MARIPOSA COUNTY RESOLUTION NO. 89-146

A RESOLUTION OF SUPPORT FOR AB 284 (HANNIGAN) CONCERNING STATE SUBVENTIONS FOR WILLIAMSON ACT CONTRACTS

WHEREAS, Mariposa County has determined to participate under the Williamson Act in contracts between property owners and the County to preserve open space and support agriculture; and

WHEREAS, the State funding of Williamson Act contracts has been frozen since 1976, thereby reducing County income as a result of the inadequate State reimbursement; and

WHEREAS, Assemblyman Thomas Hannigan has introduced AB 284 to increase the subvention from the State to the County under the Williamson Act to match the rate of inflation since 1976.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mariposa County Board of Supervisors supports AB 284 (Hannigan) and urges the Legislature to adopt such legislation to enable counties to maintain contracts pursuant to the Williamson Act.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors is directed to distribute this resolution as a means of notifying the Assembly Ways and Means Committee and the Legislative delegation representing Mariposa County of the County's interest and support of AB 284 (Hannigan).

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Mariposa County Board of Supervisors, a political subdivision of the State of California, this 4th day of April, 1989, by the following vote:

AYES: BAGGETT, PUNTE, ERICKSON, RADANOVICH, TABER
NOES: NONE
ABSENT: NONE
ABSTAINED: NONE

GERTRUDE R. TABER, Chairman
Mariposa County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

MARGIE WILLIAMS, Clerk of the Board

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

JEFFREY C. GREEN, County Counsel