



Mendocino County

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Title: Discussion and Possible Action Including Direction to Staff to Draft Tax Relief for Licensed Cannabis Cultivators 10,000 Square Feet and Less and Increase Tax for Larger Farms, in a Manner That Would be Revenue Neutral to the County
(Sponsor: Supervisor Williams)

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To: Board of Supervisors

From: Supervisor Williams

Meeting Date: June 2, 2021

Department Contact: Supervisor Williams

Phone: 463-4441

Item Type: Regular Agenda

Time Allocated for Item: 30 Min

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Recommended Action/Motion:

Direct Staff to Draft Tax Relief for licensed cannabis cultivators 10,000 square feet and less and increase tax for larger farms in a manner that would be revenue neutral to the county.

Previous Board/Board Committee Actions:

None.

Summary of Request:

Economic feasibility of small farms, complex state licensing regulation, the drought and other forces

necessitate a review of our cannabis cultivation tax structure. Our taxation structure could be adjusted for progressive burden, leveraging community benefits agreements attached to Phase 3 use permits.

Alternative Action/Motion:

No action.

Supervisory District: All

vote requirement: Majority

Supplemental Information Available Online At:

https://library.municode.com/ca/mendocino_county/codes/code_of_ordinances?nodeId=MECOCO_TIT6BULIRE_CH6.32CABUTA

Fiscal Details:

source of funding: N/A

current f/y cost: N/A

annual recurring cost: N/A

budget clarification: N/A

budgeted in current f/y: N/A

if no, please describe:

revenue agreement: N/A

Agreement/Resolution/Ordinance Approved by County Counsel: N/A

CEO Liaison: Carmel J. Angelo, CEO

CEO Review: Yes

CEO Comments:

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Executed By: Atlas Pearson, Deputy Clerk I

Date: June 3, 2021

Final Status: **Direction Given to Staff**

