone around the Recreation Area.

7 (B) ACTIVITIES OR USES UP TO BOUND-  
8 ARIES.—The fact that an activity or use of land  
9 can be seen or heard from within the Recre-  
10 ation Area shall not preclude the activity or  
11 land use up to the boundary of the Recreation  
12 Area.

13 (4) FACILITIES.—Nothing in this part affects  
14 the operation, maintenance, modification, construc-  
15 tion, destruction, removal, relocation, improvement  
16 or expansion of any water resource facility or public  
17 water system, or any solid waste, sanitary sewer,  
18 water or waste-water treatment, groundwater re-  
19 charge or conservation, hydroelectric, conveyance  
20 distribution system, recycled water facility, or utility  
21 facility located within or adjacent to the Recreation  
22 Area.

23 (5) EXEMPTION.—Section 100903 of title 54,  
24 United States Code, shall not apply to the Puente



1 Hills landfill, materials recovery facility, or inter-  
2 modal facility.

3 (d) MANAGEMENT PLAN.—

4 (1) DEADLINE.—Not later than 3 years after  
5 the date of the enactment of this subtitle, the Sec-  
6 retary and the Advisory Council shall establish a  
7 comprehensive management plan for the Recreation  
8 Area that supports the purposes described in section  
9 511.

10 (2) USE OF EXISTING PLANS.—In developing  
11 the management plan, to the extent consistent with  
12 this section, the Secretary may incorporate any pro-  
13 vision of a land use or other plan applicable to the  
14 public lands included in the Recreation Area.

15 (3) INCORPORATION OF VISITOR SERVICES  
16 PLAN.—To the maximum extent practicable, the  
17 Secretary shall incorporate into the management  
18 plan the visitor services plan under section  
19 519(a)(2).

20 (4) PARTNERSHIP.—In developing the manage-  
21 ment plan, the Secretary shall consider recommenda-  
22 tions of the Partnership. To the maximum extent  
23 practicable, the Secretary shall incorporate rec-  
24 ommendations of the Partnership into the manage-  
25 ment plan if the Secretary determines that the rec-

1       ommendations are feasible and consistent with the  
2       purposes in section 511, this part, and applicable  
3       laws (including regulations).

4       (e) FISH AND WILDLIFE.—Nothing in this part af-  
5       fects the jurisdiction of the State with respect to fish or  
6       wildlife located on public lands in the State.

7       **SEC. 515. ACQUISITION OF NON-FEDERAL LAND WITHIN**  
8                                   **RECREATION AREA.**

9       (a) LIMITED ACQUISITION AUTHORITY.—

10           (1) IN GENERAL.—Subject to paragraph (2),  
11       the Secretary may acquire non-Federal land within  
12       the boundaries of the Recreation Area only through  
13       exchange, donation, or purchase from a willing sell-  
14       er.

15           (2) ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENT.—As a further  
16       condition on the acquisition of land, the Secretary  
17       shall make a determination that the land contains  
18       important biological, cultural, historic, or rec-  
19       reational values.

20       (b) PROHIBITION ON USE OF EMINENT DOMAIN.—  
21       Nothing in this part authorizes the use of eminent domain  
22       to acquire land or an interest in land.

23       (c) TREATMENT OF ACQUIRED LAND.—Any land or  
24       interest in land acquired by the United States within the  
25       boundaries of the Recreation Area shall be—

- 1 (1) included in the Recreation Area; and  
2 (2) administered by the Secretary in accordance  
3 with—  
4 (A) this part; and  
5 (B) other applicable laws (including regu-  
6 lations).

7 **SEC. 516. WATER RIGHTS; WATER RESOURCE FACILITIES;**  
8 **PUBLIC ROADS; UTILITY FACILITIES.**

9 (a) **NO EFFECT ON WATER RIGHTS.**—Nothing in  
10 this part or section 522—

11 (1) shall affect the use or allocation, as in exist-  
12 ence on the date of the enactment of this subtitle,  
13 of any water, water right, or interest in water (in-  
14 cluding potable, recycled, reclaimed, waste, imported,  
15 exported, banked, or stored water, surface water,  
16 groundwater, and public trust interest);

17 (2) shall affect any public or private contract in  
18 existence on the date of the enactment of this sub-  
19 title for the sale, lease, loan, or transfer of any  
20 water (including potable, recycled, reclaimed, waste,  
21 imported, exported, banked, or stored water, surface  
22 water, and groundwater);

23 (3) shall be considered to be a relinquishment  
24 or reduction of any water rights reserved or appro-

1        appropriated by the United States in the State on or be-  
2        fore the date of the enactment of this subtitle;

3            (4) authorizes or imposes any new reserved  
4        Federal water right or expands water usage pursu-  
5        ant to any existing Federal reserved, riparian or ap-  
6        propriative right;

7            (5) shall be considered a relinquishment or re-  
8        duction of any water rights (including potable, recy-  
9        cled, reclaimed, waste, imported, exported, banked,  
10       or stored water, surface water, and groundwater)  
11       held, reserved, or appropriated by any public entity  
12       or other persons or entities, on or before the date of  
13       the enactment of this subtitle;

14           (6) shall be construed to, or shall interfere or  
15       conflict with the exercise of the powers or duties of  
16       any watermaster, public agency, public water sys-  
17       tem, court of competent jurisdiction, or other body  
18       or entity responsible for groundwater or surface  
19       water management or groundwater replenishment as  
20       designated or established pursuant to any adjudica-  
21       tion or Federal or State law, including the manage-  
22       ment of the San Gabriel River watershed and basin,  
23       to provide water supply or other environmental bene-  
24       fits;

1           (7) shall be construed to impede or adversely  
2 impact any previously adopted Los Angeles County  
3 Drainage Area project, as described in the report of  
4 the Chief of Engineers dated June 30, 1992, includ-  
5 ing any supplement or addendum to that report, or  
6 any maintenance agreement to operate that project;

7           (8) shall interfere or conflict with any action by  
8 a watermaster, water agency, public water system,  
9 court of competent jurisdiction, or public agency  
10 pursuant to any Federal or State law, water right,  
11 or adjudication, including any action relating to  
12 water conservation, water quality, surface water di-  
13 version or impoundment, groundwater recharge,  
14 water treatment, conservation or storage of water,  
15 pollution, waste discharge, the pumping of ground-  
16 water; the spreading, injection, pumping, storage, or  
17 the use of water from local sources, storm water  
18 flows, and runoff, or from imported or recycled  
19 water, that is undertaken in connection with the  
20 management or regulation of the San Gabriel River;

21           (9) shall interfere with, obstruct, hinder, or  
22 delay the exercise of, or access to, any water right  
23 by the owner of a public water system or any other  
24 individual or entity, including the construction, oper-  
25 ation, maintenance, replacement, removal, repair, lo-

1 cation, or relocation of any well; pipeline; or water  
2 pumping, treatment, diversion, impoundment, or  
3 storage facility; or other facility or property nec-  
4 essary or useful to access any water right or operate  
5 an public water system;

6 (10) shall require the initiation or reinitiation  
7 of consultation with the United States Fish and  
8 Wildlife Service under, or the application of any pro-  
9 vision of, the Endangered Species Act of 1973 (16  
10 U.S.C. 1531 et seq.) relating to any action affecting  
11 any water, water right, or water management or  
12 water resource facility in the San Gabriel River wa-  
13 tershed and basin; or

14 (11) authorizes any agency or employee of the  
15 United States, or any other person, to take any ac-  
16 tion inconsistent with any of paragraphs (1) through  
17 (10).

