

118TH CONGRESS
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H. R. 1396

To modify the boundary of the Berryessa Snow Mountain National Monument to include certain Federal land in Lake County, California, and for other purposes.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MARCH 7, 2023

Mr. GARAMENDI (for himself and Mr. THOMPSON of California) introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Natural Resources

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Berryessa Snow Moun-
5 tain National Monument Expansion Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. DEFINITIONS.**

7 In this Act:

8 (1) BOARD.—The term “Board” means the
9 Board on Geographic Names established by section

1 2 of the Act of July 25, 1947 (61 Stat. 456, chapter
2 330; 43 U.S.C. 364a).

3 (2) MAP.—The term “Map” means the map en-
4 titled “Proposed Walker Ridge (Molok Luyuk) Addi-
5 tion Berryessa Snow Mountain National Monument”
6 and dated October 26, 2021.

7 (3) MOLOK LUYUK.—The term “Molok Luyuk”
8 means Condor Ridge (in the Patwin language).

9 (4) NATIONAL MONUMENT.—The term “Na-
10 tional Monument” means the Berryessa Snow Moun-
11 tain National Monument established by Presidential
12 Proclamation 9298, dated July 10, 2015 (80 Fed.
13 Reg. 41975), including all land, interests in the
14 land, and objects on the land identified in that Pres-
15 idential Proclamation.

16 (5) SECRETARY.—The term “Secretary” means
17 the Secretary of the Interior.

18 (6) WALKER RIDGE (MOLOK LUYUK) ADDI-
19 TION.—The term “Walker Ridge (Molok Luyuk) Ad-
20 dition” means the approximately 3,925 acres of Fed-
21 eral land (including any interests in, or objects on,
22 the land) administered by the Bureau of Land Man-
23 agement in Lake County, California, and identified
24 as “Proposed Walker Ridge (Molok Luyuk) Addi-
25 tion” on the Map.

1 **SEC. 3. NATIONAL MONUMENT EXPANSION.**

2 (a) **BOUNDARY MODIFICATION.**—The boundary of
3 the National Monument is modified to include the Walker
4 Ridge (Molok Luyuk) Addition.

5 (b) **MAP.**—

6 (1) **CORRECTIONS.**—The Secretary may make
7 clerical and typographical corrections to the Map.

8 (2) **PUBLIC AVAILABILITY; EFFECT.**—The Map
9 and any corrections to the Map under paragraph (1)
10 shall—

11 (A) be publicly available on the website of
12 the Bureau of Land Management; and

13 (B) have the same force and effect as if in-
14 cluded in this Act.

15 (c) **ADMINISTRATION.**—Subject to valid existing
16 rights, the Secretary shall administer the Walker Ridge
17 (Molok Luyuk) Addition—

18 (1) as part of the National Monument;

19 (2) in accordance with Presidential Proclama-
20 tion 9298, dated July 10, 2015 (80 Fed. Reg.
21 41975); and

22 (3) in accordance with applicable laws (includ-
23 ing regulations).

24 **SEC. 4. MANAGEMENT PLAN.**

25 (a) **IN GENERAL.**—Not later than 1 year after the
26 date of enactment of this Act, the Secretary and the Sec-

1 retary of Agriculture shall jointly develop a comprehensive
2 management plan for the National Monument in accord-
3 ance with, and in a manner that fulfills the purposes de-
4 scribed in, Presidential Proclamation 9298, dated July 10,
5 2015 (80 Fed. Reg. 41975).

6 (b) TRIBAL CONSULTATION.—The Secretary and the
7 Secretary of Agriculture shall consult with affected feder-
8 ally recognized Indian Tribes in—

9 (1) the development of the management plan
10 under subsection (a); and

11 (2) making management decisions relating to
12 the National Monument.

13 (c) CONTINUED ENGAGEMENT WITH INDIAN
14 TRIBES.—The management plan developed under sub-
15 section (a) shall set forth parameters for continued mean-
16 ingful engagement with affected federally recognized In-
17 dian Tribes in the implementation of the management
18 plan.

