



# ANNUAL REPORT TO THE COMMUNITY

2017–2018



*... to protect the land forever*



Dear Sonoma Land Trust Supporters,

A highlight of the year was to open the Sea to Sky Trail – from Jenner Headlands to Pole Mountain – for all to enjoy. This incredible place of coastal meadows, boundless forests and jaw-dropping vistas has drawn people to it for millennia.

Our future is not promised to us. Each generation must work to protect it and Sonoma Land Trust is bringing these initiatives to the fore:

### **RIISING TIDES AND HEALTHY RIVERS**

We are working relentlessly to protect Sonoma County’s baylands and waterways in the face of climate change. We envision a day when 75 percent of the baylands in our county are restored and salmon are bountiful once again in our rivers and streams.

### **WILD AND WORKING LANDSCAPES**

We are protecting working and natural lands to preserve wildlife corridors, woodlands and forests, and farms and ranches. We are advancing stewardship projects to reduce fuel loads and fire intensity.

### **CONNECTING PEOPLE WITH THE LAND**

Our community conservation efforts are expanding through new programs such as Bay Camp and others in the wings to grow the tent of people we serve in Sonoma County.

When Sonoma Land Trust protects land forever, we make a promise to future generations. We envision a Sonoma County where all can run through open fields, observe wildlife, smell the soil, hug a tree and gaze across the bay. Thank you for your important role in making it so!

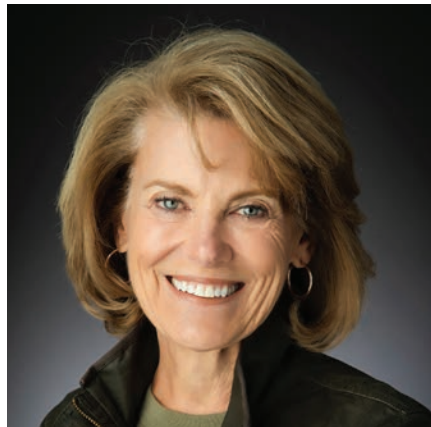
We’ll see you out there.

Front cover: Enjoying the peace of Pole Mountain. Photo by Corby Hines.



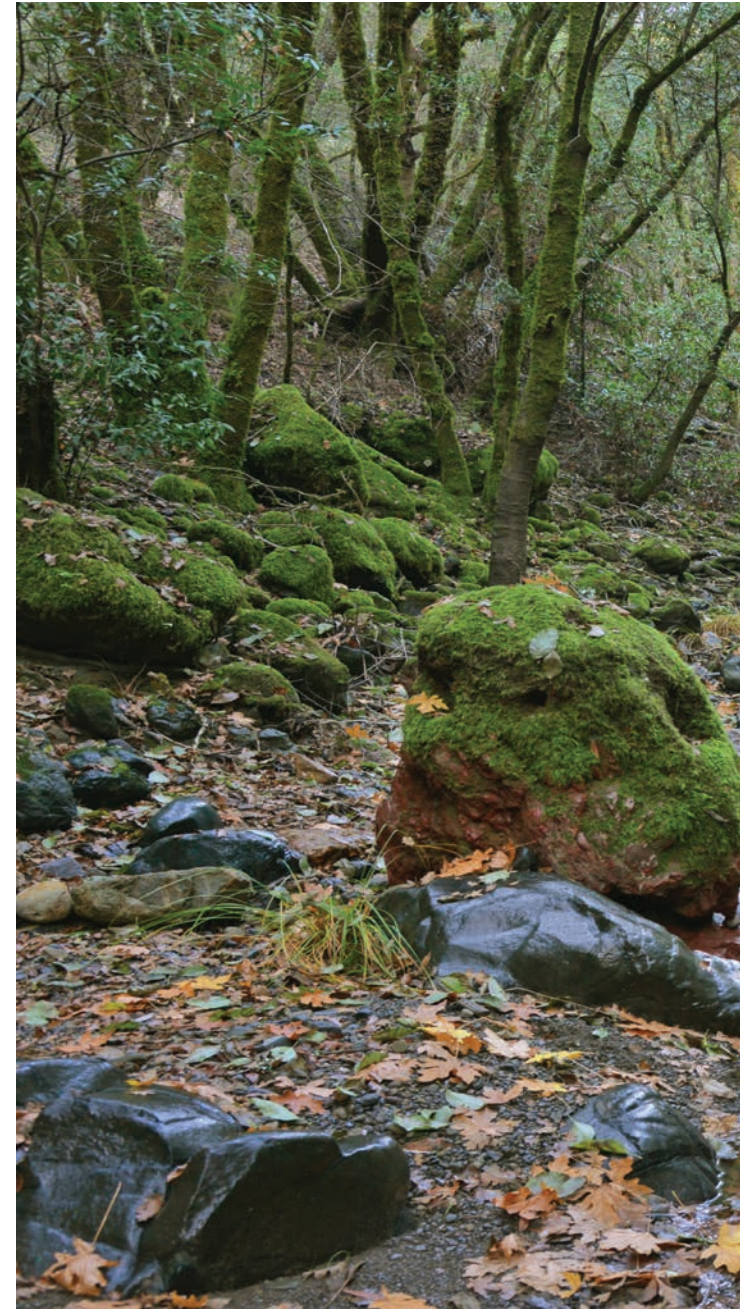
Dave Koehler, Executive Director

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Allison Sanford, Board Chair

