County of Mendocino budget for the upcoming fiscal year proposes to reduce the County's support for MENDOCINO COUNTY FIRE SAFE Council from the current \$100,000 to \$25,000/year. **REALLY? This sound like a playlist from our electoral president.** 

PLEASE, INSTEAD keep the \$100,000 support! & INCREASE support! There are all sorts of indications that this fire season will be more of a nightmare than last year.

PLEASE! Board! increase the MCFSC's funding to at least \$50,000, which would allow them to operate at a baseline level and effectively bring in other grant funding to support more fire-safety work in our community.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION TO THIS CRITICAL ISSUE. Darca Lee Nicholson