

Dear Supervisors,

Please continue fully funding the best investment you have ever made in public safety, the Mendocino County Fire Safe Council. The MCFSC is a force multiplier that for your \$100,000 investment last year brought into the County \$400,000 in additional grants while effectively managing the \$1.5M fuels reduction project, potentially life-saving for not only County residents but also emergency first responders. As an educational resource, the MCFSC inspires and supports multiple community organizations to amplify fire safety education and fuel reduction work in local neighborhoods.

Please continue fully funding the Mendocino County Fire Safe Council. It's the best protection money can buy.

Sincerely,

Evan Johnson