

To: Mendocino County Board of Supervisors  
Re: Funding for Mendocino County Fire Safe Council  
Date: 4 June 2020

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We find it astonishing that, in the face of drought conditions as we approach what has become an annual wildfire season, the Mendocino County Board of Supervisors is planning once again to drastically reduce funding for the Mendocino County Fire Safe Council. The actions taken by the FSC have increased our defensible space and made the county less vulnerable to the ravages of catastrophic fires. We simply cannot afford to slack off in our efforts to protect Mendocino County residents' lives and properties. As our elected representatives, it is imperative that you spend tax revenue wisely and in the best interest of your constituents. One of the highest priorities should be to continue full funding of the FSC. Thank you.

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