



**TEXAS ALCOHOLIC  
BEVERAGE COMMISSION**

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**CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL OF LABELS FOR  
WINE**

**Date: January 02, 2018**

**Label Certificate Number: 1003202**

**Pursuant to the application of : RIDGE VINEYARDS/ LYTTON SPRINGS WINERY  
Holder of permit/license number : S143929**

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**Brand : RIDGE  
Fanciful Name : ESTATE  
Vineyard : MONTE BELLO VINEYARD  
Class : CHARDONNAY  
Vintage : 2016  
Appellation : SANTA CRUZ MOUNTAINS  
Size(s) : 50ML-58L  
Stated Alc. Content : 14.3% ALC/VOL  
Tested Alc. Content : N/A  
TTB Number : 17240001000147**

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**are hereby approved with the same conditions and restrictions as the Federal Certificate of Label Approval (COLA) issued by the Department of Treasury (TTB). If label changes require a new Federal COLA(s) to be obtained, new Texas label approval will also be required.**

**This certificate shall not operate to relieve any person from liability for any violation of the Federal Alcohol Administration Act, the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Code, or any Rules and Regulations thereunder, resulting from the failure of any container bearing the labels herein approved, or the contents of such container, to conform to the statements and representations made on such labels.**

**APPROVAL OF THIS LABEL DOES NOT SIGNIFY COMPLIANCE WITH TABC'S CODES AND RULES.**

**Label Approval Section**

**Tax Division**

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## RIDGE 2016 CHARDONNAY ESTATE

MONTE BELLO ESTATE VINEYARD 100% CHARDONNAY  
SANTA CRUZ MOUNTAINS 14.3% ALCOHOL BY VOLUME  
GROWN, PRODUCED & BOTTLED BY RIDGE VINEYARDS BW 4488  
18100 MONTE BELLO ROAD, CUPERTINO, CALIFORNIA 95014

GOVERNMENT WARNING: (1) ACCORDING TO THE SURGEON  
GENERAL, WOMEN SHOULD NOT DRINK ALCOHOLIC  
BEVERAGES DURING PREGNANCY BECAUSE OF THE RISK OF  
BIRTH DEFECTS. (2) CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOLIC  
BEVERAGES IMPAIRS YOUR ABILITY TO DRIVE A CAR OR  
OPERATE MACHINERY, AND MAY CAUSE HEALTH PROBLEMS.  
RIDGE is a registered trademark of Ridge Vineyards



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### 2016 Estate Chardonnay, bottled 12/17

Winter was long and cold. For a second year, crop size was reduced by spring rain at bloom. Cool weather in August slowed ripening and pushed harvest out to mid-September. Barrel fermented, the wines remained on gross lees for ten months through the end of malolactic. Once assembled, it spent another four months in the cellar to fully clarify. Showing intense mountain fruit and elegance, it is enjoyable now. EB (8/17)

Ingredients: Hand-harvested, sustainably grown grapes; indigenous yeasts; naturally occurring malolactic bacteria; oak from barrel aging; minimum effective SO<sub>2</sub>. EB (8/17)

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