# Staff Report

Submission Date: June 3, 2025

To: Siskiyou County Agricultural Preserve Administrator

From: Bernadette Cizin, Associate Planner

Subject: Custer APA-25-12, Williamson Act Contract No. 93004, Application to rescind

property from the existing contract and reissue a single contract consisting solely of their property with the primary Commercial Agricultural Use of intensive

farming – hay production with livestock grazing.

Location: The project site is located south and east of the city of Etna, east of South

Highway 3 on APNs 023-080-240 and 023-080-350, Township 42N, Range 9W,

Section 34, MDBM.

Exhibits: A. Map of property under existing contract No. 93004

B. Location MapC. Zoning Map

**D.** NRCS Soils Data and Map

E. Williamson Act Contract Amendment Questionnaire

**F.** Existing Contract 93004 and Establishment of Agricultural Preserve

# Background and Discussion

Clint Custer has submitted a request to rescind his property from the existing Williamson Act Contract and reissue a contract consisting solely of property under his ownership. The subject property is approximately 145 acres, which is currently under a contract that has two different property owners.

The applicant does not propose to increase or decrease the acreage in Agricultural Preserve.

### **Parcel Creation**

 APNs 023-080-240 and 023-080-350 together are one 149.1-acre legal parcel as described in Boundary Line Adjustment as recorded on August 21, 1991, in Siskiyou County Records as Document No. 91-10623.

### **Parcel History**

#### Williamson Act Contract

• The subject property is a portion of Williamson Act Contract No. 93004 (Clerk's Record - 472) as recorded on January 28, 1993, the Siskiyou County Records as Document No. 93-0986.

## **Agricultural Preserve**

• Preserve as established by Board of Supervisor's Resolution No. 93-17.

# **Analysis**

#### **Preserve Requirements**

## **Property ownership**

Under the County Rules Section VI, Item B, parcels within an agricultural preserve should be under one ownership or contiguous.

The existing Ag Preserve consists of property under several different ownerships, and the property is not contiguous. The existing Ag Preserve should be amended to remove the subject property and a new Ag Preserve be established consisting only of the subject property.

### **Preserve Size**

According to the Rules for the establishment and Administration of Agricultural Preserves and Williamson Act Contracts (Rules), agricultural preserves shall consist of no less than 100 acres. To meet this requirement, two or more parcels may be combined if they are contiguous or if they are owned in common.

The subject property consists of one 149.1-acre parcel, exceeding the 100-acre minimum size.

### **Contract Requirements**

#### Zoning

All parcels shall be restricted by zoning to agricultural uses pursuant to Rules Section III, Item c.

All property proposed to be part of the preserve is zoned Prime Agricultural (AG-1) and Non-Prime Agricultural (AG-2-B-40) as shown on the zoning map (Exhibit C).

### **Minimum Parcel Size**

Per County Rules Section III, Item B, lands shall be in parcels large enough to sustain their commercial agricultural use if the contracted land within a qualifying preserve is at least 40 acres in size. Property is evaluated by legally established parcel.

The one, 149.1-acre parcel exceeds the minimum acreage requirement.

### **Agricultural Soils Class**

Per County Rules Section III, Item B, Agricultural land in a contract must contain at least 40 acres of Class I or II equivalent soils and a preserve may not be created for land consisting solely of Class VI or VII.

The land contains approximately 118.67-acres of Class I or II equivalent soils as shown in the table below and in the NRCS soils data (Exhibit D).

Soil Type	Acres +/-	Class	Ratio to Class	Equivalent
136	42	III	1:1	42
222	38	VI	3:1	12.67
139	36	II	1:1	36
137	27	II	1:1	27
104	2	IV	2:1	1
Total	145			118.67

#### **Production Uses**

Per County Rules Section IV, lands shall be used principally for commercial agricultural production.

The property has historically been used for and continues to be used for farming – hay production with livestock grazing.

### **Compatible Uses**

Per County Rules Section IV, lands shall be used principally for commercial agricultural production. However, secondary uses that are incidental to or supportive of the commercial agricultural use can be allowed.

Currently, there are no other uses occurring on the property.

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Pursuant to the County Rules Section II. the Agricultural Preserve Administrator (Administrator) will review and make recommendations on terminating (non-renewing) contracts.

# Agricultural Preserve Administrator Recommendation

Based on the information contained within this staff report, the Siskiyou County Agricultural Preserve Administrator finds the applicant's request is consistent with the Siskiyou County Rules for the Establishment and Administration of Agricultural Preserves and Williamson Act Contracts. The Administrator recommends the Siskiyou County Board of Supervisors adopt Resolutions amending the existing Agricultural Preserve to remove the 149.1 acres, establish a new preserve consisting of the 149.1 acres, rescind the subject property from the existing contracts and reissue a single contract for all proposed property within the newly established 149.1-acre preserve.

Approved by:

County of Siskiyou Agricultural Preserve Administrator

Hailey Lang

Agricultural Preserve Administrator

C-9-2025

Date of Approval

**Preparation:** 

Prepared by the Siskiyou County Planning Division (B. Cizin) on June 3, 2025. Copies are available for review at Siskiyou County Planning, 806 S. Main Street, Yreka, California.