18 (b) WATER RESOURCE FACILITIES.—

19 (1) NO EFFECT ON EXISTING WATER RE-  
20 SOURCE FACILITIES.—Nothing in this part or sec-  
21 tion 522 shall affect—

22 (A) the use, operation, maintenance, re-  
23 pair, construction, destruction, removal, recon-  
24 figuration, expansion, improvement or replace-  
25 ment of a water resource facility or public

1 water system within or adjacent to the Recre-  
2 ation Area or San Gabriel Mountains National  
3 Monument; or

4 (B) access to a water resource facility  
5 within or adjacent to the Recreation Area or  
6 San Gabriel Mountains National Monument.

7 (2) NO EFFECT ON NEW WATER RESOURCE FA-  
8 CILITIES.—Nothing in this part or section 522 shall  
9 preclude the establishment of a new water resource  
10 facility (including instream sites, routes, and areas)  
11 within the Recreation Area or San Gabriel Moun-  
12 tains National Monument if the water resource facil-  
13 ity or public water system is necessary to preserve  
14 or enhance the health, safety, reliability, quality or  
15 accessibility of water supply, or utility services to  
16 residents of Los Angeles County.

17 (3) FLOOD CONTROL.—Nothing in this part or  
18 section 522 shall be construed to—

19 (A) impose any new restriction or require-  
20 ment on flood protection, water conservation,  
21 water supply, groundwater recharge, water  
22 transfers, or water quality operations and main-  
23 tenance; or

24 (B) increase the liability of an agency or  
25 public water system carrying out flood protec-

1           tion, water conservation, water supply, ground-  
2           water recharge, water transfers, or water qual-  
3           ity operations.

4           (4) DIVERSION OR USE OF WATER.—Nothing in  
5           this part or section 522 shall authorize or require  
6           the use of water or water rights in, or the diversion  
7           of water to, the Recreation Area or San Gabriel  
8           Mountains National Monument.

9           (c) UTILITY FACILITIES AND RIGHTS OF WAY.—  
10          Nothing in this part or section 522 shall—

11           (1) affect the use, operation, maintenance, re-  
12           pair, construction, destruction, reconfiguration, ex-  
13           pansion, inspection, renewal, reconstruction, alter-  
14           ation, addition, relocation, improvement, removal, or  
15           replacement of a utility facility or appurtenant right-  
16           of-way within or adjacent to the Recreation Area or  
17           San Gabriel Mountains National Monument;

18           (2) affect access to a utility facility or right-of-  
19           way within or adjacent to the Recreation Area or  
20           San Gabriel Mountains National Monument; or

21           (3) preclude the establishment of a new utility  
22           facility or right-of-way (including instream sites,  
23           routes, and areas) within the Recreation Area or  
24           San Gabriel Mountains National Monument if such  
25           a facility or right-of-way is necessary for public



1 health and safety, electricity supply, or other utility  
2 services.

3 (d) ROADS; PUBLIC TRANSIT.—

4 (1) DEFINITIONS.—In this subsection:

5 (A) PUBLIC ROAD.—The term “public  
6 road” means any paved road or bridge (includ-  
7 ing any appurtenant structure and right-of-  
8 way) that is—

9 (i) operated or maintained by a non-  
10 Federal entity; and

11 (ii)(I) open to vehicular use by the  
12 public; or

13 (II) used by a public agency or utility  
14 for the operation, maintenance, improve-  
15 ment, repair, removal, relocation, construc-  
16 tion, destruction or rehabilitation of infra-  
17 structure, a utility facility, or a right-of-  
18 way.

19 (B) PUBLIC TRANSIT.—The term “public  
20 transit” means any transit service (including  
21 operations and rights-of-way) that is—

22 (i) operated or maintained by a non-  
23 Federal entity; and

24 (ii)(I) open to the public; or

1 (II) used by a public agency or con-  
2 tractor for the operation, maintenance, re-  
3 pair, construction, or rehabilitation of in-  
4 frastructure, a utility facility, or a right-of-  
5 way.

6 (2) NO EFFECT ON PUBLIC ROADS OR PUBLIC  
7 TRANSIT.—Nothing in this part or section 522—

8 (A) authorizes the Secretary to take any  
9 action that would affect the operation, mainte-  
10 nance, repair, or rehabilitation of public roads  
11 or public transit (including activities necessary  
12 to comply with Federal or State safety or public  
13 transit standards); or

14 (B) creates any new liability, or increases  
15 any existing liability, of an owner or operator of  
16 a public road.

17 **SEC. 517. SAN GABRIEL NATIONAL RECREATION AREA PUB-**  
18 **LIC ADVISORY COUNCIL.**

19 (a) ESTABLISHMENT.—Not later than 180 days after  
20 the date of the enactment of this subtitle, the Secretary  
21 shall establish an advisory council, to be known as the  
22 “San Gabriel National Recreation Area Public Advisory  
23 Council”.

1 (b) DUTIES.—The Advisory Council shall advise the  
2 Secretary regarding the development and implementation  
3 of the management plan and the visitor services plan.

4 (c) APPLICABLE LAW.—The Advisory Council shall  
5 be subject to—

6 (1) the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5  
7 U.S.C. App.); and

8 (2) all other applicable laws (including regula-  
9 tions).

