

Christopher Shaver - FW: Revised Draft MAC Policy

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Dear Chris,

I am writing on behalf of the Hopland MAC and Chair Julie Golden. At the regularly scheduled MAC meeting on August 17, 2016 the Hopland MAC reviewed the revised MAC Policy. By unanimous vote the Hopland MAC accepted the revisions and did not make any suggestions for further changes.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Regards,
Beth

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Julie Golden
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On July 27, 2016 at 9:12:27 AM, Christopher Shaver (shaverc@co.mendocino.ca.us) wrote:

Hello Mendocino County MACs,

As many of you may be aware, on July 12, 2016, at a regularly scheduled meeting, the Board of Supervisors discussed the County's draft MAC policy. The Board's direction to staff was to incorporate several revisions suggested by Supervisor McCowen and then send out the MAC policy for review and comment by the County's MACs. For clarification, the suggested edits are those that were incorporated after Board discussion and not those initially provided in written form. Upon review and comment by the MACs, staff will bring back the MAC policy for Board consideration and adoption.

Supervisor McCowen's suggested edits can be viewed in the red line version of the attachments. They primarily include grammatical revisions and clarifying language to: page 1, item 1; page 2, item 6; page 3, item 8; and, page 4, item "e". The page 4, item "e" edit includes language that the Board, as a whole, believed that the MACs should have the opportunity to review and comment upon.

The draft policy, as written, allows MACs to comment to other agencies and organizations on subjects not specified in the policy by adopting a resolution. Similar language to the page 4, item "e" suggested edit is already included in Resolution No. 97-035 for the Gualala MAC.

The reasoning behind the suggested edit to page 4, item "e" is to provide a clear example of what MACs should include in the required resolution in the event the MAC provides comments to other agencies that are not the express views of the Mendocino County Board of Supervisors. As mentioned above, the GMAC already has such a provision regarding the format of such resolutions. The suggested edit establishes the authority of the MACs to speak on behalf of their local communities, but the content of the balance of the resolutions will be entirely up to the MACs. Please provide your comments in written form for the suggested edits. In addition, all MACs are encouraged to attend the Board meeting, date yet to be determined, and offer public comment regarding the policy and suggested changes.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at the email or number below.

Thanks,

Chris