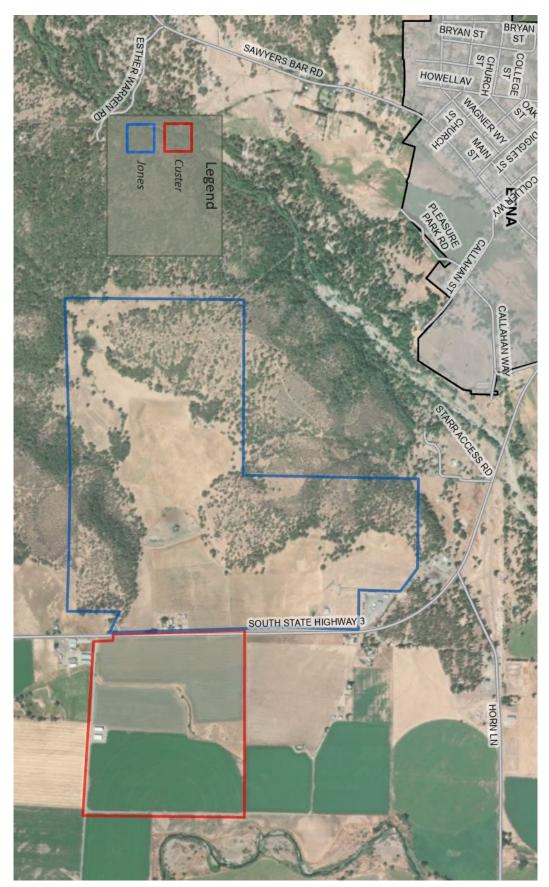


Exhibit A – Property Under Current Contract 93004

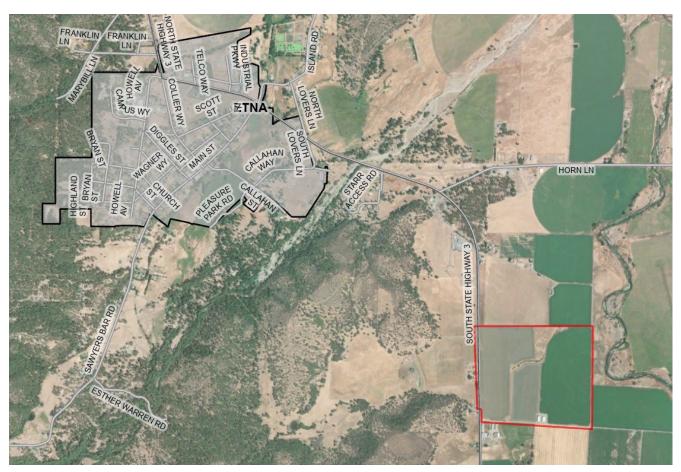
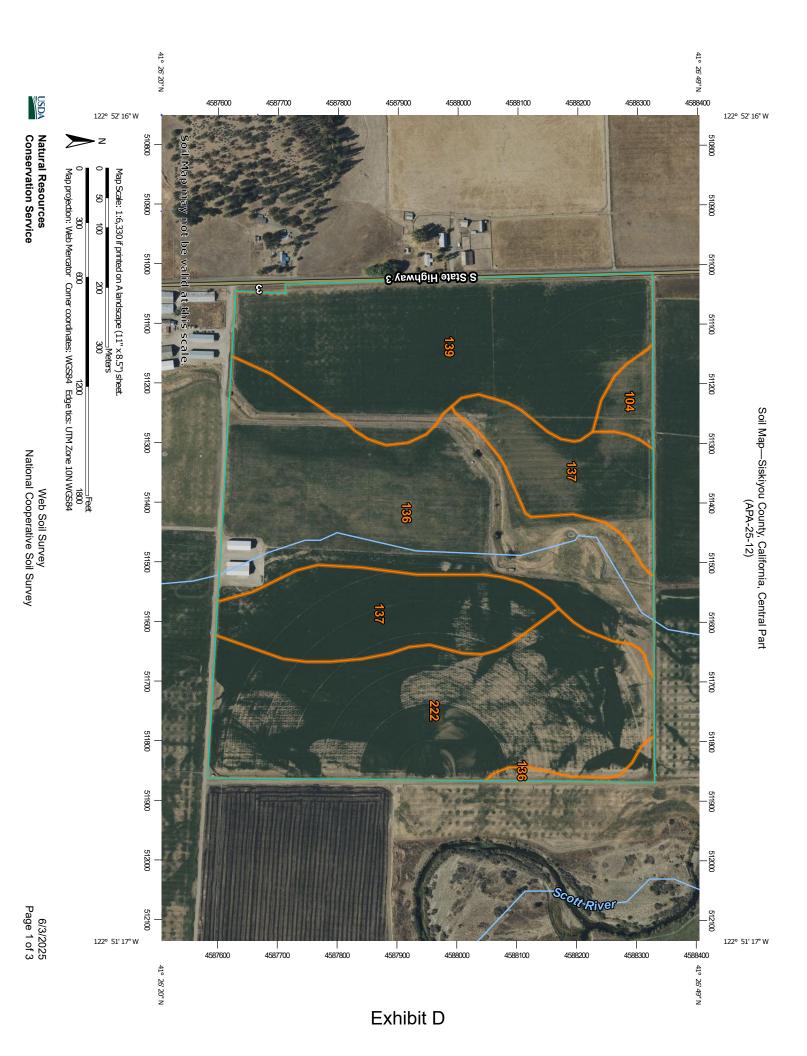


Exhibit B - Location



Exhibit C - Zoning



# MAP LEGEND

# Soils Soil Map Unit Lines Area of Interest (AOI)

# Soil Map Unit Polygons



# Special Point Features Blowout







Gravelly Spot

















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Area of Interest (AOI)

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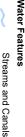










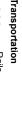


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measurements.

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line placement. The maps do not show the small areas of





Maps from the Web Soil Survey are based on the Web Mercator

Coordinate System: Web Mercator (EPSG:3857)

Source of Map: Natural Resources Conservation Service

Web Soil Survey URL:





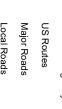
# Stony Spot

Warning: Soil Map may not be valid at this scale

The soil surveys that comprise your AOI were mapped at 1:24,000.

