

RESOLUTION NO. 2014-39

**A RESOLUTION OF THE NAPA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS,
STATE OF CALIFORNIA, SUPPORTING PRIORITY CONSERVATION AREA
DESIGNATIONS WITHIN NAPA COUNTY**

WHEREAS, in 2007 the Association of Bay Area Governments requested nominations from local governments and land conservation organizations for Priority Conservation Areas pursuant to the “Focusing our Vision” multi-agency regional planning initiative; and

WHEREAS, in August 2007 the Napa County Board of Supervisors approved nomination of the agricultural lands of Napa County; and

WHEREAS, in addition to the County’s nomination, the Napa County Regional Park and Open Space District submitted five nominations, the Land Trust of Napa County submitted one nomination, Save The Redwoods League made two nominations, and the Bay Trail Project and the Bay Area Ridge Trail Council nominated their two regional trail systems; and

WHEREAS, Priority Conservation Areas are intended to be areas which contain important agricultural, natural resource, watershed, historic, scenic, cultural, recreational, and/or ecological values and ecosystem functions deserving of conservation funding; and

WHEREAS, the ten Priority Conservation Areas that were nominated in 2007 by the County of Napa and others, and subsequently approved by the Association of Bay Area Governments, are mutually compatible and complementary, and represent a diverse and balanced mix of conservation priorities in Napa County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Napa County Board of Supervisors hereby endorses the following ten Priority Conservation Areas, as listed below and described and mapped as attached:

1. Bay and Ridge Trails: Regional Recreation
2. Blue Oak Woodlands of the Lake District: Natural Landscapes and Regional Recreation
3. Bothe – Napa Valley State Park to Sugarloaf Ridge State Park: Natural Landscapes and Regional Recreation
4. Interior Mountains – Moore Creek to Milliken Creek: Natural Landscapes and Regional Recreation
5. Lake Curry – Suisun Creek Watershed: Natural Landscapes and Regional Recreation
6. Napa County Agricultural Lands and Watersheds: Agricultural Lands
7. Napa Valley – Napa River Corridor: Natural Landscapes, Regional Recreation and Agricultural Lands
8. Palisades Mount St. Helena – Angwin: Natural Landscapes and Regional Recreation
9. Redwood and Dry Creek Watersheds: Natural Landscapes and Regional Recreation
10. Southern Mountains – Skyline Park to Newell Preserve: Natural Landscapes and Regional Recreation

The foregoing resolution was duly and regularly adopted by the Napa County Board of Supervisors, State of California, at a regular meeting of said Board held on the 22nd day of April, 2014, by the following vote:

AYES:	SUPERVISORS	WAGENKNECHT, CALDWELL, DILLON, DODD and LUCE
NOES:	SUPERVISORS	NONE
ABSENT:	SUPERVISORS	NONE

MARK LUCE, Chairman of the
Board of Supervisors

ATTEST: Gladys I. Coil
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By: _____

APPROVED AS TO FORM
Office of County Counsel
By: Laura J. Anderson (e-signature)
Deputy County Counsel
Date: April 15, 2014

**APPROVED BY THE NAPA COUNTY
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**
Date: April 22, 2014
Processed by:

Deputy Clerk of the Board