

April 9, 2021

Dear Board of Supervisors,

I urge you to vote in favor of extending the moratorium on the commencement of Phase III Cannabis Cultivation Permitting.

It is obvious that the first phases have not gone well and there is not sufficient staff to enforce the current regulations. Why would you increase anything at this time? There has to be control! I live in the Willits Valley and what I'm seeing is horrendous. No one is paying any attention to what is happening with County parcels, rules have "gone out the window"!

Most of us that live in the Willits Valley are dependent on our wells to survive! The fact that these growers are purchasing water from the City of Willits is disturbing! What happens when the City of Willits runs out of water while supplying growers in the Valley? We are under drought conditions at the moment and it appears that we might be that way for quite some time.

Please think about what you are doing. If you can't manage current operations, do not increase anything!!!

Sincerely,

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