10 (d) MEMBERSHIP.—The Advisory Council shall con-  
11 sist of 22 members, to be appointed by the Secretary after  
12 taking into consideration recommendations of the Partner-  
13 ship, of whom—

14 (1) 2 shall represent local, regional, or national  
15 environmental organizations;

16 (2) 2 shall represent the interests of outdoor  
17 recreation, including off-highway vehicle recreation,  
18 within the Recreation Area;

19 (3) 2 shall represent the interests of commu-  
20 nity-based organizations, the missions of which in-  
21 clude expanding access to the outdoors;

22 (4) 2 shall represent business interests;

23 (5) 1 shall represent Indian Tribes within or  
24 adjacent to the Recreation Area;

1           (6) 1 shall represent the interests of home-  
2 owners' associations within the Recreation Area;

3           (7) 3 shall represent the interests of holders of  
4 adjudicated water rights, public water systems,  
5 water agencies, wastewater and sewer agencies, recy-  
6 cled water facilities, and water management and re-  
7 plenishment entities;

8           (8) 1 shall represent energy and mineral devel-  
9 opment interests;

10          (9) 1 shall represent owners of Federal grazing  
11 permits or other land use permits within the Recre-  
12 ation Area;

13          (10) 1 shall represent archaeological and histor-  
14 ical interests;

15          (11) 1 shall represent the interests of environ-  
16 mental educators;

17          (12) 1 shall represent cultural history interests;

18          (13) 1 shall represent environmental justice in-  
19 terests;

20          (14) 1 shall represent electrical utility interests;  
21 and

22          (15) 2 shall represent the affected public at  
23 large.

24          (e) TERMS.—

1           (1) STAGGERED TERMS.—A member of the Ad-  
2       visory Council shall be appointed for a term of 3  
3       years, except that, of the members first appointed,  
4       7 of the members shall be appointed for a term of  
5       1 year and 7 of the members shall be appointed for  
6       a term of 2 years.

7           (2) REAPPOINTMENT.—A member may be re-  
8       appointed to serve on the Advisory Council on the  
9       expiration of the term of service of the member.

10          (3) VACANCY.—A vacancy on the Advisory  
11       Council shall be filled in the same manner in which  
12       the original appointment was made.

13          (f) QUORUM.—A quorum shall be ten members of the  
14       advisory council. The operations of the advisory council  
15       shall not be impaired by the fact that a member has not  
16       yet been appointed as long as a quorum has been attained.

17          (g) CHAIRPERSON; PROCEDURES.—The Advisory  
18       Council shall elect a chairperson and establish such rules  
19       and procedures as the advisory council considers necessary  
20       or desirable.

21          (h) SERVICE WITHOUT COMPENSATION.—Members  
22       of the Advisory Council shall serve without pay.

23          (i) TERMINATION.—The Advisory Council shall cease  
24       to exist—

1           (1) on the date that is 5 years after the date  
2           on which the management plan is adopted by the  
3           Secretary; or

4           (2) on such later date as the Secretary con-  
5           siders to be appropriate.

6 **SEC. 518. SAN GABRIEL NATIONAL RECREATION AREA**  
7           **PARTNERSHIP.**

8           (a) ESTABLISHMENT.—There is established a Part-  
9           nership, to be known as the “San Gabriel National Recre-  
10          ation Area Partnership”.

11          (b) PURPOSES.—The purposes of the Partnership are  
12          to—

13               (1) coordinate the activities of Federal, State,  
14               Tribal, and local authorities and the private sector  
15               in advancing the purposes of this part; and

16               (2) use the resources and expertise of each  
17               agency in improving management and recreational  
18               opportunities within the Recreation Area.

19          (c) MEMBERSHIP.—The Partnership shall include the  
20          following:

21               (1) The Secretary (or a designee) to represent  
22               the National Park Service.

23               (2) The Secretary of Defense (or a designee) to  
24               represent the Corps of Engineers.

1           (3) The Secretary of Agriculture (or a designee)  
2           to represent the Forest Service.

3           (4) The Secretary of the Natural Resources  
4           Agency of the State (or a designee) to represent—

5                 (A) the California Department of Parks  
6                 and Recreation; and

7                 (B) the Rivers and Mountains Conser-  
8                 vancy.

9           (5) 1 designee of the Los Angeles County  
10          Board of Supervisors.

11          (6) 1 designee of the Puente Hills Habitat  
12          Preservation Authority.

13          (7) 4 designees of the San Gabriel Council of  
14          Governments, of whom 1 shall be selected from a  
15          local land conservancy.

16          (8) 1 designee of the San Gabriel Valley Eco-  
17          nomic Partnership.

18          (9) 1 designee of the Los Angeles County Flood  
19          Control District.

20          (10) 1 designee of the San Gabriel Valley  
21          Water Association.

22          (11) 1 designee of the Central Basin Water As-  
23          sociation.

24          (12) 1 designee of the Main San Gabriel Basin  
25          Watermaster.

1           (13) 1 designee of a public utility company, to  
2           be appointed by the Secretary.

3           (14) 1 designee of the Watershed Conservation  
4           Authority.

5           (15) 1 designee of the Advisory Council for the  
6           period during which the Advisory Council remains in  
7           effect.

8           (16) 1 designee of San Gabriel Mountains Na-  
9           tional Monument Community Collaborative.

10          (d) DUTIES.—To advance the purposes described in  
11          section 511, the Partnership shall—

12                (1) make recommendations to the Secretary re-  
13                garding the development and implementation of the  
14                management plan;

15                (2) review and comment on the visitor services  
16                plan under section 519(a)(2), and facilitate the im-  
17                plementation of that plan;

18                (3) assist units of local government, regional  
19                planning organizations, and nonprofit organizations  
20                in advancing the purposes of the Recreation Area  
21                by—

22                        (A) carrying out programs and projects  
23                        that recognize, protect, and enhance important  
24                        resource values within the Recreation Area;



1 (B) establishing and maintaining interpre-  
2 tive exhibits and programs within the Recre-  
3 ation Area;

4 (C) developing recreational and educational  
5 opportunities in the Recreation Area in accord-  
6 ance with the purposes of this part;

7 (D) increasing public awareness of, and  
8 appreciation for, natural, historic, scenic, and  
9 cultural resources of the Recreation Area;

10 (E) ensuring that signs identifying points  
11 of public access and sites of interest are posted  
12 throughout the Recreation Area;

13 (F) promoting a wide range of partner-  
14 ships among governments, organizations, and  
15 individuals to advance the purposes of the  
16 Recreation Area; and

17 (G) ensuring that management of the  
18 Recreation Area takes into consideration—

19 (i) local ordinances and land-use  
20 plans; and

21 (ii) adjacent residents and property  
22 owners;

23 (4) make recommendations to the Secretary re-  
24 garding the appointment of members to the Advisory  
25 Council; and

1           (5) carry out any other actions necessary to  
2           achieve the purposes of this part.

3           (e) AUTHORITIES.—Subject to approval by the Sec-  
4           retary, for the purposes of preparing and implementing  
5           the management plan, the Partnership may use Federal  
6           funds made available under this section—

7           (1) to make grants to the State, political sub-  
8           divisions of the State, nonprofit organizations, and  
9           other persons;

10          (2) to enter into cooperative agreements with,  
11          or provide grants or technical assistance to, the  
12          State, political subdivisions of the State, nonprofit  
13          organizations, Federal agencies, and other interested  
14          parties;

15          (3) to hire and compensate staff;

16          (4) to obtain funds or services from any source,  
17          including funds and services provided under any  
18          other Federal law or program;

19          (5) to contract for goods or services; and

20          (6) to support activities of partners and any  
21          other activities that—

22                 (A) advance the purposes of the Recreation  
23                 Area; and

24                 (B) are in accordance with the manage-  
25                 ment plan.

