

MINUTE ITEM

1/26/66

30. REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF WITHDRAWAL OF SCHOOL LAND, GLENN AND MENDOCINO COUNTIES; RESOURCES AGENCY (DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES) - S.W.O. 8186.

After consideration of Calendar Item 9 attached, and upon motion duly made and unanimously carried, the following resolution was adopted:

THE E $\frac{1}{2}$  OF NE $\frac{1}{4}$  OF SECTION 16, T. 20 N., R. 6 W., M.D.M., GLENN COUNTY, AND ALL OF SECTION 16, T. 21 N., R. 11 W., M.D.M., MENDOCINO COUNTY, IS WITHHELD FROM SALE FOR AN ADDITIONAL TWO-YEAR PERIOD, OR UNTIL DECEMBER 28, 1967, PURSUANT TO THE REQUEST OF THE RESOURCES AGENCY ON BEHALF OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES, EXCEPT THAT THE REQUEST TO WITHHOLD THE E $\frac{1}{2}$  OF NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , SECTION 16, T. 20 N., R. 6 W., M.D.M., IS TO BE MADE SUBJECT TO THE OUTCOME OF THE PENDING EXCHANGE APPLICATION BETWEEN THE COMMISSION AND THE UNITED STATES BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT AS AUTHORIZED BY RESOLUTION OF THE COMMISSION ADOPTED ON MAY 13, 1957.

Attachment

Calendar Item 9 (1 page)

9.

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Pursuant to policies and regulations adopted by the Commission in 1963 and 1964 for the administration of public lands (other than sovereign, tide and submerged lands), the Resources Agency requested, among other lands, that the E $\frac{1}{2}$  of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 16, T. 20 N., R. 6 W., M.D.M., Glenn County, and all of Section 16, T. 21 N., R. 11 W., M.D.M., Mendocino County, be withheld from public sale for the two-year period authorized. The withdrawal period under the December 1963 request of the Resources Agency expired December 28, 1965.

A request has been received from the Resources Agency on behalf of the State Department of Water Resources that the above-described lands be withheld from public sale for an additional two-year period, or until December 28, 1967. The reason given for the request is that the Department's planning studies have not yet advanced to a point where it is in a position to purchase the parcels, but it appears probable the lands will be required within the next two years. Advice from the Resources Agency indicates that the 80 acres in Section 16, T. 20 N., R. 6 W., M.D.M., will probably be inundated by the proposed Glenn Reservoir, while the 640 acres in Section 16, T. 21 N., R. 11 W., M.D.M., will probably be required in connection with construction of the Dos Rios Dam on the upper Eel River. The 80-acre parcel is the subject of a resolution by the Commission adopted on May 13, 1957, authorizing its exchange with the United States in view of the information developed at the time that a portion thereof was flooded by the existing Stony Gorge Reservoir. This action was taken at the specific request of the United States Bureau of Reclamation in order that title to the parcel would ultimately become vested in the United States upon conclusion of the exchange transaction. The exchange application filed in 1958, wherein this and other lands have been offered, is still pending with the United States Bureau of Land Management.

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT THE E $\frac{1}{2}$  OF NE $\frac{1}{4}$  OF SECTION 16, T. 20 N., R. 6 W., M.D.M., GLENN COUNTY, AND ALL OF SECTION 16, T. 21 N., R. 11 W., M. D. M., MENDOCINO COUNTY, BE WITHHELD FROM SALE FOR AN ADDITIONAL TWO-YEAR PERIOD, OR UNTIL DECEMBER 28, 1967, PURSUANT TO THE REQUEST OF THE RESOURCES AGENCY ON BEHALF OF THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES, EXCEPT THAT THE REQUEST TO WITHHOLD THE E $\frac{1}{2}$  OF NE $\frac{1}{4}$ , SECTION 16, T. 20 N., R. 6 W., M.D.M., IS TO BE MADE SUBJECT TO THE OUTCOME OF THE PENDING EXCHANGE APPLICATION BETWEEN THE COMMISSION AND THE UNITED STATES BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT AS AUTHORIZED BY RESOLUTION OF THE COMMISSION ADOPTED ON MAY 13, 1957.