

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

FEDERATED INDIANS OF GRATON
RANCHERIA,

Plaintiff,

v.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF
THE INTERIOR, et al.,

Defendants.

Case No. 24-cv-08582-RFL

**ORDER ADOPTING PLAINTIFF'S
PROPOSED FINAL JUDGMENT**

Re: Dkt. Nos. 150, 152


In an order dated September 2, 2025, the Court denied Intervenor Koi Nation’s motion to stay further proceedings in this case, granted summary judgment in favor of the Federated Indians of Graton Rancheria (‘FIGR’) on three of its claims, and granted summary judgment in favor of the Federal Defendants on all remaining claims. (Dkt. No. 147 at 26.) The Court also ordered the parties to jointly propose a form of final judgment reflecting its order by no later than September 16, 2025. (*Id.*) The parties have now informed the Court that they were unable to reach agreement on a proposed final judgment and therefore each submitted their own proposed final judgment. (Dkt. Nos. 150, 152.)

The Court adopts FIGR’s proposed final judgment. FIGR’s operative complaint and summary judgment reply both sought reversal of the land-into-trust transaction. (*See* Case No. 3:25-cv-01640-RFL, Dkt. No. 1 at 43–44; Dkt. No. 124 at 10 (requesting that the Court “reverse” the land-into-trust transaction).) FIGR provided argument and evidence regarding its irreparable

injury from the land-into-trust transaction, as well as the balance of equities. (*See, e.g.*, Dkt. No. 98 at 15–16.) Defendants lodged no contrary evidence or argument. Accordingly, FIGR has met its burden for the requested injunctive relief reversing the land-into-trust transaction.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: September 22, 2025



RITA F. LIN
United States District Judge