I think further discussion and input from our community is needed. I support the present cottage industry which I think is right the right fit for our community and is sustainable compared to large corporate grows that will boom and bust and leave us here to figure out what to do next keep the community vibrant.

My initial Permit process looking back was as pleasant as one would think permitting can be. The Ag dept was awesome! I spent 100k to become compliant for my 2500sqft Cottage Grow.

I am glad to be part of the community and a legal business owner here in Mendocino County. I am barely maintaining a living but I AM. I pray that my future will be as good as it is now and wish for thoughtful discussion on possible expansion and what it means for us that are here and already invested.

In Regards,

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