MAP INFORMATION

# Interstate Highways





# Rails

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Aerial Photography

Soil map units are labeled (as space allows) for map scales 1:50,000 or larger.

Soil Survey Area: Sisklyou County, California, Central Part Survey Area Data: Version 17, Aug 28, 2024

of the version date(s) listed below.

This product is generated from the USDA-NRCS certified data as

accurate calculations of distance or area are required. Albers equal-area conic projection, should be used if more distance and area. A projection that preserves area, such as the projection, which preserves direction and shape but distorts

Date(s) aerial images were photographed: Oct 12, 2022—Oct

shifting of map unit boundaries may be evident. The orthophoto or other base map on which the soil lines were compiled and digitized probably differs from the background imagery displayed on these maps. As a result, some minor

# **Map Unit Legend**

Map Unit Symbol	Map Unit Name	Acres in AOI	Percent of AOI
104	Atter very gravelly sandy loam, 0 to 5 percent slopes	2.6	1.7%
136	Diyou loam	43.1	28.7%
137	Diyou loam, drained	27.7	18.5%
139	Dotta loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	36.9	24.6%
222	Settlemeyer loam, 0 to 2 percent slopes	39.8	26.5%
Totals for Area of Interest		150.1	100.0%

# **Williamson Act Contract Amendment Questionnaire** Owner Name(s): CLISTER Parcel Numbers: 023 - 080 - 240 023 - 080 - 350 How long have you owned this land? 24yes Lienholders □ Deed of Trust included in packet > No lienholders for this property Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Contact Name: Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Email: Type of Agricultural Use: □ Grazing □ Dry pasture acreage \_\_\_\_\_ Species: \_\_\_\_\_ # head \_\_\_\_\_ # days per yr. A Irrigated pasture acreage \_\_\_\_ Species: \_\_\_\_\_ # head \_\_\_\_ # days per yr. □ Dry farming acreage \_\_\_\_\_ Crops grown\_\_\_\_ Production per acre \_\_\_\_\_ Field crop acreage 140 Crops grown DIFFICA Production per acre 6.5 Tops/A □ Row crop acreage \_\_\_\_\_ Crops grown\_\_\_\_ Production per acre \_\_\_\_\_ □ Other acreage \_\_\_\_\_ Type\_\_\_\_ Production per acre \_\_\_\_\_ Type of irrigation (pivot line, ditch, etc.) Total Acres in Agricultural Production: \_\_\_\_\_/45\_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Timber Production acreage \_\_\_\_\_ Other Uses: Indicate if this is concurrent with the Ag Uses above or the sole use of the acreage noted □ Timber Production \_\_\_\_\_ acreş □ with \_\_\_\_ag use □ only use □ Residential acres □ Offices, packing facilities, vending facilities, etc. \_\_\_\_\_ acres □ Surface mining \_\_\_\_\_ agres □ with \_\_\_\_\_ag use □ only use □ Equine pasture and facilities acres □ with \_\_\_\_ag use □ only use □ Agricultural Enterprises \_\_\_\_ acres □ with \_\_\_\_ag use □ only use

Williamson Act Contract Amendment Guidelines
Revised 2025

□ Conservation Program \_\_\_\_\_ acres. (attach Conservation Easement/Agreement)

Open Space \_\_\_\_\_acres where no ag use is occurring

□ With \_\_\_\_\_ ag use □ No ag uses

☐ With \_\_\_\_\_ ag use ☐ No ag uses

□ Other \_\_\_\_\_ acres. Description: \_\_\_\_\_

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RECORDING REQUESTED BY:

When Recorded Mail To:

# PREAMBLE TO LAND CONSERVATION CONTRACT

WHEREAS, the hereinafter referred to OWNER possesses certain real property located within the hereinafter referred to County, which property is presently devoted to Agricultural and compatible uses.

WHEREAS, said property is located in Agricultural Preserve established by County by resolution; and

WHEREAS, both OWNER AND COUNTY desire to limit the use of said property to agricultural and compatible uses in order to discourage premature and unnecessary conversion of such lands from agricultural uses, recognizing that such land has definite public value as open space and that the preservation of such land in agricultural production constitutes an important physical, social, aesthetic and economic asset to COUNTY to maintain the agricultural economy of COUNTY and the State of California.

The following agreement is prepared and entered into by the parties to accomplish the above-stated purposes.

# LAND CONSERVATION CONTRACT

IT IS AGREED by and between the OWNER and the COUNTY as follows:

Section 1. CONTRACT. This is a "Contract" made pursuant to the California Land Conservation Act of 1965, as amended as of the date first above written, including amendments enacted at the 1969 Regular Session of the California Legislature, (hereinafter referred to as the "Act") and is applicable to the Premises described in Exhibit "A" attached hereto.

Section 2. TERM. This Contract shall take effect on  $\frac{\int an}{\int an} \frac{12}{\int an}$ , 19 93, and shall remain in effect for a period of ten years therefrom and during any renewals of this Contract.

Section 3. RENEWAL. NOTICE OF NONRENEWAL. This Contract shall be automatically renewed for a period of one year on the first day of each year, and on the first day of each January thereafter unless written notice of nonrenewal is served by the Owner on the County at least 90 days prior to said date or written notice of nonrenewal is served by the County on the Owner at least 60 days prior to said date. Under no circumstances shall a notice of renewal to either party be required to effectuate the automatic renewal of this Contract.

