



# Lassen County

## Legislation Text

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### **PLANNING AND BUILDING SERVICES - FREITAS FAMILY TRUST**

**SUBJECT:** Rezone lands within Lassen County owned by the Freitas Family Trust into an Agricultural Preserve Combining District (A-P) and allow these lands to be entered into a new Land Conservation (Williamson Act) contract. If approved, the rezone and contract will affect five assessor's parcels and approximately 796 acres of non-contiguous land. The project is exempt from CEQA under Section 15317 (class 17) of the Guidelines. (File RZ #2017-004 and AA #2017-003).

**FISCAL IMPACT:** Potential for loss of tax revenue if Williamson Act Contract offered.

**ACTION REQUESTED:** 1) Receive the Planning Commission's recommendation on rezoning; and 2) Conduct a public hearing pursuant to County Code Section 18.124.050 (Procedures for Precise Zoning and Amendments); and 3) Introduce (and waive reading) and adopt an Ordinance implementing the rezone of the 796 acres of property from U-C-2 to U-C-2-A-P; and 4) receive and consider the Land Conservation Committee recommendation on the establishment of an agricultural preserve; and 5) adopt resolution establishing an agricultural preserve and authorize the execution of a Williamson Act Contract; or 6) alternatively, the Board could determine that the lands are not suitable for the purpose of establishing a Williamson Act Contract and deny the applications.