

Dear Mendocino County Board of Supervisors,

I moved to Mendocino County from Oregon in September 2019, and plan on staying here indefinitely with my partner who grew up locally.

Having observed the evolution of the legal cannabis industry in another area, I am excited to see Mendocino County continue to evolve their regulations to allow legal operators the ability to compete within the increasingly competitive legal cannabis industry. I have seen firsthand how legal cannabis benefits small communities, when regulated properly. I believe Mendocino County has the potential for many benefits as a result of Phase 3 Expansion.

I currently work for a legal cannabis processor in the City of Willits. I enjoy my job and appreciate working in a more private setting. We have stayed safely working throughout the current COVID situation.

Sincerely,

Ruben Lumbreras