

SavertherRedwoods League

Annual Report 2002

Dear Friends and Supporters,

Our 2001–2002 fiscal year was an exciting period in the League's 84-year history. During the year, the League secured the protection of 2,100 acres, valued at more than \$11 million.

We were pleased when we were able to complete the purchase of the 1,540acre Dillonwood Giant Sequoia Grove, which was added to Sequoia National Park. The overwhelming response of more than eleven thousand individual private donors from all fifty states helped us secure significant additional funding from the League's public and private agency partners for the Dillonwood acquisition. Member contributions are pivotal to the success of the League's work. We deeply appreciate the support of our members.

Among the smaller acquisitions completed during the year were a magnificent stand of old growth redwoods added to Humboldt Redwoods State Park; a redwood forested, fern-cloaked stream extending watershed protection for the redwoods of Jug Handle State Park; and several "stepping stone" acquisitions of wildlife habitat in the Corridor from the Redwoods to the Sea.

A major staff effort during the year was securing \$60 million for the purchase of the 25,000-acre Mill Creek redwood forests, the largest single acquisition project in terms of cost and acreage in the League's history. With support of key fisheries groups and our members, the League has successfully advocated for significant public funding for this project.

The League's education and research programs grew during the year. Our grants funded educational opportunities for more than 12,000 students, kindling passion for the redwoods to secure a future for today's conservation work. Four research grants funded scientific work on the role of isolated surviving ancient redwoods and on the wildlife that depend on the redwood forest.

In spite of the recent economic downturn, the League continues to enjoy a strong financial position. During this fiscal year, the League's net assets increased from \$62.0 to \$65.3 million. Since the end of the fiscal year, however, the purchase of the Mill Creek forest significantly reduced these assets. Success in small and large-scale acquisitions requires significant financial reserves created by member commitment to the League's mission. Gifts from more than six thousand new members combined with contributions from our loyal members and foundation, corporate, and public agency partners demonstrate the importance of the League's work.

We could not continue to protect redwood forestlands without your support. Thank you!

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President

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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION March 31, 2002

Assets

Cash and cash equivalents	
Accounts receivable	
Contributions receivable	2,438,276
Investments	
Notes receivable	
Real estate held	
Contributions receivable from irrevocable trusts	
Office equipment, net	
Deposits on land purchase	
Other assets	
Endowment cash	
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Total	assets	65	,854	,48	34
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LIABILITIES

Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	
Notes payable	
Liability to beneficiaries	
Total liabilities	and the second sec

NET ASSETS

Unrestricted	
Temporarily restricted	
Permanently restricted	
Total net assets	

Total	liabilities and	net assets	5,854,484
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STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES AND CHANGES IN NET ASSETS For the Year Ended March 31, 2002

REVENUE AND PUBLIC SUPPORT

Contributions:	1. 2. 2.
Donations	1,573,967
Grove donations	
General land	9,447,123
Reforestation and other contributions	
Change in value of irrevocable trusts	
Income from investments	1,184,441
Grants from state and federal agencies	
Other (loss) income	
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Expenses

Progr

ram services:	
Land deeded to United States of America	5,450,000
Redwood land program support	1,305,804
Contributions made-cooperative preservation funded	1,500,448
Redwood reforestation grants	
Other grants	
Research grants	
Total program services	
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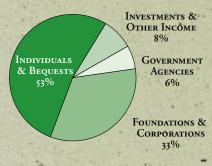
Support services:

General and administrative Fund-raising Total support services

Total expenses.....

Increase in Net Assets

Revenues by Source

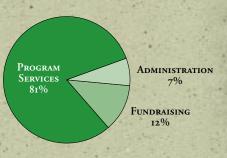


2002 financial statements, audited by Burr, Pilger & Mayer LLP, independent auditors. The condensed financial information should be read in conjunction with the 2002 audited financial statements and related notes. Contact the League's office for copies of the complete audited statements.

The financial information as of and for the year ended March 31, 2002 has been derived from the League's

Total revenue and public support<u>13,697,745</u>

 <u>1,256,270</u>
 <u>1,979,397</u>
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Uses of Funds

Redwood Beadership Society

The Redwood Leadership Society is Save-the-Redwoods League's premiere circle of individual donors, providing the financial foundation for the League's vital efforts to protect and preserve the remaining ancient redwood forest.

Our deepest thanks for your passion and commitment. Your dedication to preserving redwood forests is invaluable.

2001 Redwood Leadership Society donors have given a total of \$1,000 or more to League programs in the year 2001. If your name does not appear on this list, we may not have a permission form on file for you. We will not publish any donor's name without permission. If you would like your name included in future publications, please contact the League's office.

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