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We are grateful to our community of supporters who made possible the accomplishments highlighted in this annual report. It has been an honor to work alongside our partners, and on behalf of our donors, to conserve more than 50,000 acres of beautiful, wild and working lands in Sonoma County. These lands are critical to our future and we are heartened to see a new generation joining longtime supporters in protecting and caring for the land. Sonoma Land Trust represents a growing community with persistence and passion. Together, we are making a sizable impact.

The Santa Rosa Creek Redwoods property was protected this year for wildlife habitat.  
Photo by Scott Hess Photography.



## POLE MOUNTAIN AND JENNER HEADLANDS ARE OPEN

Wonderful news: The Jenner Headlands and Pole Mountain Preserves opened to the public in September! Sonoma Land Trust began raising \$36 million to acquire the 5,630-acre Jenner Headlands property way back in 2005. The plan was to protect the coast, restore the old-growth redwood forests and provide new recreational opportunities — but the thought of extending those activities to the top of Pole Mountain was just a dream. Today, it's a dream realized thanks to the Land Trust's subsequent purchase of Pole Mountain in 2014. Situated between the Jenner Headlands and Sonoma Land Trust's Little Black Mountain Preserve, the acquisition of Pole Mountain connected more than 6,300 acres of open space for wildlife habitat and recreation.

Now, there's free parking, miles and miles of hiking trails, picnic tables and restrooms available via the lovely "Gateway to the Headlands" along Highway 1, which was constructed by our partner, The Wildlands Conservancy.

Don't wait — come out and explore the "Sea to Sky" Trail that starts at the Gateway, traverses the Headlands and culminates at the top of Pole Mountain for an unobstructed and unparalleled 360-degree view from its 2,204-foot-high peak. Start early, bring plenty of water and good hiking boots because this is an adventure destination — one well worth the strenuous 15-mile hike.

Sonoma Land Trust remains committed to

protecting the Sonoma Coast for future generations. We are delighted to have protected these two exceptional properties with our partners, Sonoma Ag + Open Space and The Wildlands Conservancy, and additional major funders and your support, so that all may benefit.

## PARTNERING WITH REGIONAL PARKS

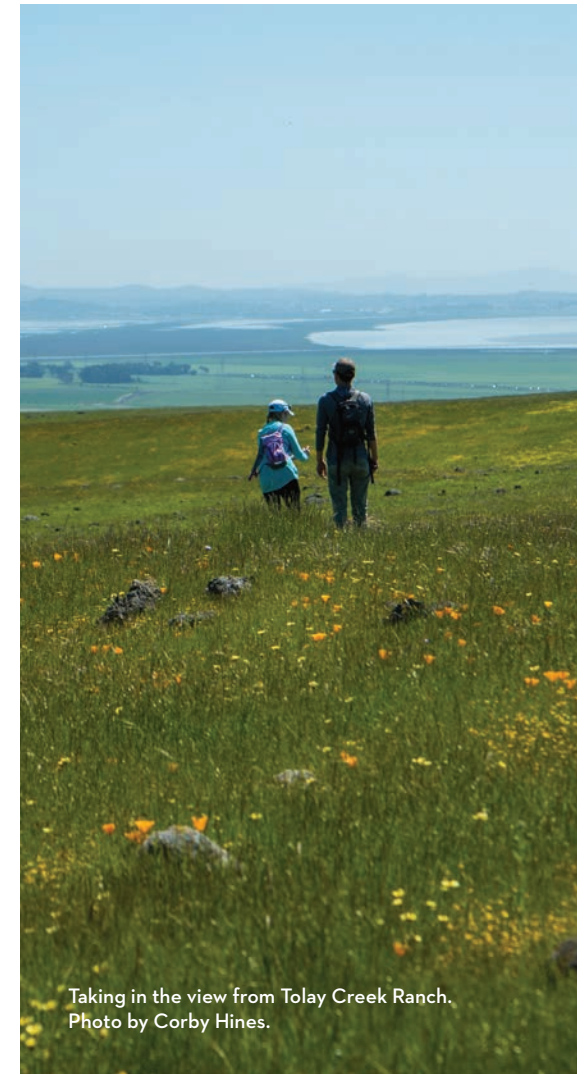
This past year, Sonoma Land Trust added 1,705 acres to the Sonoma County Regional Park system — part of our commitment to helping people connect to the land.