1 (f) TERMS OF OFFICE; REAPPOINTMENT; VACAN-  
2 CIES.—

3 (1) TERMS.—A member of the Partnership  
4 shall be appointed for a term of 3 years.

5 (2) REAPPOINTMENT.—A member may be re-  
6 appointed to serve on the Partnership on the expira-  
7 tion of the term of service of the member.

8 (3) VACANCY.—A vacancy on the Partnership  
9 shall be filled in the same manner in which the origi-  
10 nal appointment was made.

11 (g) QUORUM.—A quorum shall be eleven members of  
12 the Partnership. The operations of the Partnership shall  
13 not be impaired by the fact that a member has not yet  
14 been appointed as long as a quorum has been attained.

15 (h) CHAIRPERSON; PROCEDURES.—The Partnership  
16 shall elect a chairperson and establish such rules and pro-  
17 cedures as it deems necessary or desirable.

18 (i) SERVICE WITHOUT COMPENSATION.—A member  
19 of the Partnership shall serve without compensation.

20 (j) DUTIES AND AUTHORITIES OF SECRETARY.—

21 (1) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary shall convene  
22 the Partnership on a regular basis to carry out this  
23 part.

24 (2) TECHNICAL AND FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE.—  
25 The Secretary may provide to the Partnership or

1 any member of the Partnership, on a reimbursable  
2 or nonreimbursable basis, such technical and finan-  
3 cial assistance as the Secretary determines to be ap-  
4 propriate to carry out this part.

5 (3) COOPERATIVE AGREEMENTS.—The Sec-  
6 retary may enter into a cooperative agreement with  
7 the Partnership, a member of the Partnership, or  
8 any other public or private entity to provide tech-  
9 nical, financial, or other assistance to carry out this  
10 part.

11 (4) CONSTRUCTION OF FACILITIES ON NON-  
12 FEDERAL LAND.—

13 (A) IN GENERAL.—In order to facilitate  
14 the administration of the Recreation Area, the  
15 Secretary is authorized, subject to valid existing  
16 rights, to construct administrative or visitor use  
17 facilities on land owned by a non-profit organi-  
18 zation, local agency, or other public entity in  
19 accordance with this subtitle and applicable law  
20 (including regulations).

21 (B) ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS.—A fa-  
22 cility under this paragraph may only be devel-  
23 oped—

24 (i) with the consent of the owner of  
25 the non-Federal land; and

1 (ii) in accordance with applicable Fed-  
2 eral, State, and local laws (including regu-  
3 lations) and plans.

4 (5) PRIORITY.—The Secretary shall give pri-  
5 ority to actions that—

6 (A) conserve the significant natural, his-  
7 toric, cultural, and scenic resources of the  
8 Recreation Area; and

9 (B) provide educational, interpretive, and  
10 recreational opportunities consistent with the  
11 purposes of the Recreation Area.

12 (k) COMMITTEES.—The Partnership shall establish—

13 (1) a Water Technical Advisory Committee to  
14 advise the Secretary regarding water-related issues  
15 relating to the Recreation Area; and

16 (2) a Public Safety Advisory Committee to ad-  
17 vise the Secretary regarding public safety issues re-  
18 lating to the Recreation Area.

19 **SEC. 519. VISITOR SERVICES AND FACILITIES.**

20 (a) VISITOR SERVICES.—

21 (1) PURPOSE.—The purpose of this subsection  
22 is to facilitate the development of an integrated vis-  
23 itor services plan to improve visitor experiences in  
24 the Recreation Area through expanded recreational

1 opportunities and increased interpretation, edu-  
2 cation, resource protection, and enforcement.

3 (2) VISITOR SERVICES PLAN.—

4 (A) IN GENERAL.—Not later than 3 years  
5 after the date of the enactment of this subtitle,  
6 the Secretary shall develop and carry out an in-  
7 tegrated visitor services plan for the Recreation  
8 Area in accordance with this paragraph.

9 (B) CONTENTS.—The visitor services plan  
10 shall—

11 (i) assess current and anticipated fu-  
12 ture visitation to the Recreation Area, in-  
13 cluding recreation destinations;

14 (ii) consider the demand for various  
15 types of recreation (including hiking, pic-  
16 nicking, horseback riding, and the use of  
17 motorized and mechanized vehicles), as  
18 permissible and appropriate;

19 (iii) evaluate the impacts of recreation  
20 on natural and cultural resources, water  
21 rights and water resource facilities, public  
22 roads, adjacent residents and property  
23 owners, and utilities within the Recreation  
24 Area, as well as the effectiveness of cur-  
25 rent enforcement and efforts;

- 1 (iv) assess the current level of inter-  
2 pretive and educational services and facili-  
3 ties;
- 4 (v) include recommendations to—
- 5 (I) expand opportunities for high-  
6 demand recreational activities, in ac-  
7 cordance with the purposes described  
8 in section 511;
- 9 (II) better manage Recreation  
10 Area resources and improve the expe-  
11 rience of Recreation Area visitors  
12 through expanded interpretive and  
13 educational services and facilities, and  
14 improved enforcement; and
- 15 (III) better manage Recreation  
16 Area resources to reduce negative im-  
17 pacts on the environment, ecology,  
18 and integrated water management ac-  
19 tivities in the Recreation Area;
- 20 (vi) in coordination and consultation  
21 with affected owners of non-Federal land,  
22 assess options to incorporate recreational  
23 opportunities on non-Federal land into the  
24 Recreation Area—

1 (I) in manner consistent with the  
2 purposes and uses of the non-Federal  
3 land; and

4 (II) with the consent of the non-  
5 Federal landowner;

6 (vii) assess opportunities to provide  
7 recreational opportunities that connect  
8 with adjacent National Forest System  
9 land; and

10 (viii) be developed and carried out in  
11 accordance with applicable Federal, State,  
12 and local laws and ordinances.

13 (C) CONSULTATION.—In developing the  
14 visitor services plan, the Secretary shall—

15 (i) consult with—

16 (I) the Partnership;

17 (II) the Advisory Council;

18 (III) appropriate State and local  
19 agencies; and

20 (IV) interested nongovernmental  
21 organizations; and

22 (ii) involve members of the public.

23 (b) VISITOR USE FACILITIES.—

24 (1) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary may con-  
25 struct visitor use facilities in the Recreation Area.



1           (2) REQUIREMENTS.—Each facility under para-  
2           graph (1) shall be developed in accordance with ap-  
3           plicable Federal, State, and local—

4                   (A) laws (including regulations); and

5                   (B) plans.

