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Office Of The Sheriff-Coroner

August 19, 2022

John Haschak
3rd District Supervisor - Mendocino County
501 Low Gap Road, Room 1010
Ukiah, CA 95482

RE: TEMPORARY CLOSURE OF DOGWOOD TERRACE COUNTY ROAD (CR) 461A & DOGWOOD LANE CR 461B TO PREVENT SERIOUS AND ONGOING CRIMINAL ACTIVITY

Dear Supervisor Haschak:

The Mendocino County Sheriff's Office supports the temporary closure of Dogwood Terrace & Dogwood Lane to prevent serious and ongoing criminal activity in the form of serious and continual illegal dumping as defined in California Vehicle Code: §21101.4(a)(1)(B).

Because vehicle traffic contributes to that criminal activity, the County Sheriff's Department and California Highway Patrol and Brooktrails Township Fire Department also recommend closure of Dogwood Terrace & Dogwood Lane.

The Mendocino County Department of Transportation staff determined that Dogwood Terrace & Dogwood Lane has not been designated as a through highway or arterial street; the closure will not impact traffic flow on the adjacent streets. There are no municipal or public utility service lines on those streets.

We request that you place this on an upcoming agenda for the Mendocino County Board of Supervisors as soon as possible. One or more representative of the Sheriff's Office will be happy to attend to present this request and answer questions if requested. We recommend this temporary closure to be for a maximum 18 months (before another Public Hearing) and concur that blocking traffic with K-rails and or boulders is appropriate given the length of time.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Matthew C. Kendall".

Sheriff Matthew C. Kendall
Mendocino County Sheriff Office
Inland, Central Operations