

Dear Sirs,As a mendocino permitted farmer I am very distressed to find out the county has put us in this position.

We have spent thousands of dollars and too many hours to count to be legally permitted. I certainly think it is your best interest to be sure to do whatever needs to be done to keep the farmers that have done their part to be compliant.

We demand CEQA and CDFW SSR be completed in order to receive our State annual permits.

Think hard on the fact that we are your best source of keeping this county a float.

I agree with the MCA memo -please do the right thing!

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