Section 4. AUTHORIZED USES. During the term of this

Contract and any and all renewals thereof, the Premises shall not
be used for any purpose other than the production of agricultural
commodities for commercial purposes and for compatible uses as
specified in the Resolution establishing the Agricultural

Preserve. The use of the Premises for agricultural uses and compatible uses shall be subject to the terms, conditions, and restrictions set forth in the Resolution establishing the
Agricultural Preserve. No buildings or structures shall be erected upon the Premises except such buildings and structures as are
directly related to authorized uses of the Premises listed in
said Resolution establishing the Agricultural Preserve.

Section 5. ADDITION OR ELIMINATION OF AUTHORIZED USES. The Board of Supervisors of the County, by resolution, may from time

to time during the term of this contract or any renewals thereof amend the resolution establishing said Agricultural Preserve to add to those authorized uses or eliminate a use listed in the Resolution establishing the Agricultural Preserve which authorized uses shall be uniform throughout said Agricultural Preserve; provided, however, no amendment of such resolution during the term of this Contract or any renewal thereof so as to eliminate any use shall be applicable to this Contract unless the Owner consents to such elimination.

Section 6. POLICE POWER. Nothing in this Contract shall be construed to limit the exercise by the Board of Supervisors of the police power or the adoption or readoption or amendment of any zoning ordinance or land use ordinance, regulation or restriction pursuant to the Planning and Zoning Law (sections 65000 et seq., Government Code) or otherwise.

Section 7. EMINENT DOMAIN. (a) Except as provided in sub-division (d) of this Section 7, when any action in eminent domain for the condemnation of the fee title of an entire parcel of land subject to this contract is filed or when such and is acquired in lieu of eminent domain for a public improvement by a public agency or person or whenever there is any such action or acquisition by the federal government or any person, instrumentality or agency acting under authority or power of the federal government, this Contract shall be deemed null and void as to the land actually being condemned or so acquired as of the date the action is filed and for the purposes of establishing the value of such land, this Contract shall be deemed never to have existed.

(b) Except as provided in subdivision (d) of this Section 7, when such an action to condemn or acquire less than all of a parcel of land subject to this Contract is commenced this Contract shall be deemed null and void as to the land actually condemned or acquired and shall be disregard in the valuation process only as to the land actually being taken, unless the remaining land subject to this Contract will be adversely affected by the condemnation, in which case the value of that damage shall be computed without regard to this document.

- (c) The land actually taken shall be removed from this Contract. Under no circumstances shall land be removed that is not actually taken, except as otherwise provided in the Act.
- (d) The provisions of subdivisions (a) and (b) of this Section 7 and the provisions of Section 51295 of the Act (Government Code) shall not apply to or have any force or effect with respect to (1) the filing of any action in eminent domain for the condemnation of any easement for the erection, construction, alteration, maintenance, or repair of any gas, electric, water, road, or communication facilities by any public agency (including the County) or public utility or to the acquisition of any such easement by any public agency (including the County) or public utility. The filing of any such action in eminent domain for the condemnation or the acquisition of any such easement or lesser estate shall not terminate, nullify or void this Contract and in the event of the filing of any such action in eminent domain or acquisition this Contract shall not be considered in the valuation process.

Section 8. NO PAYMENT BY COUNTY. The Owner shall not received any payment from the County in consideration of the obligations imposed hereunder, it being recognized and agreed that the consideration for the execution of the Contract is the substantial public benefit to be derived therefrom, and the advantage which will accrue to the Owner as a result of the effect on the assessed valuation of land described herein due to the imposition of the limitations on its use contained herein.

Section 9. CANCELLATION. (a) This Contract may be cancelled only by mutual agreement of the Owner and County pursuant to Section 51282 of the Act (Government Code) when, after public hearing has been held in accordance with the provisions of Section 51284 of the Act (Government Code), the Board of Supervisors finds (1) such cancellation is in the public interest and not inconsistent with the purposes of the Act, and (2) it is neither necessary nor desirable to continue the restrictions imposed by this Contract; provided, however, this Contract shall not be cancelled until the hereinafter specified cancellation fee

has been paid, unless such fee or portion thereof is waived or deferred pursuant to subdivision (c) of Section 51283 of the Act (Government Code).

- (b) Prior to any action by the Board of Supervisors giving tentative approval to the cancellation of this Contract, the County Assessor shall determine the full cash value of the land as though it were free from the restrictions of this Contract.

  The Assessor shall multiply such value by the most recent County ratio announced pursuant to Section 401 of the Revenue and Taxation Code, and shall certify the product to the Board of Supervisors as the cancellation valuation of the land for the purpose of determining the cancellation fee hereinafter specified.
- (c) Prior to giving tentative approval to the cancellation of this Contract the Board of Supervisors shall determine and certify to the County Auditor the amount of the cancellation fee which the Owner must pay the County Treasurer as deferred taxes upon cancellation, which shall be 50% of the cancellation valuation of the land as determined in subparagraph (b) of this section. If after the date this Contract is initially entered into the publicly announced County ratio of assessed to full cash value is changed, the percentage payment specified in this paragraph shall be changed so no greater percentage of full cash value will be paid than would have been paid had there been no change in such ratio.
- (d) The Board of Supervisors may waive or defer payment of the cancellation fee or any portion thereof in accordance with subdivision (c) of Section 51283 of the Act (Government Code).

Section 10. DISTRIBUTION OF DEFERRED TAXES. On receipt of any deferred taxes (cancellation fee) payable pursuant to Section 10 of this Contract, said deferred taxes shall be distributed as provided in Section 51204 of the Act (Government Code).

