



# POWERS

2014

## Reserve Cabernet Sauvignon

Kiona Vineyards

### TASTING NOTES

Diverse layered aromatics of black cherry, anise, and leather with a hint of eucalyptus on the nose lead into dense flavors of black currant, Bing cherry and sage that linger on this complex palate. With firm dusty tannins that are balanced by a nice touch of oak, acidity, and spice on the finish, this is a very opulent and structured Cabernet Sauvignon that will age nicely for years to come.

### BLEND/VINEYARD INFO

100% Cabernet Sauvignon

62% North Block Vineyard Cabernet Sauvignon, Red Mountain

38% Heart of the Hillside Block 8 Cabernet Sauvignon, Red Mountain

### WINEMAKER'S NOTES

We are very excited about our third release of the Kiona Vineyards Cabernet Sauvignon. The blend is made up of two different blocks of the vineyard site. 62% of the blend is from North Block, which are the some of the oldest plantings on Red Mountain. 38% is from Heart of the Hillside Vineyard Block 8, which is located at a higher elevation on the Red Mountain bench, with younger vines. Each block of the vineyard site provided us with distinctive aromas, tannins, and flavors and we are really pleased with complexity of the final blend. We harvested both blocks in late September and used the pump-under fermentation method with PDM yeast. 100% Malolactic Fermentation was completed in 59-gallon French Oak barrels. The wine aged for 37 months in 54% new French Oak barrels, 20% in 3<sup>rd</sup> use barrels, and the final 26% in neutral French Oak.

### TECHNICAL DATA

**Release Date: Feb 16, 2018**

**Residual Sugar: Dry**

**pH 3.80**

**Alcohol: 14%**

**Acidity: 0.65**

**Cases: 759**



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