

GREAT SHASTA



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*Developing
80 Miles of Public
Recreation Trail
between
McCloud and Burney*

September 26, 2017

Dear Interested Individuals, Organizations, and Agencies:

The Great Shasta Rail Trail Association (GSRTA) is partnering with the USDA Forest Service, Lassen National Forest, to complete the environmental analysis to restore two former railroad bridges along the Great Shasta Rail Trail, located at Lake Britton, California. This project is within the Hat Creek Ranger District.

During the restoration process, the GSRTA has requested the use of two small areas adjacent to the bridges on national forest land to stage equipment and materials. As a Forest Service partner, the GSRTA will assist the Hat Creek Ranger District with all public engagement activities, completing resource surveys and assessments, and preparing the environmental analysis. As the deciding officer, the District Ranger will review all public scoping comments, the environmental analysis, and findings of significance. A letter to the file authorizing this project may be prepared.

The District Ranger's scoping letter, project description, and Proposed Action are attached. Please send your electronic comments to Elizabeth Norton **by October 31, 2017** (not September 22) to be considered in the NEPA process. Her contact information is below.

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Thank you for your interest in this project.

Sincerely,

April Gray
President

Enclosure: Lake Britton Bridges Project Description and Proposed Action
cc: Jerry Harmon, GSRTA