



GOLDEN STATE LAND CONSERVANCY

September 18, 2019

Attn: Jessie Davis
Mendocino County Planning Commission

Dear Mr. Davis,

As Executive Director of the Golden State Land Conservancy (GSLC), I have interacted with Stacey Squire for over 12 years on the Navarro Redwoods Forest Conservation Easement which GSLC has held since 2007. GSLC maintains conservation easements on over 35,000 acres of property throughout California. These properties range from small mitigation projects to large ranches with several thousand acres. One of my perks as GSLC Executive Director is to be able to monitor our properties personally every year. I can attest to the ongoing excellent condition of the access road to the Navarro Redwood Preserve. I see many roads during my annual visits and I am always impressed with the quality of maintenance and care the road obviously receives every year. It has also been a pleasure to work with Ms. Squire over the years in protecting the redwood forest and its residents. She has been cooperative and accommodating when GSLC brings up issues and concerns regarding the easement and its restrictions.

The Navarro Redwood Forest Preserve is a beautiful property that deserves the care and concern Ms. Squire has shown it ever since she became one of its stewards. We are happy to chronicle the success of her efforts.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Marc Deprey", with a long, sweeping horizontal line extending to the right.

Marc Deprey
Executive Director