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Scotts Valley, CA
July 2, 2026

AGENDA ITEM: 12A Consent Calendar
STAFF: Prasanna Hankins, Commission Liaison
SUBJECT: Memorial Grove Resolutions

I. STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Recommend the State Park and Recreation Commission approve the Memorial Grove Resolutions.

II. BACKGROUND/SUMMARY

Sempervirens Fund is requesting one resolution and Save the Redwoods League is requesting three resolutions to receive approval from the State Park and Recreation Commission.

III. ATTACHMENTS

- Staff Report



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SUBJECT: State Park and Recreation Commission Approval of Memorial Groves

INTRODUCTION

The State Park and Recreation Commission (SPRC or Commission) has specific authority and responsibility to approve resolutions accepting and naming memorial redwood groves and memorial trails in units of the State Park System. (Commission Policy 11.2)

DESCRIPTION

Sempervirens Fund is requesting approval from SPRC for the following Memorial Grove:

- 05-2026 The Shanti Jain and Kanta Gattani Dedicated Grove

Save the Redwoods League is requesting approval from SPRC for the following Memorial Groves:

- 06-2026 Rename Elaine Berke Grove to Elaine Berke Baldwin Grove
- 07-2026 Jennifer Bishop Grove
- 08-2026 In Honor of Samuel G. Stainbrook, Paul W. Neff, Isau F. dos Santos & Russell P. Neff

RESULT OF NO ACTION BY COMMISSION

If there is no action by the Commission, this request to recognize the memorial groves will be delayed until the next Commission meeting.

RECOMMENDATION

Recommend the Commission approve the Memorial Grove Resolutions.



COMMISSION ACTION(S)

Commission to approve via the consent calendar or remove from the consent calendar for further discussion. Commission may approve, deny, or reschedule the hearing at a future Commission meeting.