Mendocino County Board of Supervisors 501 Low Gap Road Ukiah, CA 95482

June 1, 2021

Re: Item 3a- Phase 3

Dear Chair Gjerde and Members of the Board:

My husband, Jonathan Wentzel, and I, Ingrid Tsong, as well as his parents, Roland and Barbara Wentzel, would like to thank the Board, Staff, and Planning Commission for their tireless efforts in creating a discretionary land use based permitting program for the future of Mendocino County cannabis agriculture. I personally want to thank the Board members who have taken the time to speak with me about our experience in Phase 1 and our desire to responsibly expand to ensure the economic viability of our farm in the future.

We support a streamlined industry for Mendocino County that consists of licensed farms with best-in-class environmental, business, and hiring practices as well as improved enforcement of the illicit market.

For our family and our farm at Eagle Point Ranch, we appreciate the opportunity to expand our Phase 1 legacy cannabis gardens to a more efficient, sustainable, and competitive farm model in Phase 3 while continuing our multi-generational stewardship of the land in Mendocino County we call home.

Sincerely,

Ingrid Tsong and Jonathan Wentzel Beija Flor Farms