Just a few miles from downtown Santa Rosa is the newly protected Santa Rosa Creek Redwoods. Adding these 40 acres to Hood Mountain Regional Park and Open Space Preserve will expand protection for a major regional wildlife corridor and the last stand of redwoods in the upper Santa Rosa Creek watershed. This completely undeveloped land contains a pristine and wild stretch of Santa Rosa Creek with big boulders, mature trees and clean, cold water — ideal conditions for the spawning of threatened steelhead trout and the rearing of juvenile steelhead.

With the donation of the 1,665-acre Toley Creek Ranch to Regional Parks in 2016, Sonoma Land Trust doubled the size of Toley Lake Regional Park. Now totaling 3,434 acres, the park will open to the public in November.

Your land trust is a strong proponent of Measure M — Parks for All on the November ballot. Measure

M will help ensure that Regional Parks has the necessary funding to take on and maintain new park lands that it receives from Sonoma Land Trust and Sonoma Ag + Open Space. The passage of Measure M is essential.



Taking in the view from Toley Creek Ranch.  
Photo by Corby Hines.

## INVESTING IN THE NEXT GENERATION: BAY CAMP YEAR 2

*iNos encanta el campamento de la bahía!  
We love Bay Camp!*

Campers and staff had a blast during the second year of our bilingual Bay Camp at Sears Point. We invited low-income, Latino youth to participate in the camp with the goal of creating future conservationists from a demographic that hasn't traditionally benefited from Land Trust programs.

Fifty kids from the Sonoma Valley Springs area — 82 percent of whom received a scholarship — got to enjoy new experiences over three week-long camps in which they explored along the bay and other waterways of Sonoma County. New this year was an "Adventure Week" for youth ages 12-14, which had the kids exploring the ecology of our beautiful county by kayak and paddling as much as eight miles in one day!

A huge thanks to the grantors and donors who made this program possible.



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*We often forget  
that we are nature.”*

— ANDY GOLDSWORTHY



Bay Campers kayaking the Russian River.  
Photos by Corby Hines.



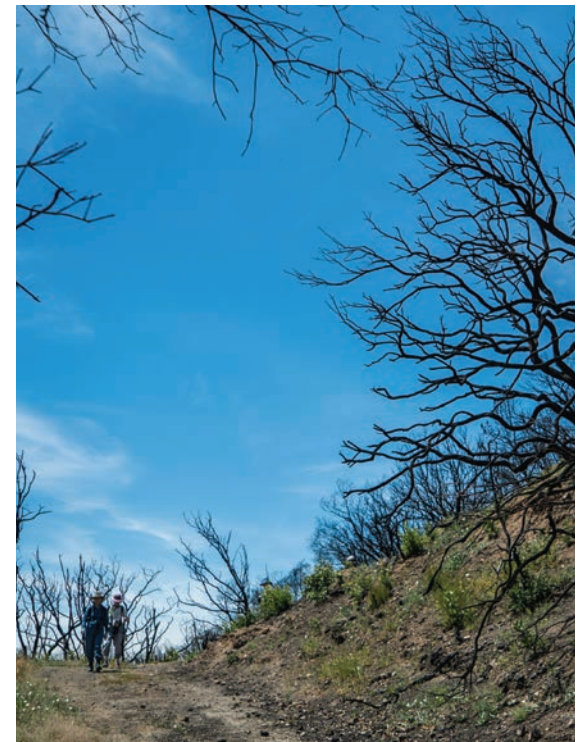
## MOVING FORWARD AFTER THE FIRES

Nature is resilient. This year, our community proved that it is resilient, too. The wildfires of October 2017 changed our community's understanding and perspective of wildfire and climate disasters. What was once abstract, watching other communities destroyed by extreme natural disasters, became reality for us last fall.

Approximately 3,000 acres of Sonoma Land Trust's preserves and conservation easement properties were burned in the wildfires, scorching the land and burning buildings, fencing and other infrastructure. As we know, but often forget, fire will always be part of our landscape. Our forests, grasslands and hillsides evolved with fire and are fire adapted. Sonoma Land Trust manages its preserves with fire in mind, but the extreme nature of last year's fires has spurred us to develop a more comprehensive approach to fire across our preserve system.

Across our preserves, we are now implementing systems to reduce the impact of future wildfires and amending individual preserve plans to include wildfire planning. We're working closely with our conservation easement landowners whose properties were affected by the wildfires to connect them with professional resources and monitor their properties for fire-related changes to the conservation values. And we are pursuing collaborative efforts with nonprofit and public agency neighbors in Sonoma Valley to reduce regional risks from wildfire and maintain the ecological integrity of the land.