Section 11. DIVISION OF LAND - NEW CONTRACTS. In the event the Premises is divided, a contract identical to the contract

then covering the Premises shall be executed by the Owner of each parcel created by the division at the time of the division.

Section 12. DIVISION OF LAND - MINIMUM SIZE PARCELS. The owner shall not divide the Premises contrary to the restrictions on the division of Premises as set forth in the Resolution establishing the Agricultural Preserve.

Section 13. CONTRACTS BINDS SUCCESSORS. The term "Owner" as used in this contract shall include the singular and plural and the heirs, executors, administrators, and successors and assigns and this Contract shall run with the land described herein and shall be binding upon the heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns of the parties hereto.

Section 14. REMOVAL OF LAND FROM PRESERVE. Removal of any land under this Contract from an agricultural preserve either by; change of boundaries of the preserve or disestablishment of the preserve shall be the equivalent of a notice of nonrenewal by the County.

Section 15. CONVEYANCE CONTRARY TO CONTRACT. Any conveyance, contract or authorization (whether oral or written) by the Owner or his successors in interest which would permit the use of the subject property or create a division of the land contrary to the terms of this Contract, or any renewal thereof may be declared void by the Board of Supervisors of the County; such declaration or the provisions of this Contract may be enforced by the County by an action filed in the Superior court of the county by the District Attorney for the purpose of compelling compliance or restraining a breach thereof.

Section 16. OWNER TO PROVIDE INFORMATION. The Owner, upon request of the County, shall provide information relating to the Owner's obligations under this Contract.

Section 17. NOTICE. Any notice given pursuant to this contract may, in addition to any other method authorized by law, be given by United States mail, postage prepaid. Notice to the County shall be addressed as follows:

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors County of Siskiyou Courthouse Yreka, California 96097 STATE OF CALIFORNIA)

() ss

COUNTY OF SISKIYOU )

On January 12 , 1993, before me, Cindy Dieter, Deputy Clerk of the Siskiyou County Board of Supervisors, personally appeared Ivan Young , personally known to me to be the person who executed this instrument as Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Siskiyou, State of California, and acknowledged to me that the political subdivision executed it.

LISA CHANDLER, County Clerk and ex-Officio Clerk of

Dated: January 12, 1993

Deputy Cindy Dieter Signature

(Seal)

Notice to the Owner shall be addressed as follows:  [Object A-Poole
1833 5. Hum 3
EtNa, Ca- 96027
IN WITNESS WHEREOF the Owner and the County have
executed this Contract on the day first above written.
Charles L. Park
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STATE OF CALIFORNIA )
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA )
On this $^{23\text{RD}}$ day of JULY , $^{19}$ 92 ,
before me, MARY F. DIPIAZZA, a Notary Public, in and for said ALAMEDA County, personally
appeared ROBERT A. POOLE AND CHARLENE L. POOLE
known to me to be the persons whose names ARE subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me
that THEY executed the same.
OFFICIAL SEAL
MARY F DIPIAZZA  NOTARY PUBLIC - CALIFORNIA  ALAMEDA COUNTY  NOTARY PUBLIC - MARY F DIPIAZZA  NOTARY PUBLIC - MARY F DIPIAZZA
M comm. expires MAY 25, 1993
My Commission expires: 5-25-93
ATTEST: COUNTY OF SISKIYOU, Board of Supervisors
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Clerk Chairman
STATE OF CALIFORNIA ) ss.
COUNTY OF SISKIYOU )
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said County, personally appeared
known to me to be the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of Siskiyou County whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.
Notary Public
My Commission Expires:

