Dear Supervisors,

I have written to you individually, before learning that there is a collective address for all of you. So, in the hope of more efficient communication and I am reiterating what I sent individually.

I am writing today to express my support for the ordinance to establish a Citizen's Advisory Committee for Law Enforcement Oversight (CACLEO). Law enforcement agencies all over the country are taking steps towards transparency, community involvement and oversight for officer and administration in order to make policing safer and more equitable for civilians and officers alike. Recent events, both nationally and locally, have produced a shift in public awareness. It has become urgent for citizens to be included in all aspects of public safety. This is to be taken in a collaborative spirit, not a combative one and would only strengthen our community. Please support Supervisor Williams ordinance and vote yes on establishing the CACLEO for the Mendocino County Sheriff's Office.

Thank you,

Suzanne Guerlac