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STATE OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF MENDOCINO

I am a citizen of the United States and a resident of the County aforesaid; I am over the age of eighteen years, and not a party to or interested in the above entitled matter. I am the principal clerk of the printer of the Ukiah Daily Journal, a newspaper of general circulation, printed and published daily in the City of Ukiah, County of Mendocino and which newspaper has been adjudged a newspaper of general circulation by the Superior Court of the County of Mendocino, State of California, under the date of September 22, 1952, Case Number 9267; that the notice, of which the annexed is a printed copy (set in type not smaller than non-pareil), has been published in each regular and entire issue of said newspaper and not in any supplement thereof on the following dates, to wit:

01/24/2020

I certify (or declare) under the penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Dated at Ukiah, California,
January 24th, 2020



Sue Fullbright, LEGAL CLERK

Legal No. **0006448761**

4355-20 1-24/20 NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Mendocino County Board of Supervisors at its regular meeting on Tuesday, February 4, 2020, at 9:00 a.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard, to be held at the Mendocino County Administration Center, Board of Supervisors Chambers, 501 Low Gap Road, Room 1070, Ukiah, California, will conduct a public hearing on the following ordinance at the time listed or as soon thereafter as the item may be heard:

AN URGENCY ORDINANCE OF THE MENDOCINO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS EXTENDING A TEMPORARY MORATORIUM ON THE CULTIVATION OF INDUSTRIAL HEMP WITHIN THE UNINCORPORATED AREAS OF MENDOCINO COUNTY PENDING THE STUDY AND CONSIDERATION OF LAND USE AND OTHER REGULATIONS PERTAINING TO SUCH CULTIVATION

ENVIRONMENTAL DETERMINATION: It has been determined that the ordinance is exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act pursuant to CEQA Guidelines sections 15060(c)(2), 15060(c)(3), 15061(b)(3) and 15308.

This urgency ordinance extends interim restrictions on the cultivation of industrial hemp, as defined in the ordinance. This urgency ordinance is extending the provisions of the urgency ordinance adopted on February 26, 2019, and initially extended on April 9, 2019, for an additional period of twelve (12) months, or until February 4, 2021, pursuant to the provisions of Government Code Section 65858.

ORDINANCE SUMMARY: Under the ordinance, the cultivation of industrial hemp for any purposes is prohibited and the County shall not issue any permit, registration or approval related to industrial hemp cultivation. Cultivation of industrial hemp in violation of the ordinance constitute a public nuisance which may be enforced or abated by any means available by law, including but not limited to Mendocino County Code Chapters 1.08 and 8.76. The ordinance contains findings establishing the urgency as required by Government Code section 65858.

Copies of the urgency ordinance referenced above and the report

required pursuant to Government Code section 65858(d) and other details of this item are available for public inspection at the office of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, 501 Low Gap Road, Room 1010, Ukiah, California, during regular business hours, and available online at <https://www.mendocinocounty.org/government/board-of-supervisors/county-code>.

Your comments regarding the ordinance are invited. Written comments should be submitted to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, at 501 Low Gap Road, Room 1010, Ukiah, California, 95482, no later than February 3, 2020. Oral and written comments may be presented to the Board of Supervisors during the public hearing.

If you challenge the adoption of the ordinance in court, you may be limited to raising only those issues you or someone else raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors or the Board of Supervisors at, or prior to, the public hearing. All persons are invited to appear and present testimony in this matter.

Additional information regarding the above noted item may be obtained by calling the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors at 463-4441, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. through 5:00 p.m. Should you desire notification of the decision of the Board of Supervisors, you may do so by requesting notification in writing and providing a self-addressed stamped envelope to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

The County of Mendocino complies with ADA requirements and upon request, will attempt to reasonably accommodate individuals with disabilities by making meeting material available in appropriate alternative formats (pursuant to Government Code Section 54953.2). Anyone requiring reasonable accommodation to participate in the meeting should contact the Clerk of the Board by calling 463-4441 at least five days prior to the meeting.

CARMEL J. ANGELO
Clerk of the Board