

Numbers, Numbers, Numbers

Maybe I have missed the discussion but I haven't heard any real numbers thrown out for comparisons. Or maybe it's the real facts that I haven't heard or read. I would like to hear, or read, about how many legal grows we have now in the county. (About how many for illegal grows?) How many could we potentially have if the policies are changed? How many acres are covered with outside grows now, legal and not legal? How many are covered with hoop houses? If we go to 10% coverage, how many acres would that be, potentially? If we go to 5%? How many gallons of water do the aquifers produce on average? During a drought? About how many gallons do the humans need to live a comfortable life? To grow gardens for food? Have some livestock? How many gallons would be used if the Cannabis policy is changed? Is there enough?

The Cannabis policy needs to look at the WHOLE picture not just individual parcels. A well dug by one can affect many others. Land covered with hoop houses, tall fences, temporary housing doesn't just effect that one parcel either.

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