

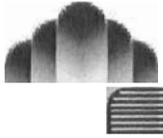


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To the Board of Supervisors:

Please postpone the Gun Club item #25 for the time necessary to allow review and revision of the Agreement to truly protect the interests of the County, the public, and facility users. Full public access to this facility must be allowed, within reason and safety standards, of course. Please do not approve the agreement at this time.

What bothers me the most is the phrase "Individual members of the public may be excluded from use of the Property by the....., Board of Directors of the Rod & Gun Club....." Isn't this a private group? How can they be allowed to excluded members of the public at their whim? Where are the definitions of what would cause an individual to be "excluded" from using the facility. Is there any oversight for this private group? Is there any appeal for one who has been excluded? The agreement definitely must be reviewed and revised to include a protection from discrimination without cause. We have seen what kind of damage can result from the lack of oversight, esp relating to private interest groups. Please don't let it happen here.

Before voting for this, please allow for more consideration of what is involved. A more detailed agreement must be offered which includes clear definitions of the rules, uses appeal process and management of the facility. As it stands now, it is well too open and allows for discrimination of all kinds. The exclusion phrase appears to lend itself well to any possible capricious decisions made by the decisions of the Rod and Gun Club.(a Private Interest)

Consider the following: Ken Greenwood is a well qualified trainer who has been excluded from his public service (4-H) firearms training as well as his commercial training at the Club. I am one of his students and he has a strong adherence to safety and procedure and that has helped me excel in my gun handling skills responsibly.

Therefore, I respectfully request that you do not approve the Agreement at this time, until there can be further study, well defined rules and regulations, and appropriate oversight in place with the knowledge that this is a taxpayer's facility.

Sincerely,

I Griswold.
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