6           (c) DONATIONS.—

7           (1) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary may accept  
8           and use donated funds (subject to appropriations),  
9           property, in-kind contributions, and services to carry  
10          out this part.

11          (2) PROHIBITION.—The Secretary may not use  
12          the authority provided by paragraph (1) to accept  
13          non-Federal land that has been acquired after the  
14          date of the enactment of this subtitle through the  
15          use of eminent domain.

16          (d) COOPERATIVE AGREEMENTS.—In carrying out  
17          this part, the Secretary may make grants to, or enter into  
18          cooperative agreements with, units of State, Tribal, and  
19          local governments and private entities to conduct research,  
20          develop scientific analyses, and carry out any other initia-  
21          tive relating to the management of, and visitation to, the  
22          Recreation Area.

## 23                   **PART 2—SAN GABRIEL MOUNTAINS**

### 24           **SEC. 521. DEFINITIONS.**

25           In this part:

1           (1) SECRETARY.—The term “Secretary” means  
2           the Secretary of Agriculture.

3           (2) WILDERNESS AREA OR ADDITION.—The  
4           term “wilderness area or addition” means any wil-  
5           derness area or wilderness addition designated by  
6           section 523(a).

7   **SEC. 522. NATIONAL MONUMENT BOUNDARY MODIFICA-**  
8                                   **TION.**

9           (a) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary shall modify the  
10          boundaries of the San Gabriel Mountains National Monu-  
11          ment in the State to include the approximately 109,167  
12          acres of additional National Forest System land depicted  
13          as the “Proposed San Gabriel Mountains National Monu-  
14          ment Expansion” on the map entitled “Proposed San Ga-  
15          briel Mountains National Monument Expansion” and  
16          dated June 26, 2019.

17          (b) ADMINISTRATION.—On inclusion of the National  
18          Forest System land described in subsection (a), the Sec-  
19          retary shall administer that land as part of the San Ga-  
20          briel Mountains National Monument in accordance with  
21          the laws generally applicable to the Monument and this  
22          subtitle.

23          (c) MANAGEMENT PLAN.—Not later than 3 years  
24          after the date of the enactment of this subtitle, the Sec-  
25          retary shall consult with State and local governments and

1 the interested public to update the existing San Gabriel  
2 Mountains National Monument Plan to incorporate and  
3 provide management direction and protection for the lands  
4 added to the Monument.

5 **SEC. 523. DESIGNATION OF WILDERNESS AREAS AND ADDI-**  
6 **TIONS.**

7 (a) DESIGNATION.—In accordance with the Wilder-  
8 ness Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.), the following parcels  
9 of National Forest System land in the State are des-  
10 ignated as wilderness and as components of the National  
11 Wilderness Preservation System:

12 (1) CONDOR PEAK WILDERNESS.—Certain Fed-  
13 eral land in the Angeles National Forest, comprising  
14 approximately 8,207 acres, as generally depicted on  
15 the map entitled “Condor Peak Wilderness—Pro-  
16 posed” and dated June 6, 2019, which shall be  
17 known as the “Condor Peak Wilderness”.

18 (2) SAN GABRIEL WILDERNESS ADDITIONS.—  
19 Certain Federal land in the Angeles National Forest,  
20 comprising approximately 2,032 acres, as generally  
21 depicted on the map entitled “San Gabriel Wilder-  
22 ness Additions” and dated June 6, 2019, which is  
23 incorporated in, and considered to be a part of, the  
24 San Gabriel Wilderness designated by Public Law  
25 90–318 (16 U.S.C. 1132 note; 82 Stat. 131).

1           (3) SHEEP MOUNTAIN WILDERNESS ADDI-  
2           TIONS.—Certain Federal land in the Angeles Na-  
3           tional Forest, comprising approximately 13,726  
4           acres, as generally depicted on the map entitled  
5           “Sheep Mountain Wilderness Additions” and dated  
6           June 6, 2019, which is incorporated in, and consid-  
7           ered to be a part of, the Sheep Mountain Wilderness  
8           designated by section 101(a)(29) of the California  
9           Wilderness Act of 1984 (16 U.S.C. 1132 note; 98  
10          Stat. 1623; Public Law 98–425).

11          (4) YERBA BUENA WILDERNESS.—Certain Fed-  
12          eral land in the Angeles National Forest, comprising  
13          approximately 6,694 acres, as generally depicted on  
14          the map entitled “Yerba Buena Wilderness—Pro-  
15          posed” and dated June 6, 2019, which shall be  
16          known as the “Yerba Buena Wilderness”.

17          (b) MAP AND LEGAL DESCRIPTION.—

18           (1) IN GENERAL.—As soon as practicable after  
19           the date of the enactment of this subtitle, the Sec-  
20           retary shall file a map and a legal description of the  
21           wilderness areas and additions with—

22                   (A) the Committee on Energy and Natural  
23                   Resources of the Senate; and

24                   (B) the Committee on Natural Resources  
25                   of the House of Representatives.

1           (2) FORCE OF LAW.—The map and legal de-  
2           scription filed under paragraph (1) shall have the  
3           same force and effect as if included in this part, ex-  
4           cept that the Secretary may correct any clerical or  
5           typographical error in the map or legal description.

6           (3) PUBLIC AVAILABILITY.—The map and legal  
7           description filed under paragraph (1) shall be on file  
8           and available for public inspection in the appropriate  
9           offices of the Forest Service.

10 **SEC. 524. ADMINISTRATION OF WILDERNESS AREAS AND**  
11 **ADDITIONS.**

12           (a) IN GENERAL.—Subject to valid existing rights,  
13 the wilderness areas and additions shall be administered  
14 by the Secretary in accordance with this section and the  
15 Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.), except that any  
16 reference in that Act to the effective date of that Act shall  
17 be considered to be a reference to the date of the enact-  
18 ment of this subtitle.

19           (b) FIRE MANAGEMENT AND RELATED ACTIVI-  
20 TIES.—

21           (1) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary may take  
22 such measures in a wilderness area or addition des-  
23 igned in section 523 as are necessary for the con-  
24 trol of fire, insects, or diseases in accordance with—

1 (A) section 4(d)(1) of the Wilderness Act  
2 (16 U.S.C. 1133(d)(1)); and

3 (B) House Report 98–40 of the 98th Con-  
4 gress.

5 (2) FUNDING PRIORITIES.—Nothing in this  
6 part limits funding for fire or fuels management in  
7 a wilderness area or addition.

8 (3) REVISION AND DEVELOPMENT OF LOCAL  
9 FIRE MANAGEMENT PLANS.—As soon as practicable  
10 after the date of the enactment of this subtitle, the  
11 Secretary shall amend, as applicable, any local fire  
12 management plan that applies to a wilderness area  
13 or addition designated in section 523.