While Sonoma Land Trust manages its lands with fire in mind, the October wildfires are a strong reminder to stay current with fire prevention practices and to keep working with the community and our government and nonprofit partners on fire safety issues. We know that the land and wildlife are responding well after the recent fires; with a thoughtful and carefully planned approach toward managing vegetation and fire on our natural preserves, we will contribute to a safer community and a healthy landscape.







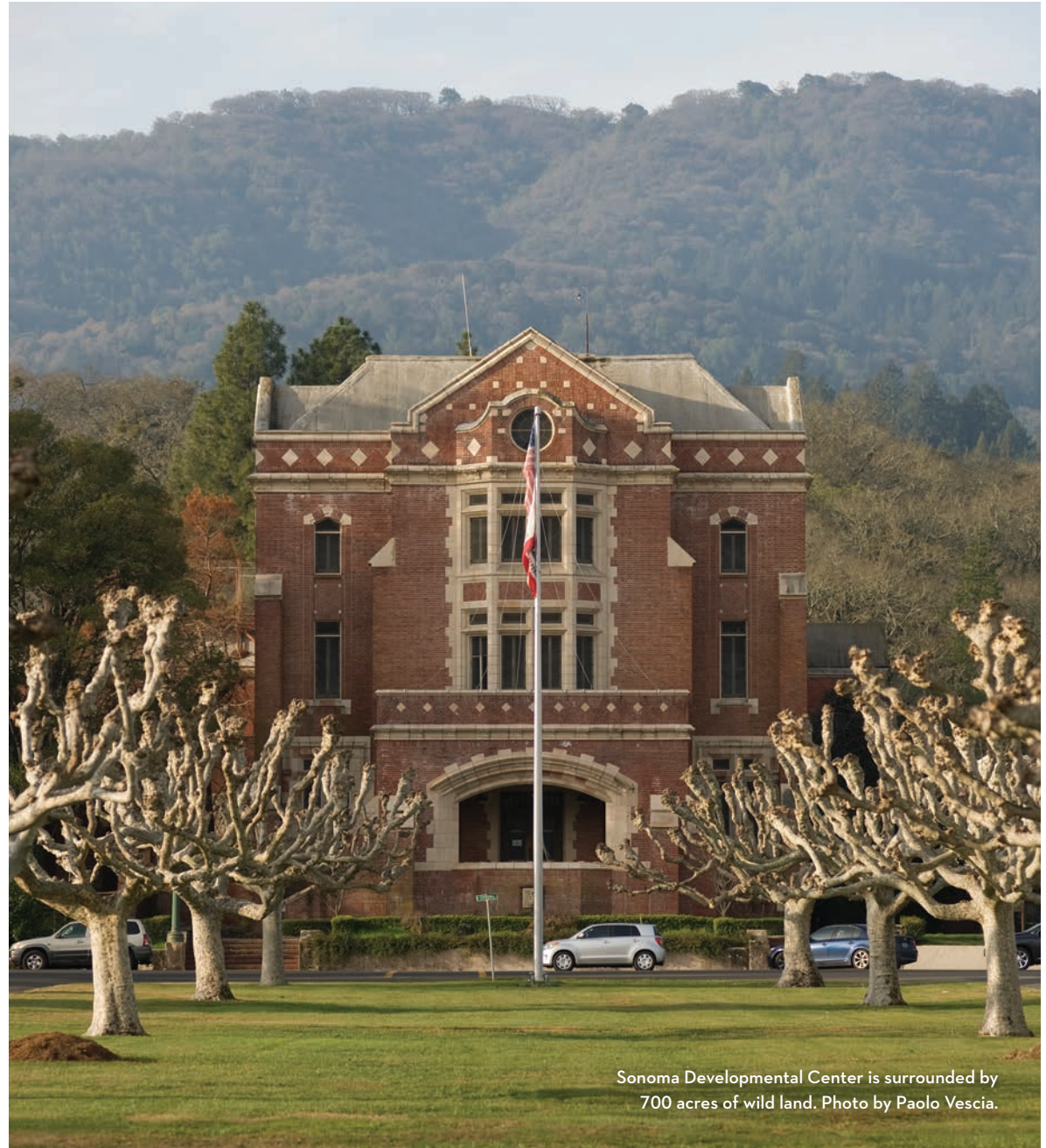
Glen Oaks Ranch in the Sonoma Valley was hard hit by the Nuns Fire last fall. Photos by Corby Hines.



## SAVING THE WILD LAND AT SDC

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This fall, the last resident of the Sonoma Developmental Center (SDC) will move off the property, signaling the end of a 127-year legacy of state-run care and housing for the developmentally disabled at this very special facility adjacent to Glen Ellen. The State of California will still own the nearly 900-acre property that housed SDC and, with no clear reuse plan in place, the Sonoma Valley community is grappling with what comes next. After five years of community organizing and consensus building, one message is clear: Permanently protecting SDC's land, water resources and diverse natural habitats is the top public concern. With a goal of raising at least \$5 million, Sonoma Land Trust is backing a "Land Protection Proposal" developed by the SDC Coalition to protect the ecologically significant wildlife corridor and natural areas of SDC for adoption by the State in 2019.