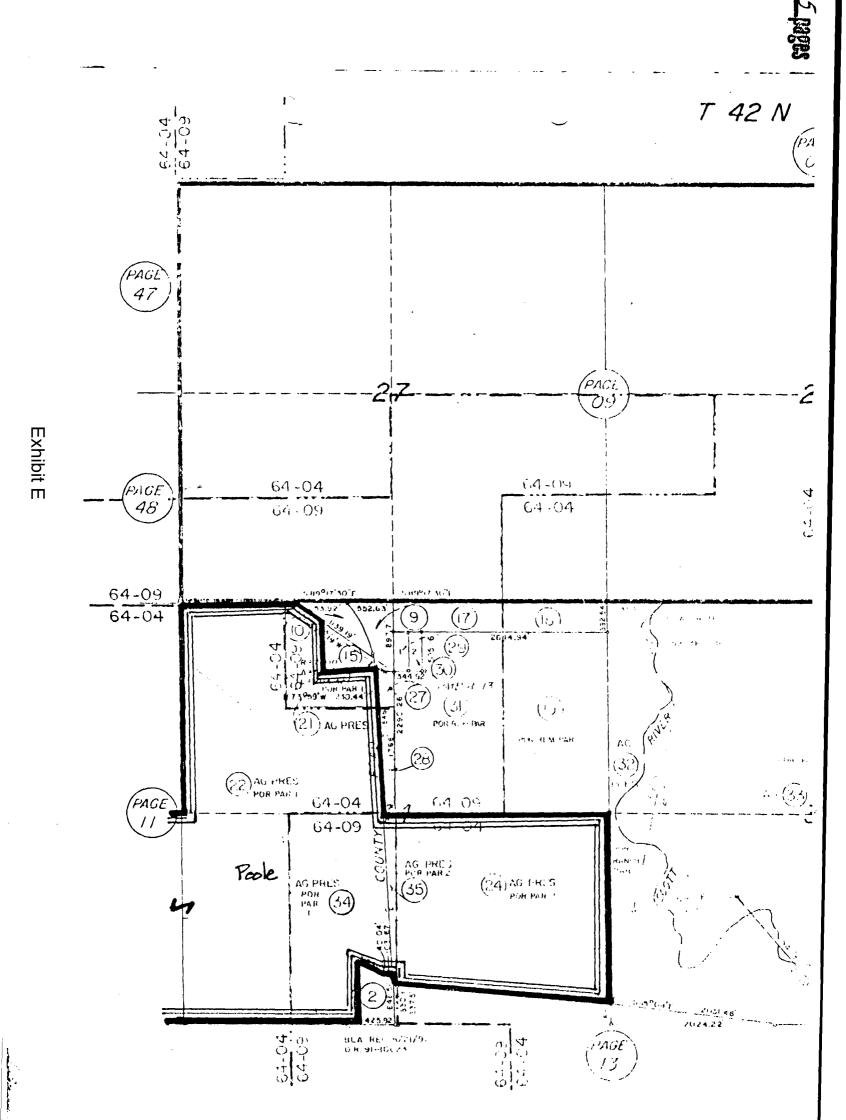
# CONSENT OF LIENHOLDER

The undersigned, a lienholder against the property owned by Robert A. Poole and Charlene L. Poole and herein described, consents to the aforementioned agreement (Land Conservation Act of 1965) and consents that its lien on the property described be subordinated to this agreement.

DATED: This 23 day of Seglember 19 92.
Lienholder Manier D. Vienie
STATE OF CALIFORNIA ) ) ss. COUNTY OF Siskiyou )
On this 23 day of September 19 92,
pefore me, Julie Weisman a Notary Public
in and for said Siskiyou County, personally
appeared Roads S. Veale and Marilyn G. Veal&nown to me to be the
person s whose name s subscribed to the within instrument
and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.
Notary Public
My Commission Expires: <u>COT 18 1994</u>
OFFICIAL SEAL  JULIE WEISMAN  NOTARY PUBLIC CALIFORNIA  Principal Office in Siskiyou County  My Comm. Expires Oct. 18, 1993

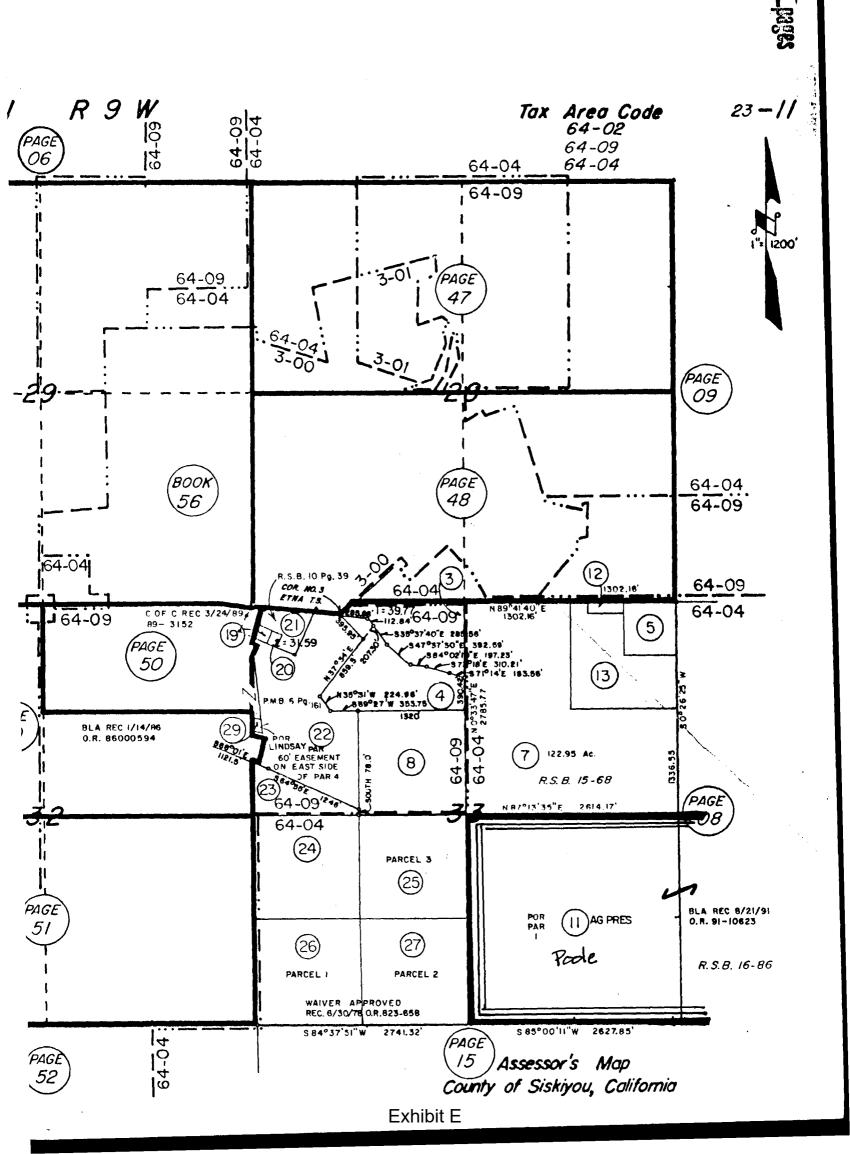
# EXHIBIT "A"

List Assessor's Parcel Numbers below:
23.080-340
23-080-240
73 080 - 220
23-080-210
23-110-110
23 - 080 - 350
Total acres 650
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Poole Family Trust
Agricultural Proserve AGP 92-04
Scott Valley



RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING A NEW AGRICULTURAL PRESERVE WITH UNIFORM RULES, INCLUDING COMPATIBLE USES

