

Supervisor

Dear Supervisor ,

The Tamalpais Conservation Club is a 105 year old organization founded by William Kent and others, which has been continuously contributing to the preservation of the natural environment of Mount Tamalpais and its surrounding lands for that century.

We would like to commend and encourage the County to proceed with the purchase of the San Geronimo Valley Golf course. This is a rare opportunity to preserve part of one of the loveliest valleys in California. The purchase price is a bargain, for an acquisition which will be a great asset for centuries to come.

It is particularly important to preserve a healthy environment for the creek, which is one of the only remaining streams in California with annual salmon migrations. Native riparian vegetation will enhance its scenic and functional value.

The rest of the property serves as a natural fire break in the heavily forested valley, and should remain open as a natural area to be enjoyed by all.

We thank you for your efforts, and they are greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

Janice D Barry, MD
President,
Tamalpais Conservation Club