Sonoma Developmental Center is surrounded by 700 acres of wild land. Photo by Paolo Vescia.

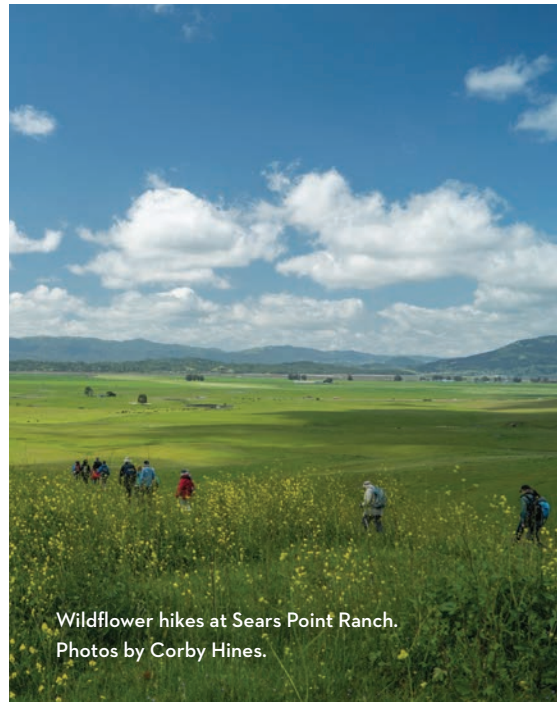


## A LEGACY OF LAND PROTECTION

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Sonoma Land Trust is working on much more than what we've been able to feature here. A dozen acquisitions are in progress, our wildlife corridor work continues to expand, we've hired a director of community programs to extend our outreach to new and underserved audiences, our On the Land staff conducted 41 outings over the past year, the communications and development departments unveiled a new look for the organization in 2017 and a brand new website is coming this fall, the new marsh at Sears Point is growing faster than anticipated, we secured a major grant to support the purchase of the Santa Rosa Southeast Greenway and the Land Trust was recognized as a Best Place to Work by the North Bay Business Journal.

Our future is not promised to us. Each generation must work to protect it. It is because of your support over many years that this important work has been possible. Thank you for joining us on this adventure.



Wildflower hikes at Sears Point Ranch.  
Photos by Corby Hines.

## LEGACY LEAGUE

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Sonoma Land Trust's Legacy League consists of supporters who love our beautiful places and are taking responsibility through their own estate plans to protect them for future generations. Last fiscal year, we received more than \$2 million dollars from the estates of people who made gifts that will help us care for the land beyond their own lifetimes. We thank the many members, volunteers and staff who have let us know about their legacy commitments, and we invite you to tell us if you have made your own legacy plans that include Sonoma Land Trust.



Questions about the Legacy League?  
Contact [Reta@sonomalandtrust.org](mailto:Reta@sonomalandtrust.org)  
or (707) 526-6930 ext. 105.