19 (d) EFFECT.—Nothing in this Act affects the conduct
20 of fire mitigation or suppression activities at the National
21 Monument, including through the use of existing agree-
22 ments.

23 **SEC. 5. AGREEMENTS AND PARTNERSHIPS.**

24 To the maximum extent practicable and in accord-
25 ance with applicable laws, on request of an affected feder-

1 ally recognized Indian Tribe, the Secretary (acting
2 through the Director of the Bureau of Land Management)
3 and the Secretary of Agriculture (acting through the Chief
4 of the Forest Service) shall enter into agreements, con-
5 tracts, and other cooperative and collaborative partner-
6 ships with the federally recognized Indian Tribe regarding
7 management of the National Monument under relevant
8 Federal authority, including—

9 (1) the Indian Self-Determination and Edu-
10 cation Assistance Act (25 U.S.C. 5301 et seq.);

11 (2) the Federal Land Policy and Management
12 Act of 1976 (43 U.S.C. 1701 et seq.);

13 (3) the Tribal Self-Governance Act of 1994 (25
14 U.S.C. 5361 et seq.);

15 (4) the Tribal Forest Protection Act of 2004
16 (25 U.S.C. 3115a et seq.);

17 (5) the good neighbor authority under section
18 8206 of the Agricultural Act of 2014 (16 U.S.C.
19 2113a);

20 (6) Executive Order 13175 (25 U.S.C. 5301
21 note; relating to consultation and coordination with
22 Indian Tribal governments);

23 (7) Secretarial Order 3342, issued by the Sec-
24 retary on October 21, 2016 (relating to identifying
25 opportunities for cooperative and collaborative part-

1 nerships with federally recognized Indian Tribes in
2 the management of Federal lands and resources);
3 and

4 (8) Joint Secretarial Order 3403, issued by the
5 Secretary and the Secretary of Agriculture on No-
6 vember 15, 2021 (relating to fulfilling the trust re-
7 sponsibility to Indian Tribes in the stewardship of
8 Federal lands and waters).

9 **SEC. 6. DESIGNATION OF CONDOR RIDGE (MOLOK LUYUK)**
10 **IN LAKE AND COLUSA COUNTIES, CALI-**
11 **FORNIA.**

12 (a) IN GENERAL.—The parcel of Federal land admin-
13 istered by the Bureau of Land Management located in
14 Lake and Colusa Counties in the State of California and
15 commonly referred to as “Walker Ridge” shall be known
16 and designated as “Condor Ridge (Molok Luyuk)”.

17 (b) REFERENCES.—Any reference in a law, map, reg-
18 ulation, document, paper, or other record of the United
19 States to the parcel of Federal land described in sub-
20 section (a) shall be deemed to be a reference to “Condor
21 Ridge (Molok Luyuk)”.

22 (c) MAP AND LEGAL DESCRIPTION.—

23 (1) PREPARATION.—

1 (A) INITIAL MAP.—The Board shall pre-
2 pare a map and legal description of the parcel
3 of Federal land designated by subsection (a).

4 (B) CORRECTIONS.—The Board and the
5 Director of the Bureau of Land Management
6 may make clerical and typographical corrections
7 to the map and legal description prepared
8 under subparagraph (A).

9 (2) CONSULTATION.—In preparing the map and
10 legal description under paragraph (1)(A), the Board
11 shall consult with—

12 (A) the Director of the Bureau of Land
13 Management; and

14 (B) affected federally recognized Indian
15 Tribes.

16 (3) PUBLIC AVAILABILITY; EFFECT.—The map
17 and legal description prepared under paragraph
18 (1)(A) and any correction to the map or legal de-
19 scription made under paragraph (1)(B) shall—

20 (A) be publicly available on the website of
21 the Board, the Bureau of Land Management,
22 or both;

23 (B) be subject to a public notice and com-
24 ment period of not less than 30 days; and

1 (C) have the same force and effect as if in-
2 eluded in this Act.

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