

Dear Board of Supervisors

Please remember that you are elected officials. It is your responsibility to represent the people who elected you. Yet all of you (with the exception of John Haschak, who is actually standing up for his constituents) are blatantly disregarding the majority of the citizens of Mendocino County by pushing ahead with Cannabis expansion. Even after hundreds of people have expressed their absolute rejection of this plan. Difficult as it may be for you to understand, many of us feel that our quality of life and our beautiful natural environment are far more important than money. It amuses and angers me that you believe our point of view makes us 'Commies' (Ted actually said that!) when actually it's a huge part of why we choose to live here among people who share our values. Until you can prove that the county is capable of enforcing the regulations that are meant to protect the environment, the neighbors, shared roads, and our precious water, there should be NO expansion!

Sincerely,

Lucy Andrews