WHEREAS, the County of Siskiyou has been requested to establish the herein Agricultural Preserve; and

WHEREAS, the County of Siskiyou is authorized to establish Agricultural Preserves pursuant to the California Land Conservation Act of 1965 as amended; and

WHEREAS, the procedural requirements to establish an Agricultural Preserve as required by the Act have been followed; and

WHEREAS, the land to be included within the Agricultural Preserve is used for the purpose of producing agricultural commodities for commercial purposes and compatible uses; and

WHEREAS, Uniform Rules shall apply to this Preserve as specified in Resolution 275, Book 11, of the Board of Supervisors.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that all of that certain real property situated in the County of Siskiyou, State of California, described in Exhibit "A" attached hereto and made a part hereof as is fully set forth, which description and reference is to the present Assessor's parcel number and is accompanied by a map thereof, is hereby designated and established as an Agricultural Preserve within the meaning and pursuant to the Land Conservation Act of 1965, as amended. Such Preserve may be increased or decreased in accordance with the law.

The foregoing resolution was adopted at a regular meeting of the Siskiyou County Board of Supervisors of the County of Siskiyou, State of California, held on the 12th day of January 1993, by the following vote:

AYES: Supervisors Dutra, Thackeray, Young, Zwanziger and Giardino.

NOES: None.

ABSENT: None.

Chairman
Siskiyou County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

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Lisa Chandler
County Clerk

County Clerk

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SISKIYOU COUNTY RESOLUTION

No.  $\frac{93-11}{1}$ 

# EXHIBIT A

KRUM, WILLIAM P. AND NARDA R. 5932 Miners Creek Road Etna, California 96027	23-170-470 23-170-480 23-170-490 23-170-500 23-170-741
EPPLER, JERRY R. AND KAY J. 10828 Oro Fino Road Fort Jones, California 96032	24-060-350 24-060-650
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RESOLUTION APPROVING NEW AGRICULTURAL PRESERVE CONTRACTS IN AGRICULTURAL PRESERVES ESTABLISHED BY RESOLUTION NO. 93-18 ADOPTED ON JANUARY 12, 1993

WHEREAS, the County of Siskiyou has established certain Agricultural Preserves within the County of Siskiyou; and

WHEREAS, the procedural requirements for establishment of said preserves as required by the Land Conservation Act of 1965, as amended, have been followed.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the County of Siskiyou, does hereby enter into Agricultural Preserve Contracts (Williamson Contracts) with the following landowners in the established Agricultural preserves, said Agricultural Preserves having been established by Resolution, adopted on January 12, 1993, and the Chairman of the Siskiyou County Board of Supervisors is authorized to sign said contracts on behalf of the County of Siskiyou, and the Clerk is directed to record said contracts prior to March 1, 1993.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that all Agricultural Preserve Contracts, as hereinabove approved by the Board of Supervisors, are hereby described in Exhibit "A" attached hereto and made a part hereof.

The foregoing resolution was passed and adopted this 12th day of January 1993, by the following vote:

AYES: Supervisors Dutra, Thackeray, Young, Zwanziger and Giardino.

NOES: None.

ABSENT: None.

Chairman

Siskiyou County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

Lisa Chandler

County Clerk

By: <u>Und</u>

SISKIYOU COUNTY RESOLUTION

No. 93-18

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# ACENDA WORKSHEET

ACENDA NO.\_\_\_\_

MEETINC DATE: \_\_\_\_\_1/12/93

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TO:

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

P.O. Box 338, Yreka, CA 96097

ROM: Robert Sellman, Planning Director	TIME: 10:00 a.m.
Mobil Sellmane Signature	
SUBJECT: Agricultural Preserve Contract Family Trust	- Poole TIME REQUIRED:
SUMMARY (Description of Issue):	
See Attached	
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See Attac	hed
RECOMMENDED AOTION:	
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CONTACT PERSON:Richard Barnum	Approved/Denied by the Siskiyo
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# PLANNING DEPARTMENT

TELEPHONE: 842-8200

PLANNING DIRECTOR ROBERT W. SELLMAN



County of Siskiyou

PO BOX 1085 YREKA, CALIFORNIA 96097

January 6, 1993

The Honorable Board of Supervisors Courthouse Yreka, California

Honorable Board:

Subject: Agricultural Preserve Contract - Poole Family Trust

This is a request to enter into a Williamson Act Contract to place 650 acres of grazing and crop land into an Agricultural Preserve.

The property is located adjacent to State Highway 3, approximately 2 miles south of the City of Etna in Scott Valley.

The Planning Commission, at their December 2, 1992, meeting, unanimously voted to recommend that the Board of Supervisors approve the Agricultural Preserve Contract. A Staff Report and Minute Order are attached.

Suggested Motion: I move that the Board of Supervisors establish an Agricultural Preserve, the Chairman be authorized to sign the Land Conservation Act Contract and that an Agricultural Preserve Contract be entered into with the Poole Family Trust, Robert and Charlene Poole, Trustees, 1833 S. Highway 3, Etna, California 96027.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert Sellman

Planning Director

RDB:RS:sd Attachments SISKIYOU COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION REGULAR MEETING

COUNTY OF SISKIYOU

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

DECEMBER 2, 1992

PRESENT: Commissioners Hall, DeMulder, Bowman, Hoy,

Brazie, Erickson, Stevens, Bryan and Grensted

ABSENT: None

ALSO PRESENT: Planning Director Robert Sellman, Assistant Planner

Dan Breedon and Terry Barber, Health Department

AGRICULTURAL PRESERVE CONTRACT POOLE FAMILY TRUST (ROBERT A. AND CHARLENE POOLE) (AGP-92-04) RECOMMENDING APPROVAL

23-080-210 23-080-220

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This is a request to enter into a Williamson Act Contract to place 650 acres of grazing and crop land into an Agricultural Preserve. The property is located adjacent to State Highway 3, approximately 2 miles south of the City of Etna in Scott Valley in T43N, R9W, Sections 33 and 34. Zoned AG-1-B-80 (Prime Agricultural, 80 acre minimum parcel size) and AG-2-B-40 (Non-Prime Agricultural, 40 acre minimum parcel size).