14 (4) ADMINISTRATION.—In accordance with  
15 paragraph (1) and any other applicable Federal law,  
16 to ensure a timely and efficient response to a fire  
17 emergency in a wilderness area or addition, the Sec-  
18 retary shall—

19 (A) not later than 1 year after the date of  
20 the enactment of this subtitle, establish agency  
21 approval procedures (including appropriate del-  
22 egations of authority to the Forest Supervisor,  
23 District Manager, or other agency officials) for  
24 responding to fire emergencies; and

1 (B) enter into agreements with appropriate  
2 State or local firefighting agencies.

3 (c) GRAZING.—The grazing of livestock in a wilder-  
4 ness area or addition, if established before the date of the  
5 enactment of this subtitle, shall be administered in accord-  
6 ance with—

7 (1) section 4(d)(4) of the Wilderness Act (16  
8 U.S.C. 1133(d)(4)); and

9 (2) the guidelines contained in Appendix A of  
10 the report of the Committee on Interior and Insular  
11 Affairs of the House of Representatives accom-  
12 panying H.R. 2570 of the 101st Congress (H. Rept.  
13 101–405).

14 (d) FISH AND WILDLIFE.—

15 (1) IN GENERAL.—In accordance with section  
16 4(d)(7) of the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C.  
17 1133(d)(7)), nothing in this part affects the jurisdic-  
18 tion or responsibility of the State with respect to  
19 fish or wildlife on public land in the State.

20 (2) MANAGEMENT ACTIVITIES.—

21 (A) IN GENERAL.—In furtherance of the  
22 purposes and principles of the Wilderness Act  
23 (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.), the Secretary may  
24 conduct any management activity that are nec-  
25 essary to maintain or restore fish or wildlife

1 populations or habitats in the wilderness areas  
2 and wilderness additions designated in section  
3 523, if the management activities are—

4 (i) consistent with relevant wilderness  
5 management plans; and

6 (ii) conducted in accordance with ap-  
7 propriate policies, such as the policies es-  
8 tablished in Appendix B of the report of  
9 the Committee on Interior and Insular Af-  
10 fairs of the House of Representatives ac-  
11 companying H.R. 2570 of the 101st Con-  
12 gress (H. Rept. 101–405).

13 (B) INCLUSIONS.—A management activity  
14 under subparagraph (A) may include the occa-  
15 sional and temporary use of motorized vehicles,  
16 if the use, as determined by the Secretary,  
17 would promote healthy, viable, and more natu-  
18 rally distributed wildlife populations that would  
19 enhance wilderness values while causing the  
20 minimum impact necessary to accomplish those  
21 tasks.

22 (C) EXISTING ACTIVITIES.—In accordance  
23 with section 4(d)(1) of the Wilderness Act (16  
24 U.S.C. 1133(d)(1)) and appropriate policies  
25 (such as the policies established in Appendix B



1 of House Report 101–405, the State may use  
2 aircraft (including helicopters) in a wilderness  
3 area or addition to survey, capture, transplant,  
4 monitor, or provide water for a wildlife popu-  
5 lation, including bighorn sheep.

6 (e) BUFFER ZONES.—

7 (1) IN GENERAL.—Congress does not intend for  
8 the designation of wilderness areas or wilderness ad-  
9 ditions by section 523 to lead to the creation of pro-  
10 tective perimeters or buffer zones around each wil-  
11 derness area or wilderness addition.

12 (2) ACTIVITIES OR USES UP TO BOUNDARIES.—

13 The fact that a nonwilderness activities or uses can  
14 be seen or heard from within a wilderness area or  
15 wilderness addition designated by section 523 shall  
16 not, of itself, preclude the activities or uses up to the  
17 boundary of the wilderness area or addition.

18 (f) MILITARY ACTIVITIES.—Nothing in this subtitle  
19 precludes—

20 (1) low-level overflights of military aircraft over  
21 the wilderness areas or wilderness additions des-  
22 igned by section 523;

23 (2) the designation of new units of special air-  
24 space over the wilderness areas or wilderness addi-  
25 tions designated by section 523; or

1           (3) the use or establishment of military flight  
2 training routes over wilderness areas or wilderness  
3 additions designated by section 523.

4           (g) HORSES.—Nothing in this part precludes horse-  
5 back riding in, or the entry of recreational or commercial  
6 saddle or pack stock into, an area designated as a wilder-  
7 ness area or wilderness addition by section 523—

8           (1) in accordance with section 4(d)(5) of the  
9 Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1133(d)(5)); and

10           (2) subject to such terms and conditions as the  
11 Secretary determines to be necessary.

12           (h) LAW ENFORCEMENT.—Nothing in this part pre-  
13 cludes any law enforcement or drug interdiction effort  
14 within the wilderness areas or wilderness additions des-  
15 ignated by section 523 in accordance with the Wilderness  
16 Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.).

17           (i) WITHDRAWAL.—Subject to valid existing rights,  
18 the wilderness areas and additions designated by section  
19 523 are withdrawn from—

20           (1) all forms of entry, appropriation, and dis-  
21 posal under the public land laws;

22           (2) location, entry, and patent under the mining  
23 laws; and

24           (3) operation of the mineral materials and geo-  
25 thermal leasing laws.

1 (j) INCORPORATION OF ACQUIRED LAND AND INTER-  
2 ESTS.—Any land within the boundary of a wilderness area  
3 or addition that is acquired by the United States shall—

4 (1) become part of the wilderness area or addi-  
5 tion in which the land is located; and

6 (2) be managed in accordance with this section,  
7 the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.), and  
8 any other applicable laws (including regulations).

9 (k) CLIMATOLOGICAL DATA COLLECTION.—In ac-  
10 cordance with the Wilderness Act (16 U.S.C. 1131 et seq.)  
11 and subject to such terms and conditions as the Secretary  
12 may prescribe, the Secretary may authorize the installa-  
13 tion and maintenance of hydrologic, meteorologic, or cli-  
14 matological collection devices in a wilderness area or addi-  
15 tion if the Secretary determines that the facilities and ac-  
16 cess to the facilities is essential to a flood warning, flood  
17 control, or water reservoir operation activity.

18 (l) AUTHORIZED EVENTS.—The Secretary of Agri-  
19 culture may authorize the Angeles Crest 100 competitive  
20 running event to continue in substantially the same man-  
21 ner and degree in which this event was operated and per-  
22 mitted in 2015 within additions to the Sheep Mountain  
23 Wilderness in section 523 of this subtitle and the Pleasant  
24 View Ridge Wilderness Area designated by section 1802  
25 of the Omnibus Public Land Management Act of 2009,

1 provided that the event is authorized and conducted in a  
2 manner compatible with the preservation of the areas as  
3 wilderness.

