

# STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF EL DORADO

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS MINUTES \_\_\_\_\_ April 4 \_\_\_\_\_ 19 84 \_\_\_\_\_

The Board convened in a meeting continued from April 3, 1984, with the following members present: Supervisors Robert E. Dorr, Patricia R. Lowe, W. P. "Dub" Walker, Joseph V. Flynn, and Thomas L. Stewart. Dixie L. Foote, Assistant Board of Supervisors Clerk, was also present. Chairman Lowe presided.

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The Board again considered adoption of the River Recreation Management Plan as a chapter of the Recreation Element of the County General Plan to:

- a. Regulate commercial and non-commercial boating on the South Fork of the American River, extending from the headwaters of the South Fork at Echo Summit to its confluence with Folsom Lake, and focusing primarily on the 21-mile river section from Chili Bar to Folsom Lake; and
- b. Provide recommendations for riparian lands that are or may be used for ancillary recreational uses.

The Board held a public hearing on said Plan on March 26, 1984, at which time the hearing was closed, and the matter continued to this date for further consideration of the Board.

By informal consensus, the Board agreed to several revisions throughout the the Plan text.

Mr. Arlan Nickel, Principal Planner, advised that there are not additional impacts in the River Recreation Management Plan that have not been identified and properly mitigated in the Environmental Impact Report.

The Board accepted Planning staff's recommendations contained in the River Recreation Management Plan Environmental Impact Report Supplement #15163(2), except where they have been changes by action of the Board in the Managment Section, on motion of Supervisor Flynn, seconded by Supervisor Walker, and carried by the following vote: Ayes: Supervisors Dorr, Walker, Flynn, and Lowe; Abstention: Supervisor Stewart.

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On motion of Supervisor Flynn, seconded by Supervisor Walker, and unanimously carried, the Board certified that the Environmental Impact Report has been completed in compliance with California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and State Guidelines and that the Board has reviewed and considered the information contained in the Environmental Impact Report prior to adopting the River Recreation Management Plan; and has determined that the Environmental Impact Report is complete in light of the changes made during the hearings on the Plan; and, further, this Board finds that all potential, significant environmental effects listed in the Environmental Impact Report have been mitigated to levels of insignificance through the mitigation measures provided in the Environmental Impact Report.

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On motion of Supervisor Flynn, seconded by Supervisor Dorr, and carried by the following vote: Ayes: Supervisors Dorr, Walker, Flynn, and Lowe; Abstention: Supervisor Stewart, the Board declared its intent to adopt the River Recreation Management Plan, as a chapter of the Recreation Element of the El Dorado County General Plan, based on the reasons:

1. The River Recreation Management Plan was directed to be prepared by the Board of Supervisors as part of the County planning program;
2. The River Recreation Management Plan is consistent with all elements of the County General Plan;

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3. The Plan policies and mitigation measures of the Environmental Impact Report, when implemented, will insure that commercial river use will be maintained within established permit capacities; that developments will be consistent with the established land use as designated in the various area plans; and that the environmental quality in the river corridor will be protected and maintained; and

the Board further made the following findings required by Section 15088 of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines, as shown on that document entitled "Findings Pertaining to Environmental Impact", which is incorporated into the Board's findings:

1. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 15088 of the C.E.Q.A. Guidelines, the Board of Supervisors hereby finds that all of those significant impacts of the proposed projects are as noted in the Environmental Impact Report which is made a part of this document;
2. Of those impacts identified, all have been reduced to an acceptable level by imposition of those mitigation measures noted in the Environmental Impact Report.

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Mr. Robert Harvey, riparian land owner, then stated that he objects very strenuously to the Board's deletion of the second paragraph on page 118 of the River Recreation Management Plan.

On motion of Supervisor Flynn, seconded by Supervisor Walker, and unanimously carried, the Board amended its prior action that was taken to certify the Environmental Impact Report based upon the findings that were so stated; and amended the Plan to retain the second paragraph on page 118 of the Plan, with said paragraph revised to read, "Consideration should be given by the County to landowners who apply for recreational uses along the river in locations listed as having 'good potential' for use, providing a need is demonstrated."; based on the findings that were stated in the Board's original motion declaring intent to adopt the Plan.

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RESOLUTION NO. 97-84 was adopted, on motion of Supervisor Walker, seconded by Supervisor Flynn, and unanimously carried, amending the County General Plan to incorporate those amendments approved by the Board on March 6, 13, and 20, 1984, and April 4, 1984; noting that environmental considerations, pursuant to the California Environmental Quality Act, were made prior to the actual approval and adoption of requested General Plan Amendments.

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The Board appointed Norene Hegy of South Lake Tahoe to represent El Dorado County in the Olympic Torch Run in July, 1984, on motion of Supervisor Lowe, seconded by Supervisor Dorr, and carried by the following vote: Ayes: Supervisors Dorr, Walker, and Lowe; No: Supervisor Stewart; Abstention: Supervisor Flynn.

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There being no further business to come before the Board this date, the Board adjourned to Tuesday, April 10, 1984, at 10:00 a.m.

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ATTEST:  
DOLORES BREDESON, County Clerk  
and ex officio Clerk of the Board  
By: Daphne Foote  
Deputy Clerk

APPROVED:  
Patricia R. Lowe  
PATRICIA R. LOWE, Chairman