## STAFF REPORT:

The previously circulated staff report was reviewed and the Planning Department recommends that the Planning Commission recommend approval of the Agricultural Preserve application to the Board of Supervisors.

PUBLIC INPUT: None

AGENCY INPUT: None

MOTION: It was moved Bryan, seconded by Erickson, to recommend to the Board of Supervisors that an Agricultural Preserve be established for the Poole Family Trust (Robert and Charlene Poole, Trustees). Furthermore, the Commission recommends that the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors be authorized to sign the Land Preservation Contract with the Poole Family Trust, 1833 S. Highway 3, Etna, California 96027, on property consisting of

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650 acres. VOTED upon and the Chairman declared the motion carried on the following roll call vote:

Commissioners Hall, DeMulder, Bowman, Hoy, Brazie, Erickson, Stevens, Bryan and Grensted AYES:

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

STATE OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF SISKIYOU

I, Sidney Dais, Department Secretary and Clerk of the Siskiyou County Planning Commission, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a full, true and correct copy of the Minute Order of said Siskiyou County Planning Commission passed on December 2, 1992.

/s Sidney Dais SISKIYOU COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION STATE OF CALIFORNIA

### STAFF REPORT

# 1992-93 Agricultural Preserve Program

AGP-92-04, Poole Family Trust,

Description. This application was submitted by Robert and Charlene Poole, Poole Family Trust, for a total of 650 acres of grazing and crop land. The property is located adjacent to State Highway 3, approximately 2 miles south of the City of Etna in Scott Valley (T43N, R9W, Sections 33 and 34). The property is currently zoned AG-1-B-80 (Prime Agricultural, 80 acre minimum parcel size) and AG-2-B-40 (Non-Prime Agricultural, 40 acre minimum parcel size).

Analysis: The application request is for the inclusion of the entire acreage into the Agricultural Preserve Program. The entire property was previously placed under an Agricultural Preserve Contract for John and Elizabeth Beckman, recorded on May 27, 1971 (O.R. Vol. 624, Pg. 257).

On September 15, 1988, a Notice of Non-Renewal was filed with Siskiyou County by the property owner at that time, Rhodes and Marilyn Veale.

On July 24, 1991, a Boundary Line Adjustment was approved by Siskiyou County (BLA 91-16, Doc. #91010623), reconfiguring the parcels involved. Due to excellent soil characteristics on both resultant parcels, each would qualify for a separate Agricultural Preserve Contract.

Under new ownership, the Poole Family Trust application serves to reestablish the Agricultural Preserve first established in 1971, based on the same qualifying soil characteristics.

Environmental Review. The proposed project is Categorically Exempt (Section 15317), Class 17 Open Space Contracts).

Recommendation. The Planning Department recommends approval of Agricultural Preserve application AGP-92-04 for the Poole Family Trust. Furthermore, staff recommends that the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors be authorized to sign the Land Conservation Act Contract with the Poole Family Trust for 650 acres shown by Exhibit A of the Agricultural Preserve application.

# BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

# COUNTY OF SISKIYOU, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

12th doy January

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Deputy Clerk

PRESENT: Supervisors Clancy Dutra, George Thackeray, Roger Zwanziger and Jerry Giardino. Chairman Young presiding.	
ABSENT: None	
COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR: Michael B. Hanford COUNTY CLERK: Sherrie Bennett Cindy Dieter	and
COUNTY COUNSEL: Frank J. DeMarco PURPOSE OF MEETING: Regular	
RESOLUTION ADOPTED - APPROVING NEW AGRICULTURAL PRESERVE CONTRACTS IN AGRICULTURAL PRESERVES ESTABLISHED BY RESOLUTION NO. 93-1 ADOPTED ON JANUARY 12, 1993.	
It was moved by Supervisor Giardino, seconded by Superviso Thackeray and unanimously carried, that Resolution No. 93-18 being a resolution approving new Agricultural Preserve Contract in Agricultural Preserves established by Resolution No. 93-1 adopted on January 12, 1993, is hereby adopted and the Chairma authorized to sign.	, s 7
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COUNTY OF SISKIYOU ) ss	
I. LISA CHANDLER. County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, do hereby foregoing to be a full, true and correct copy of the minute order of said Board of Supervisors passed on $1/12/9$	certify the
Witness my hand and the seal of said Board of Supervisors, thisday of	_, 19
CC: File Planning Dept. (8) LISA CHANDLER	
Recorder Assessor  Assessor	-

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CC: File	
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Assessor	of Supervisors of Siskiyou County, California
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PUBLIC HEARING - AGRICULTURAL PRESERVE CONTRACTS APPROVED.

ABSENT: None

COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR: Michael B. Hanford

COUNTY COUNSEL Frank J. DeMarco

12th day January 1993

Deputy COUNTY CLERK: Sherrie Bennett and

Cindy Dieter PURPOSE OF MEETING: Regular

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3.	Laughlin Family Trust, 45 CA 96064	04 Hovey Gulch Road,	Montague,
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