

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF CONTRA COSTA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

and for Special Districts, Agencies and Authorities Governed by the Board

Adopted this Resolution on 12/11/2018 by the following vote:

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NO:   
ABSENT:   
ABSTAIN:   
RECUSE:



**Resolution No. 2018/603**

Supporting three grant proposals for multi-benefit projects to restore floodplain and riparian habitat along Marsh Creek in the cities of Brentwood and Oakley, and improve water quality in Marsh Creek and the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta.

WHEREAS, The Marsh Creek Watershed, located in eastern Contra Costa County, is uniquely situated between the Delta and Mt. Diablo, providing an important ecological corridor in a burgeoning urban area of the Delta,

WHEREAS, Marsh Creek flows over 30 river miles from the eastern slope of Mt. Diablo through the communities of Brentwood and Oakley and into the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta, the water supply for over 20 million people,

WHEREAS, Marsh Creek provides habitat for numerous sensitive aquatic species including Chinook salmon, red-legged frog, and western pond turtle,

WHEREAS, Marsh Creek Channel Restoration Project is proposed to restore riparian and floodplain habitat on 3 acres of land along 775-linear feet of the Marsh Creek channel near downtown Brentwood, this project would increase the current restored riparian area along Marsh Creek,

WHEREAS, Oakley Creekside Park Restoration Project is proposed to restore riparian and floodplain habitat on 2.4 acres of land along 705 - linear feet of Marsh Creek channel, this project would increase the current restored riparian area along Marsh Creek,

WHEREAS, Three Creeks Parkway Restoration Project is proposed to expand the Marsh Creek channel to accommodate both flood conveyance and habitat, revegetate the site with native riparian and upland species, and integrate the restored creek with existing City of Brentwood parks and East Bay Regional Park District's Marsh Creek Regional Trail along 4,000 linear feet of Marsh Creek

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County does hereby support the three grant proposals to restore Marsh Creek including: 1) The grant proposal from American Rivers to the Delta Conservancy for the Marsh Creek Channel Restoration Project, 2) The grant proposal from the City of Oakley to the Delta Conservancy for the Oakley Creekside Park Project, and 3) The grant proposal from American Rivers to the USEPA for the Three Creeks Parkway Restoration Project.

I hereby certify that this is a true and correct copy of an action taken and entered on the minutes of the Board of Supervisors on the date shown.

Contact: Alicia Nuchols,  
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ATTESTED: December 11, 2018

David J. Twa, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By: , Deputy

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