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**MENDOCINO COAST'S ELK COVE INN CHOSEN ONE OF AMERICA'S
BEST BED & BREAKFAST INNS,
RECEIVES ACCOLADES IN NEW YORK TIMES**

MENDOCINO, Calif., January 28 , 2003 – The Elk Cove Inn has received high praise from the readers of Arrington's Bed & Breakfast Journal, who ranked it one of America's best bed and breakfasts, and from a New York Times writer, who trumpeted the Inn as the perfect place for a Pacific Coast sunset.

The Elk Cove Inn was voted by inn-goers as one of America's "Best Inn or Bed & Breakfast in the U.S.A." according to Arrington's Bed & Breakfast Journal's 2003 Book of Lists. Available at magazine racks nationwide, the book ranked the Elk Cove Inn among one of 15 in the category.

"We are thrilled to have been given the designation as one of America's top bed & breakfast inns," said Elk Cove Innkeeper/Owner David Lieberman. "This honor is especially rewarding because it comes from votes by actual inn visitors."

In addition, New York Times writer, R.W. Apple Jr., recently stayed at the Elk Cove Inn making it his headquarters to explore Mendocino's Anderson Valley for a story in the paper's food section which appeared January 8, 2003. Here is his description:

"The Pacific was foaming and churning when we approached the Elk Cove Inn, our local headquarters, in the waterside hamlet of Elk. As the sky spun through its kaleidoscopic changes, from gold to pink to lavender, fearsome waves crashed into offshore rocks that looked to us like Monet haystacks that had drifted out to sea. "Perfection," said Mrs. A, who can never resist a good sunset."

In February, the Elk Cove Inn Spa will open offering a full range of therapeutic body treatment services to day visitors and overnight guests.

Perched on a cliff above a mile-long stretch of unspoiled beach and tucked away in the tiny hamlet of Elk, 150 miles north of San Francisco, minutes from the village of Mendocino, the Elk Cove Inn has 15 luxurious accommodations featuring ocean or cypress forest views, private baths, fireplaces, and down comforters and featherbeds. Guests enjoy full buffet breakfasts and afternoon

hor d'ouvres served in the oceanfront dining room, cocktails in the bar, and an outdoor hot tub.

For Elk Cove Inn reservations, call 800/275-2967 or visit online at www.elkcoveinn.com.

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