

Honored Board of Supervisors,

It appears a monolithic corporation with federal laws written to protect its health-damaging crimes is threatening to build a tower in the Pine Mountain ridges of greater Willits.

You are in the supposedly weak legal position of not being able to reject such an offer, even though well known reservations against it are that eminent microwave damages would be inflicted upon the entire environment, human and otherwise.

I must remind you that this FCC legal screen of immunity is an intimidation to sue should a vote not go the corporation's way.

Every county has the right and the obligation to ensure the health of its populations and lands. Scientific studies prove that our residents' health conditions are under threat, that the radiation is guaranteed to do damage, when such powerful unmitigated forces are in use whatever its convenience on a commercial basis.

Having the right and obligation to protect health is a sacred trust and a legal responsibility. Corporate convenience and profit are secondary considerations.

That is to say, conversely, the County of Mendocino is liable for damages if it sustains threats to the health of citizens, animals, plants, and trees within the County purview.

The project's negative impacts are far flung as shown by prior submissions of data to the Planning Commission.

Hence the absolute requirement of an environmental impact report, a consummation the corporation devoutly does not wish. If their intentions were genuine they would seek one. On the contrary, they have advanced pressure for immediate capitulation by yourselves as our elected representatives. We are in jeopardy. They are not.

The critical fact remains, that the future health of the people and the area take precedence over commerce, whether or not it is mislabeled service.

Be so sensible, worthy, and responsible as to require the EIR. Its scientific data will then determine the physiological effects of the proposal upon all life here.

If the corporation actually sues, it will become a national scandal like the GMO threat. A righteous position would then be amply supported morally and financially simply because Life supercedes avarice. There comes a time where corporations have to be told where to get off. Your duty could not be plainer.

Respectfully submitted,

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