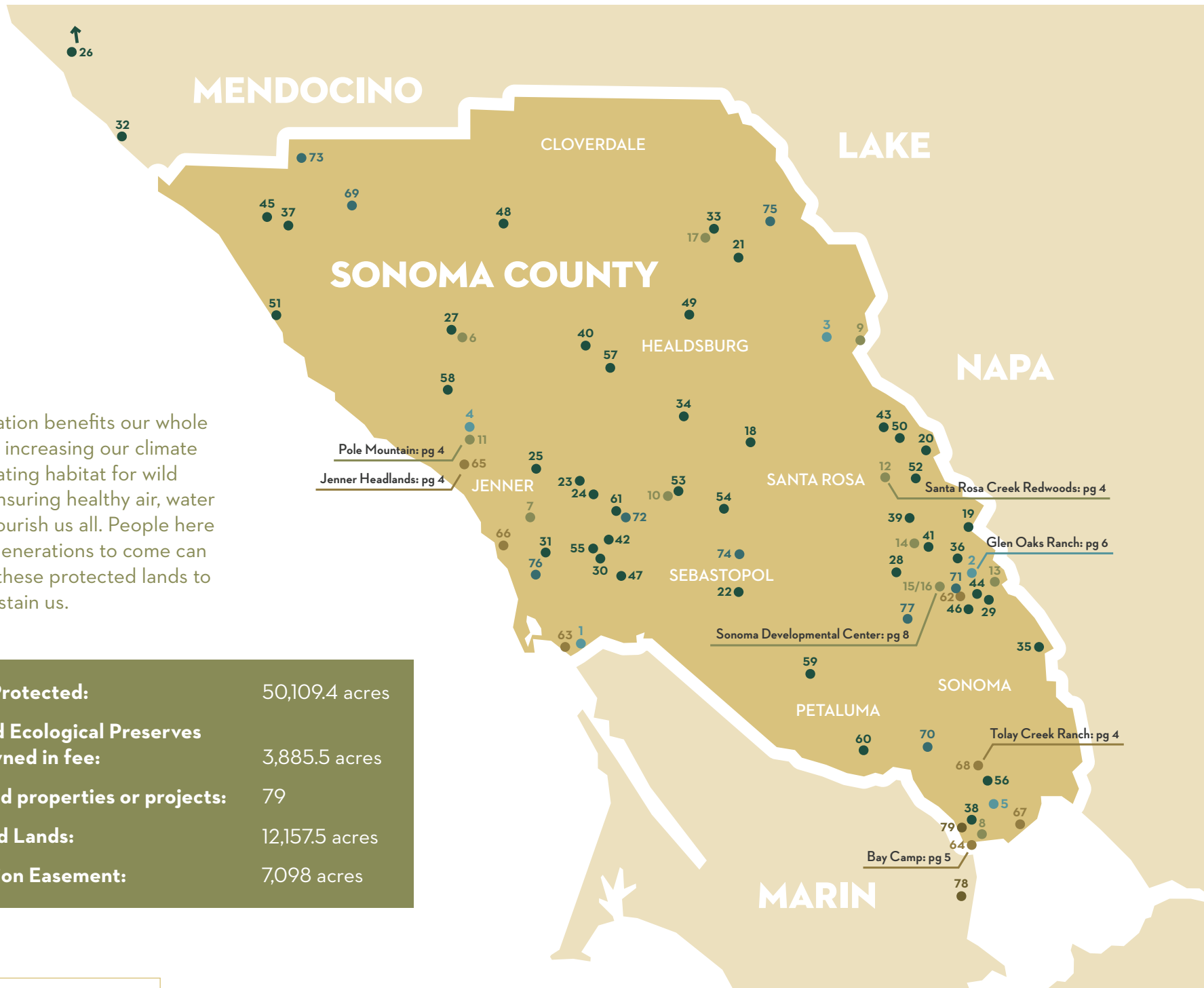






The view from the new “Gateway to the Jenner Headlands” on the September 7–9 opening weekend.  
Photo by Lance Kuehne Photography.





Land conservation benefits our whole community by increasing our climate resiliency, creating habitat for wild animals and ensuring healthy air, water and food to nourish us all. People here today and in generations to come can connect with these protected lands to inspire and sustain us.

<b>SLT Total Protected:</b>	50,109.4 acres
<b>Anchor and Ecological Preserves that are owned in fee:</b>	3,885.5 acres
<b>Total named properties or projects:</b>	79
<b>Transferred Lands:</b>	12,157.5 acres
<b>Conservation Easement:</b>	7,098 acres



ANCHOR PRESERVE	ACREAGE
1 Estero Americano	127
2 Glen Oaks Ranch	236
3 Laufenburg Ranch	179
4 Little Black Mountain	500
5 Sears Point Ranch	1,142

ECOLOGICAL PRESERVE	
6 Cedars Gateway	40
7 Freezeout Redwoods	89
8 Leonard Ranch	244
9 Live Oaks Ranch	572
10 Lower Pitkin Marsh	27
11 Pole Mountain	238
12 Santa Rosa Creek Redwoods	41
13 Secret Pasture	339
14 Sonoma Creek	2
15 Stuart Creek Hill	14
16 Stuart Creek Run	3.5
17 White Rock Preserve	92

CONSERVATION EASEMENT	
18 Airport Boulevard	50
19 Bald Mountain Ranch	420
20 Be Here	100
21 Bear Canyon	96
22 Blucher Creek	7
23 Bohemia Ecological Preserve	554
24 Bohemia Ranch	410
25 Canelis Old-Growth Redwoods	1
26 Cuffey's Cove	1,068
27 Dimbat Tree Farm	160
28 Drake Family	34
29 Elarra	60
30 Enchanted Wood	8
31 Finley Creek	240
32 Fish Rock Ranch	7
33 Gird Creek	99
34 Griffin Wildlife Sanctuary	44
35 John Holden	21
36 Knaus Forest at Nuns Canyon	36
37 Little Creek	40
38 Lower Ranch	528
39 Mason	18
40 Mill Creek Old Growth	54
41 Morgan Hill	22
42 Mother Gardens at OAEC	1.5

CONSERVATION EASEMENT, CONT	ACREAGE
43 Nefertierra	78
44 Oak Hill Farm	677
45 OGA Annapolis	73
46 Old Hill Ranch	37
47 Quail Hill	80.5
48 Rancheria Creek Recesses	602
49 River Bend	32
50 Rock Fall Woods	31
51 Rocky Point	255
52 Santa Rosa Creek Headwaters	162
53 Sassini	6
54 Summerfield Waldorf School	32
55 Sunrise Redwoods	20
56 Tolay Creek Riparian	36
57 Van Winkle Redwoods	46
58 Ward Creek	240
59 Watson Ranch	530
60 Westridge Knolls	74
61 Wild Turkey Hill	8

