Due to new information and project needs, the Resolution and Findings Section contained in the May 5, 2022 Staff Recommendation for the Great Redwood Trail is replaced with the following:

RESOLUTION AND FINDINGS

Staff recommends that the State Coastal Conservancy adopt the following resolution and findings.

Resolution:

The State Coastal Conservancy hereby authorizes the Executive Officer to enter into a Joint Powers Agreement with the Great Redwood Trail Agency for the purposes of developing a master plan and community engagement program for the Great Redwood Trail, providing interim staffing services to the Great Redwood Trail Agency, and providing technical assistance to advance the Great Redwood Trail. The Conservancy further authorizes the disbursement of up to three million five hundred thousand dollars ($3,500,000) for engineering and environmental services, planning and design, public outreach, organizational development, advancement of the railbanking process, and interim staffing and other services as may be required related to the Great Redwood Trail.

Findings:

Based on the accompanying staff recommendation and attached exhibits, the State Coastal Conservancy hereby finds that:

1. The proposed authorization is consistent with Chapter 9 of Division 21 of the Public Resources Code, regarding public access.
2. The proposed project is consistent with the current Conservancy Project Selection Criteria.