4 **SEC. 525. DESIGNATION OF WILD AND SCENIC RIVERS.**

5 (a) DESIGNATION.—Section 3(a) of the Wild and  
6 Scenic Rivers Act (16 U.S.C. 1274(a)) is amended by add-  
7 ing at the end the following:

8 “(\_\_\_\_) EAST FORK SAN GABRIEL RIVER, CALI-  
9 FORNIA.—The following segments of the East Fork  
10 San Gabriel River, to be administered by the Sec-  
11 retary of Agriculture in the following classes:

12 “(A) The 10-mile segment from the con-  
13 fluence of the Prairie Fork and Vincent Gulch  
14 to 100 yards upstream of the Heaton Flats  
15 trailhead and day use area, as a wild river.

16 “(B) The 2.7-mile segment from 100 yards  
17 upstream of the Heaton Flats trailhead and day  
18 use area to 100 yards upstream of the con-  
19 fluence with Williams Canyon, as a recreational  
20 river.

21 “(\_\_\_\_) NORTH FORK SAN GABRIEL RIVER,  
22 CALIFORNIA.—The 4.3-mile segment of the North  
23 Fork San Gabriel River from the confluence with  
24 Cloudburst Canyon to 0.25 miles upstream of the  
25 confluence with the West Fork San Gabriel River, to

1 be administered by the Secretary of Agriculture as  
2 a recreational river.

3 “(\_\_\_\_) WEST FORK SAN GABRIEL RIVER, CALI-  
4 FORNIA.—The following segments of the West Fork  
5 San Gabriel River, to be administered by the Sec-  
6 retary of Agriculture in the following classes:

7 “(A) The 6.7-mile segment from 0.25  
8 miles downstream of its source near Red Box  
9 Gap in sec. 14, T. 2 N., R. 12 W., to the con-  
10 fluence with the unnamed tributary 0.25 miles  
11 downstream of the power lines in sec. 22, T. 2  
12 N., R. 11 W., as a recreational river.

13 “(B) The 1.6-mile segment of the West  
14 Fork from 0.25 miles downstream of the  
15 powerlines in sec. 22, T. 2 N., R. 11 W., to the  
16 confluence with Bobcat Canyon, as a wild river.

17 “(\_\_\_\_) LITTLE ROCK CREEK, CALIFORNIA.—  
18 The following segments of Little Rock Creek and  
19 tributaries, to be administered by the Secretary of  
20 Agriculture in the following classes:

21 “(A) The 10.3-mile segment from its  
22 source on Mt. Williamson in sec. 6, T. 3 N., R.  
23 9 W., to 100 yards upstream of the confluence  
24 with the South Fork Little Rock Creek, as a  
25 wild river.

1           “(B) The 6.6-mile segment from 100 yards  
2           upstream of the confluence with the South Fork  
3           Little Rock Creek to the confluence with  
4           Santiago Canyon, as a recreational river.

5           “(C) The 1-mile segment of Cooper Can-  
6           yon Creek from 0.25 miles downstream of  
7           Highway 2 to 100 yards downstream of Cooper  
8           Canyon Campground, as a scenic river.

9           “(D) The 1.3-mile segment of Cooper Can-  
10          yon Creek from 100 yards downstream of Co-  
11          per Canyon Campground to the confluence with  
12          Little Rock Creek, as a wild river.

13          “(E) The 1-mile segment of Buckhorn  
14          Creek from 100 yards downstream of the  
15          Buckhorn Campground to its confluence with  
16          Cooper Canyon Creek, as a wild river.”.

17       (b) WATER RESOURCE FACILITIES; AND WATER  
18       USE.—

19           (1) WATER RESOURCE FACILITIES.—

20           (A) DEFINITION.—In this section, the  
21           term “water resource facility” means irrigation  
22           and pumping facilities, dams and reservoirs,  
23           flood control facilities, water conservation works  
24           and facilities, including debris protection facili-  
25           ties, sediment placement sites, rain gauges and

1 stream gauges, water quality facilities, recycled  
2 water facilities and water pumping, conveyance  
3 distribution systems, water storage tanks and  
4 reservoirs, and water treatment facilities, aque-  
5 ducts, canals, ditches, pipelines, wells, hydro-  
6 power projects, and transmission and other an-  
7 cillary facilities, groundwater recharge facilities,  
8 water conservation, water filtration plants, and  
9 other water diversion, conservation, ground-  
10 water recharge, storage, and carriage struc-  
11 tures.

12 (B) NO EFFECT ON EXISTING WATER RE-  
13 SOURCE FACILITIES.—Nothing in this section  
14 shall alter, modify, or affect—

15 (i) the use, operation, maintenance,  
16 repair, construction, destruction, reconfig-  
17 uration, expansion, relocation or replace-  
18 ment of a water resource facility down-  
19 stream of a wild and scenic river segment  
20 designated by this section, provided that  
21 the physical structures of such facilities or  
22 reservoirs shall not be located within the  
23 river areas designated in this section; or

1 (ii) access to a water resource facility  
2 downstream of a wild and scenic river seg-  
3 ment designated by this section.

4 (C) NO EFFECT ON NEW WATER RE-  
5 SOURCE FACILITIES.—Nothing in this section  
6 shall preclude the establishment of a new water  
7 resource facilities (including instream sites,  
8 routes, and areas) downstream of a wild and  
9 scenic river segment.

10 (2) LIMITATION.—Any new reservation of water  
11 or new use of water pursuant to existing water  
12 rights held by the United States to advance the pur-  
13 poses of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers Act  
14 (16 U.S.C. 1271 et seq.) shall be for nonconsump-  
15 tive instream use only within the segments des-  
16 igned by this section.

17 (3) EXISTING LAW.—Nothing in this section af-  
18 fects the implementation of the Endangered Species  
19 Act of 1973 (16 U.S.C. 1531 et seq.).

20 **SEC. 526. WATER RIGHTS.**

21 (a) STATUTORY CONSTRUCTION.—Nothing in this  
22 subtitle, and no action to implement this subtitle—

23 (1) shall constitute an express or implied res-  
24 ervation of any water or water right, or authorizing  
25 an expansion of water use pursuant to existing water



1 rights held by the United States, with respect to the  
2 land designated as a wilderness area or wilderness  
3 addition by section 523 or land adjacent to the wild  
4 and scenic river segments designated by the amend-  
5 ment made by section 525;

6 (2) shall affect, alter, modify, or condition any  
7 water rights in the State in existence on the date of  
8 the enactment of this subtitle, including any water  
9 rights held by the United States;

10 (3) shall be construed as establishing a prece-  
11 dent with regard to any future wilderness or wild  
12 and scenic river designations;

13 (4) shall affect, alter, or modify the interpreta-  
14 tion of, or any designation, decision, adjudication or  
15 action made pursuant to, any other Act; or

16 (5) shall be construed as limiting, altering,  
17 modifying, or amending any of the interstate com-  
18 pacts or equitable apportionment decrees that appor-  
19 tions water among or between the State and any  
20 other State.