TRANSFER	
62 Curreri	29
63 Estero Ranch	547
64 Halperin Baylands	11
65 Jenner Headlands Preserve	5,630
66 Red Hill	910
67 San Pablo Bay National Wildlife Refuge	3,365.5
68 Tolay Creek Ranch	1,665

TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE ACQUISITION	
69 Buckeye Forest	19,645
70 Cloudy Bend	388
71 Happ-Moses	0.4
72 Harrison Grade Serpentine	32
73 Howlett Ranch	1,380
74 Laguna de Santa Rosa	535
75 McCord Ranch	2,786
76 Rigler Preserve	370
77 Sonoma Mountain Ranch	283

TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE STEWARDSHIP	
78 Bel Marin Keys	1,500
79 Petaluma River Marsh	49

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*One way to open your eyes to unnoticed beauty is to ask yourself, ‘What if I had never seen this before? What if I knew I would never see it again?’”*

— RACHEL CARSON





Our supporters climb to the top of Pole Mountain.  
Photo by Corby Hines.



# THE SUMMIT LEADERSHIP CIRCLE

With a shared commitment to preserving the beautiful, wild and working landscapes of Sonoma County, Sonoma Land Trust celebrates those who contribute \$10,000 or more on an annual basis. The leadership and generosity of the following group is vital to the organization and our ability to protect the land of this county forever. We are deeply appreciative of these donors and for their gifts and grants made from April 1, 2017 through March 31, 2018.

An \* signifies enrollment in the recurring monthly, quarterly or annual giving program.

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*The world laughs  
in flowers.”*

— HENRY DAVID THOREAU

Wildflowers on Cougar Mountain.  
Photo by Corby Hines.



# THE EVERGREEN CIRCLE

The following generous supporters are recognized for their dedication and loyal support, made from April 1, 2017 through March 31, 2018, which is significantly helping Sonoma Land Trust achieve its mission.

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# LEAVING A LEGACY

For their foresight and generosity, we recognize the following individuals and families for making Sonoma Land Trust part of their estate plans.

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Donald Bradley  
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*Although it was more than 15 years ago, Linda Lea still remembers the tears rolling down Simon Murunda's face as he gazed up enraptured by the redwoods on Sonoma Mountain Road. The visiting school director from the savannah of Tanzania was astonished that such trees not only existed, but were "free" in this place.*

*Linda, a member of the Land Trust's Legacy League, knew Simon from her work with Global Partners for Development, an NGO within which she started a scholarship fund for East African girls. Having inexplicably yearned to visit Africa since growing up in Illinois, Linda realized that dream and became an effective advocate for young women in Uganda, Tanzania and Kenya, about 1,200 of whom have benefitted from her scholarship fund.*

*Having taught teacher education and traveled the globe for decades, Linda understands how important it is to be grounded in an extraordinary place like this one she loves so much. Her planned gift continues her commitment beyond her own lifetime, helping ensure quality of life here for her daughter and granddaughter.*



