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Sent: Monday, February 5, 2024 2:53 PM

**To:** BOS-District I; BOS-District II; The BOSTHREE; BOS-District IV; BOS-District V; BOS-Clerk

of the Board

**Subject:** Cannabis ad hoc committee item

Please attach to cannabis ad hoc item.

## Supervisors:

As you consider who will sit on the cannabis ad hoc committee I hope you will consider forming a fair and balanced committee and any non elected not commissioners seated must be individuals who are people that will bring valuable information to the table. It should not be random citizens who have no background knowledge and wisdom to add.

With that said, my list would absolutely not include Lori Parlin or Turnboo as they are adamantly opposed to cannabis and would not add value to the task.

Best regards, Tracy

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**To:** BOS-Clerk of the Board

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**Subject:** Agenda Item 24-0274

Please include this email as public comments for the above mentioned item.

Esteemed Supervisors,

I appreciate your time and consideration regarding the recent developments. I want to express my regret if my comments during last week's hearing caused any discomfort among you. Your feedback has been invaluable, and I want to assure you that it has been duly noted.

As we navigate this discussion, it is essential to question the processes that guide our decision-making. While I respect your perspective, it's crucial to recognize the prevailing sentiments I articulated. My intention is for these observations to be seen as constructive rather than derogatory, emphasizing the importance of adhering to established processes.

In light of these considerations, the Alliance formally requests Supervisor Parlin's recusal from the ad-hoc committee. A careful review of her statements during the last board meeting, coupled with her historical behavior, reveals a clear disdain for committees and commissions within the county decision-making process and a pronounced bias against cannabis. This sentiment has been evident in various public forums and extends beyond the cannabis realm, encompassing her persistent efforts to advocate for the elimination of CEDAC.

Moreover, we firmly believe that the presence of such biases within ad-hoc committees squanders valuable government resources. The inefficiency resulting from filibustering undermines the purpose of establishing such committees and hampers the effective allocation of time and resources.

In the interest of fostering a fair and unbiased decision-making process while optimizing the use of government resources, we strongly urge Supervisor Parlin's recusal. We remain optimistic that this request will be received in the spirit of constructive engagement and a commitment to upholding the integrity of the county's governance and policy-making procedures.

Thank you for your attention to this matter, and we look forward to a fair and equitable resolution.

Sincerely,

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