

Oregon State Legislature House Committee on Rules January 27, 2023

RE: Support of HCR 12 - In Memoriam: Frank Moore

Representative Helm, Chair Fahey and Members of the House Committee on Rules;

Native Fish Society overwhelmingly supports House Concurrent Resolution 12, honoring the late Frank Moore for his outstanding contributions to society and conservation throughout the Pacific Northwest.

Frank Moore was a lifetime member of the Native Fish Society. As explained in the declaration, Frank was a committed conservationist in the North Umpqua basin. The documentary film "Pass Creek" aided in reforming forest practices throughout the Pacific Northwest, benefiting many diverse ecosystems. His dedication to protecting and restoring wild fish set a precedent for current and future generations. Frank Moore's unparalleled determination to protect the environment will forever be remembered through the monumental legislation of the Frank and Jeanne Moore Wild Steelhead Sanctuary. His work and advocacy in conservation have made impacts far beyond Oregon and the Pacific Northwest.

It is with honor that the Native Fish Society supports this resolution and will continue to work on carrying on its conservation legacy to restore wild fish in the Pacific Northwest.

Sincerely,

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