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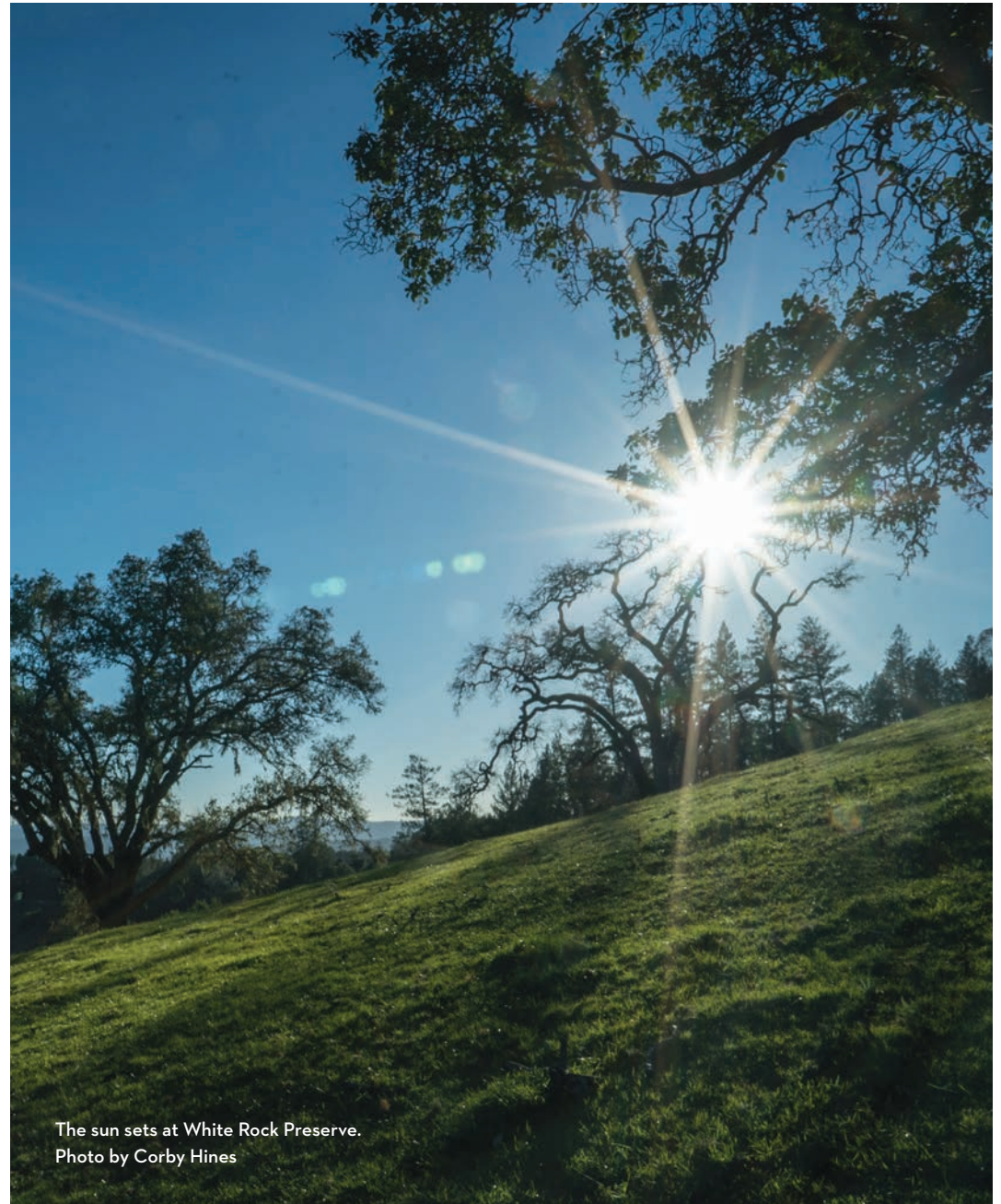
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*When one tugs at a single thing in nature, one finds it attached to the rest of the world.”*

— JOHN MUIR



## STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AT MARCH 31, 2018

The amounts presented here are derived from the Sonoma Land Trust's financial statements for the year ending March 31, 2018. A copy of the audited report of the financial statement is available upon request.

### ASSETS FYE 3/31/18 (audited)

Cash and cash equivalents	\$12,140,141
Investments	4,507,470
Contracts and other receivables	1,271,592
Contributions receivable	315,373
Deposits and other assets	207,943
Conservation lands and easements	21,286,047
Property and equipment (net)	457,217
Property subject to life estate	1,031,681
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$41,217,464</b>

### LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS FYE 3/31/18 (audited)

<b>Liabilities</b>	
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$981,479
Deferred revenue	1,942,587
Notes payable	19,953
Conditional grants & refundable advances	1,089,953
Use obligation-life estate	590,157
Security deposits	6,750
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>\$4,630,879</b>

<b>Net Assets</b>	
Unrestricted	
Available for operations	\$5,594,207
Board designated — conservation projects	3,159,984
Investment in conservation lands	21,286,047
Total unrestricted net assets	30,040,238
Temporarily restricted net assets	6,536,347
Permanently restricted net assets	10,000
<b>Total Net Assets</b>	<b>\$36,586,585</b>
<b>Total Liabilities and Net Assets</b>	<b>\$41,217,464</b>



## STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR ENDED MARCH 31, 2018

REVENUE AND SUPPORT	FYE 3/31/18	EXPENSES	FYE 3/31/18
Contributions and grants	\$5,164,889	Projects and stewardship	\$3,465,971
In-kind contributions	69,558	Governance and administrative	1,501,765
Project revenue & fees	237,188	Fundraising	903,738
Rental income	276,129	<b>Total Functional Expenses</b>	<b>\$5,871,474</b>
Investment income	461,097	Change in net assets from operations	\$371,797
Other income	34,412	Other income and expense	187,878
<b>Total Revenue and Support</b>	<b>\$6,243,273</b>	Grants to others	\$(1,330,000)
		<b>Change in Net Assets</b>	<b>\$(770,325)</b>

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Sonoma Land Trust protects scenic, natural, agricultural and open landscapes for the benefit of the community and future generations by:

- Developing long-term land protection strategies
- Promoting private and public funding for land and conservation
- Acquiring land and conservation easements
- Practicing stewardship, including the restoration of conservation properties
- Promoting a sense of place and a land ethic through activities, education and outreach







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