21 (b) STATE WATER LAW.—The Secretary shall com-  
22 ply with applicable procedural and substantive require-  
23 ments of the law of the State in order to obtain and hold  
24 any water rights not in existence on the date of the enact-  
25 ment of this subtitle with respect to the San Gabriel

1 Mountains National Monument, wilderness areas and wil-  
2 derness additions designated by section 523, and the wild  
3 and scenic rivers designated by amendment made by sec-  
4 tion 525.

5           **Subtitle F—Rim of the Valley**  
6                   **Corridor Preservation**

7 **SEC. 601. BOUNDARY ADJUSTMENT; LAND ACQUISITION;**  
8                   **ADMINISTRATION.**

9           (a) BOUNDARY ADJUSTMENT.—Section 507(c)(1) of  
10 the National Parks and Recreation Act of 1978 (16  
11 U.S.C. 460kk(c)(1)) is amended in the first sentence by  
12 striking “, which shall” and inserting “ and generally de-  
13 picted as ‘Rim of the Valley Unit Proposed Addition’ on  
14 the map entitled ‘Rim of the Valley Unit—Santa Monica  
15 Mountains National Recreation Area’, numbered 638/  
16 147,723, and dated September 2018. Both maps shall”.

17           (b) RIM OF THE VALLEY UNIT.—Section 507 of the  
18 National Parks and Recreation Act of 1978 (16 U.S.C.  
19 460kk) is amended by adding at the end the following:

20           “(u) RIM OF THE VALLEY UNIT.—(1) Not later than  
21 3 years after the date of the enactment of this subsection,  
22 the Secretary shall update the general management plan  
23 for the recreation area to reflect the boundaries designated  
24 on the map referred to in subsection (c)(1) as the ‘Rim  
25 of the Valley Unit’ (hereafter in the subsection referred

1 to as the ‘Rim of the Valley Unit’). Subject to valid exist-  
2 ing rights, the Secretary shall administer the Rim of the  
3 Valley Unit, and any land or interest in land acquired by  
4 the United States and located within the boundaries of  
5 the Rim of the Valley Unit, as part of the recreation area  
6 in accordance with the provisions of this section and appli-  
7 cable laws and regulations.

8 “(2) The Secretary may acquire non-Federal land  
9 within the boundaries of the Rim of the Valley Unit only  
10 through exchange, donation, or purchase from a willing  
11 seller. Nothing in this subsection authorizes the use of  
12 eminent domain to acquire land or interests in land.

13 “(3) Nothing in this subsection or the application of  
14 the management plan for the Rim of the Valley Unit shall  
15 be construed to—

16 “(A) modify any provision of Federal, State, or  
17 local law with respect to public access to or use of  
18 non-Federal land;

19 “(B) create any liability, or affect any liability  
20 under any other law, of any private property owner  
21 or other owner of non-Federal land with respect to  
22 any person injured on private property or other non-  
23 Federal land;

1           “(C) affect the ownership, management, or  
2 other rights relating to any non-Federal land (in-  
3 cluding any interest in any non-Federal land);

4           “(D) require any local government to partici-  
5 pate in any program administered by the Secretary;

6           “(E) alter, modify, or diminish any right, re-  
7 sponsibility, power, authority, jurisdiction, or entitle-  
8 ment of the State, any political subdivision of the  
9 State, or any State or local agency under existing  
10 Federal, State, and local law (including regulations);

11           “(F) require the creation of protective perim-  
12 eters or buffer zones, and the fact that certain ac-  
13 tivities or land can be seen or heard from within the  
14 Rim of the Valley Unit shall not, of itself, preclude  
15 the activities or land uses up to the boundary of the  
16 Rim of the Valley Unit;

17           “(G) require or promote use of, or encourage  
18 trespass on, lands, facilities, and rights-of-way  
19 owned by non-Federal entities, including water re-  
20 source facilities and public utilities, without the writ-  
21 ten consent of the owner;

22           “(H) affect the operation, maintenance, modi-  
23 fication, construction, or expansion of any water re-  
24 source facility or utility facility located within or ad-  
25 jacent to the Rim of the Valley Unit;

1           “(I) terminate the fee title to lands or cus-  
2           tomary operation, maintenance, repair, and replace-  
3           ment activities on or under such lands granted to  
4           public agencies that are authorized pursuant to Fed-  
5           eral or State statute;

6           “(J) interfere with, obstruct, hinder, or delay  
7           the exercise of any right to, or access to any water  
8           resource facility or other facility or property nec-  
9           essary or useful to access any water right to operate  
10          any public water or utility system;

11          “(K) require initiation or reinitiation of con-  
12          sultation with the United States Fish and Wildlife  
13          Service under, or the application of provisions of, the  
14          Endangered Species Act of 1973 (16 U.S.C. 1531 et  
15          seq.), the National Environmental Policy Act of  
16          1969 (42 U.S.C. 4321 et seq.), or division A of sub-  
17          title III of title 54, United States Code, concerning  
18          any action or activity affecting water, water rights  
19          or water management or water resource facilities  
20          within the Rim of the Valley Unit; or

21          “(L) limit the Secretary’s ability to update ap-  
22          plicable fire management plans, which may consider  
23          fuels management strategies including managed nat-  
24          ural fire, prescribed fires, non-fire mechanical haz-

1 arduous fuel reduction activities, or post-fire remedi-  
2 ation of damage to natural and cultural resources.

3 “(4) The activities of a utility facility or water re-  
4 source facility shall take into consideration ways to rea-  
5 sonably avoid or reduce the impact on the resources of  
6 the Rim of the Valley Unit.

7 “(5) For the purpose of paragraph (4)—

8 “(A) the term ‘utility facility’ means electric  
9 substations, communication facilities, towers, poles,  
10 and lines, ground wires, communications circuits,  
11 and other structures, and related infrastructure; and

12 “(B) the term ‘water resource facility’ means  
13 irrigation and pumping facilities; dams and res-  
14 ervoirs; flood control facilities; water conservation  
15 works, including debris protection facilities, sediment  
16 placement sites, rain gauges, and stream gauges;  
17 water quality, recycled water, and pumping facilities;  
18 conveyance distribution systems; water treatment fa-  
19 cilities; aqueducts; canals; ditches; pipelines; wells;  
20 hydropower projects; transmission facilities; and  
21 other ancillary facilities, groundwater recharge facili-  
22 ties, water conservation, water filtration plants, and  
23 other water diversion, conservation, groundwater re-  
24 charge, storage, and carriage structures.”.

