

Appendix 1 – Kennedy Meadows Mail Form Letter

The following document is a blank copy of the Kennedy Meadows form letter that was sent by mail.

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Kennedy Meadows

Dear Customers and Friends,

The future of Kennedy Meadows is in question. We are located on property owned and leased to us by Pacific Gas and Electric (PG&E). As a result of the bankruptcy settlement agreement for PG&E, the courts ordered that PG&E form a council to decide the fate of all of their properties. The council is made up of miscellaneous government agencies and organizations. The settlement agreement basically directs PG&E to donate the property to a government agency (i.e. the U.S. Forest Service), a non-profit organization, or if they maintain ownership, to place a conservation easement on the property. Kennedy Meadows is concerned that if a government agency acquires the land they would impose many restrictions and changes that would negatively impact the traditional activities we enjoy at Kennedys. Kennedy Meadows has prided itself in doing an excellent job of caring for the property and providing a recreational experience that many people come back for year after year. We are urging the stewardship council and PG&E to find a way to allow PG&E to keep the property and find a good conservation easement that would protect the traditions and historical uses, as well as protect the land. Kennedy Meadows hopes to continue to provide the traditional recreational experience it has since 1917 and remain a property PG&E can be proud of.

The Tuolumne County Resource Conservation District's mission is to promote voluntary conservation of the resources of Tuolumne County for the benefits of its landowners, citizens, its environment, and economy, through participation in conservation programs by landowners and other citizens. The T.C.R.C.D. has voted to become a potential donee for the property at Kennedy Meadows. The T.C.R.C.D. would be an excellent choice as a manager of a conservation easement, and has the full support of Kennedy Meadows, its customers, and Tuolumne County. We urge the council to consider the options and concerns in this letter from the people who care the most about Kennedy Meadows and its future.

The Stewardship Council is looking for public input and it is vital that the supporters of Kennedys send their comments and concerns to the council. For more information you may visit (www.stewardshipcouncil.org), or send your comments to 303 Vintage Park Drive, Suite 150, Foster City, CA, 94404 -Telephone (650)286-5150 or (866)791-5150.

Thank you for your support.

Sincerely,

Matt Bloom, Kennedy Meadows (209-965-3900)

Comments: _____

Name: _____ Email: _____

Address: _____ Number of years visiting Kennedys: _____

Please fill out completely, fold with The Stewardship Council address out, stamp, and mail.
Thank You for your support.

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