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To protect the integrity of the Point Reyes National Seashore and the Golden Gate National Recreation Area (GGNRA), and for other purposes.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

SEPTEMBER 14 (legislative day, SEPTEMBER 7), 1993

Mrs. BOXER introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Energy and Natural Resources

A BILL

To protect the integrity of the Point Reyes National Seashore and the Golden Gate National Recreation Area (GGNRA), and for other purposes.

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. PURPOSES.**

4 The purposes of this Act are to—

5 (1) furnish watershed and environmental pro-
6 tection for the Tomales Bay;

7 (2) maintain the relatively undeveloped nature
8 of the land surrounding Tomales Bay by providing
9 guarantees of nondevelopment; and

1 (3) protect the pastoral nature of the land adja-
2 cent to the Point Reyes National Seashore and
3 GGNRA; and

4 (4) preserve productive long-term agriculture in
5 the region.

6 **SEC. 2. EXPANSION OF POINT REYES NATIONAL SEASHORE**
7 **AND ACQUISITION OF DEVELOPMENT**
8 **RIGHTS.**

9 (a) EXPANSION.—Section 2 of the Act entitled “An
10 Act to establish the Point Reyes National Seashore in the
11 State of California, and for other purposes” (16 U.S.C.
12 459c–1) is amended by adding at the end the following:

13 “(c) The Point Reyes National Seashore shall also
14 include the area depicted on the map numbered _____
15 and dated _____. Such map shall be on file and available
16 for public inspection in the Offices of the National Park
17 Service, Department of the Interior, Washington, District
18 of Columbia.”.

19 (b) ACQUISITION.—Section 3 of such Act (16 U.S.C.
20 459c–2) is amended by adding at the end the following:

21 “(d)(1) Notwithstanding subsections (a) through (c)
22 of this section, the Secretary, within the area depicted on
23 the map referred to in section 2(c) of this Act, may ac-
24 quire lands or interests in lands from the owners thereof
25 only by donation, purchase with donated or appropriated

1 funds, or exchange, except as provided in paragraph (4).
2 The Secretary shall give a priority to acquiring interests
3 in lands (including development rights and conservation
4 easements) and to acquiring such interests from nonprofit
5 corporations.

6 “(2) In acquiring lands under this subsection, the
7 Secretary may negotiate for the acquisition of lands spe-
8 cifically for trail purposes.

9 “(3) Lands or interests in lands may not be acquired
10 under this subsection without the consent of the owner
11 thereof, unless the Secretary determines that, in his judg-
12 ment the lands are subject to, or threatened with, uses
13 which are having, or would have, an adverse impact on
14 the area.

15 “(4) Lands, and interests in lands, within the area
16 referred to in paragraph (1) which are owned by the State
17 of California, or any political subdivision thereof, may be
18 acquired only by donation or exchange.

19 “(5) Section 5 does not apply with respect to lands
20 and interests in lands acquired under this subsection.”.

21 (c) AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.—Section
22 9 of such Act (16 U.S.C. 459c-7) is amended by adding
23 at the end the following: “In addition to the sums author-
24 ized to be appropriated by this section before the date of
25 the enactment of this Act, there is authorized to be appro-

1 priated such sums as may be necessary for the acquisition
2 of lands and interests in lands under section 3(d).”.

3 **SEC. 3. ADDITION TO GOLDEN GATE NATIONAL RECRE-**
4 **ATION AREA.**

5 Section 2(a) of the Act entitled “An Act to establish
6 the Golden Gate National Recreation Area in the State
7 of California, and for other purposes” (16 U.S.C. 460bb-
8 1(a)) is amended by striking “map entitled ‘Point Reyes
9 and GGNRA Amendments and dated October 25, 1979’.”
10 and inserting “map entitled ‘_____’ and dated _____.”.

11 The Secretary of the Interior shall—

12 (1) revise the boundary of Golden Gate Na-
13 tional Recreation Area to reflect the amendment
14 made by this section; and

15 (2) prepare and make available a map display-
16 ing such boundary revision in accordance with sec-
17 tion 2(b) of such Act (16 U.S.C. 460bb-1(b)).

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