

Mendocino County Board of Supervisors,

I am very disappointed that expansion of cannabis into rangeland is being considered, especially now. We are facing serious drought, and we have been plagued with resulting devastating wildfires. The cannabis industry has already exploded in our county, why not see what impact this has on our water table, environment, law enforcement, tax revenue, roads and culture. Why not give this industry time to find its own economic, environmental, cultural and legal equilibrium before we allow expansion into our fragile rangeland?

We are not Salinas or Santa Barbara. We are Mendocino County and all of our needs and concerns need to be addressed, not just those of a "budding"

industry. I voted for legalizing cannabis but not for the reckless, poorly planned takeover of a beautiful, fragile, diverse county. Please consider the opinions of all of the people you represent. Do not allow greed to dictate your decisions. We voted against cannabis in rangeland and we voted you onto the board.

Sincerely

Dr. Sheri Cronin