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.Gov Domain Registration
c/o Verisign, Inc.
12061 Bluemont Way
Reston, Virginia 20190

To the .gov Program:

As 5th District Supervisor and Chair for the Mendocino County Board of Supervisors, I request that responsibility for the domain name [MendocinoCounty.gov] be delegated to my municipality.

This Domain is intended for the identification of Mendocino County web resources, including our primary public Website, as an official Government domain.

Mendocino County is requesting an exception to the requirement which states the need to include a reference to the State (in this case California, or CA) on the basis of exception item #1. Exception 1 states the following,

"1. Unique: City and county names that are not duplicative of any other city, county, parish, town, borough, village, or equivalent elsewhere in the country at the time of issuance can be registered without needing a reference to the origin."

Mendocino County is not duplicative with any of the listed locales in the Country. Mendocino is a town within Mendocino County, but the addition of 'County' will provide the needed clarification for interested parties looking to differentiate between the two.

The request to omit the reference to the State is to maintain consistency with existing domain formatting, while providing clarity and recognition for our Public when navigating and identifying web resources for Mendocino County.

In order to obtain and maintain [MendocinoCounty.gov] Mendocino County will meet the general and specific requirements for federal agencies, found at <https://home.dotgov.gov/registration/requirements>.

The following will be listed as contacts for [MendocinoCounty.gov], which Mendocino County will keep up to date in the .gov registrar.

Administrative contact

Steve Dunncliff
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I understand that if I wish to retire [MendocinoCounty.gov], I must submit a written request to registrar@dotgov.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of the letters 'T' and 'W' in a cursive, stylized font. The 'T' is written with a horizontal bar that loops back to the left, and the 'W' is written with a large, rounded loop.

Ted Williams
5th District Supervisor