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Cannabis ordinance 6 plants

1 message

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Dear Board of Directors, I am addressing the proposal to limit personal cannabis plants to 6 for medical and residential; I am in favor of this limit. I live in Pleasant Valley and we have three homeowners in our neighborhood growing cannabis for medical reasons. My problems with it are:

The smell in August, September and October is so offensive that we can't be outside. They all are growing up to 50 plants. I don't see how I could ever sell my house because of the smell.

They do not take care of their homes or properties, the places are in very bad shape. I suppose all that using of cannabis makes them to relaxed to work, which all of them have quit there jobs to live on the sell of of their plants. Plus they are young healthy people.

The traffic in our tiny little community is 3 times more. And the cannabis owners don't even contribute to the road maintenance.

We took us over 20 years to save and grow our equity so we could by a home in Pleasant Valley area. We love our little neighborhood and love our neighbors. But the pot growers have brought down our neighborhood. It is a sad situation. Cannabis should be grown in a commercial zone.

Thank you for changing it to 6 plants,
Dave and Jacquie Henifin

Sent from my iPad



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3 messages

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Thu, Apr 30, 2020 at 8:40 AM

County Supervisors,

Please do not pass the proposed ordinance limiting all cannabis cultivation in El Dorado county to six plants per parcel. This amount is inadequate to meet many medical cannabis patients' needs.

While Prop. 64, passed by the voters of California in 2016, required counties to allow six-plant gardens for recreational use, it clearly stated that its intent was not to interfere with patients' rights under Prop. 215, which voters passed in 1996. Under that law, courts have ruled that patients can grow any amount reasonable to their medical needs. Additionally, under Prop. 64, legitimate caregivers may provide for up to five (5) qualified medical patients and be exempt from the requirement of state commercial cannabis licensing.

Requiring registration of cannabis gardens is unnecessary and problematic. Marijuana is still a Schedule I drug federally and patients will be incriminating themselves by registering their gardens, in clear violation of our 5th amendment rights.

Taking away the current ordinance will encourage guerrilla grows in the El Dorado National forest that will cause environmental damage, and public safety concerns.

To move on this ordinance without the opportunity to make public comment in person will severely hamper citizen involvement. Many citizens of El Dorado county don't have reliable internet or phone access.

Please do not pass this ordinance, or at least table this discussion until after the COVID crisis, allowing a full hearing and involvement for all El Dorado County citizens.

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FYI - BOS 5/5 item #27

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Thu, Apr 30, 2020 at 8:53 AM

Hi Linda,

Thank you. The Agenda for May 5th Board of Supervisors meeting is now posted and this is now Item #27. Your appropriate public comment provided will be added to the corresponding file.

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Thu, Apr 30, 2020 at 9:44 AM

Brian Veerkamp,

MY NAME IS LINDA, I AM DEALING WITH A 19 YEAR OLD WORKERS COMP INJURY DATING BACK TO JULY 26 2001. I AM CUTTING TO THE CHASE AND AM STATING THE FACTS OF THE MULTIPLE DAMAGES TO MY BODY MIND AND SOUL FROM THAT AWFUL DAY! I HAVE HAD 6 (SIX) LUMBAR FUSIONS SURGERIES WITH TITANIUM RODS SCREWS AND NUTS AND BOLTS STILL REMAINING TO BE REMOVED. L5-S1, L4-L5, L3-L4, WITH L1-L2, L2-L3 DISC BULGING, ALONG WITH THORACIC DISC BULGING IN T11-T12, T12-L1. OH WAIT THERE'S MORE..., THE RIGHT SHOULDER HAS MULTIPLE TEARS AND MUSCLE DAMAGE THAT EXTENDS INTO THE HAND, THE LEFT SHOULDER HAS DAMAGE AS WELL AWAITING AN MRI. I AM SUFFERING WITH OSTEOPENIA AND SEVERE OSTEOPOROSIS IN THE LUMBAR SPINE TRAVELING INTO THE LEFT FEMUR. HAVING THE THE HARDWARE REMOVED WOULD LITERALLY FRACTURE AND BREAK THE BONES AND MORE THAN LIKELY RENDER ME UNABLE TO FUNCTION WITHOUT THE AID OF A WHEEL CHAIR...,IF I'M "LUCKY"...HA HA WHAT'S LUCK GOT TO WITH IT?! I HAVE COLON/RECTAL PROLAPSE, BLADDER PROLAPSE, REC TOCYCLE, CYSTOCYCLE ACID REFLUX , GASTRITIS, TORTUOSITY OF THE RECTUM, INTUSSUSSEPTION OF THE LEFT INTESTINES AND SPREADING, WHAT THIS MEANS TO THE MEDICAL LAY PERSON IS BASICALLY MY INSIDES ARE FALLING OUT OF BOTH RECTUM AND VAGINA, WITH VAGINAL, LEG AND LIMB ATROPHY THE DAMAGE RUNS DEEPER INTO THE PSYCHOLOGICAL ASPECT OF THIS INDUSTRIAL INJURY AS DEPRESSION, ANXIETY, STRESS DISORDERS THE LIST GOES ON AND ON..., NOW WHAT? THE PAIN!!!!!! CHRONIC PAIN SYNDROME WELL EXCEEDS THE " AVERAGE" AT LEAST WITH ME, THE DAMAGE FROM THE SURGERIES, NARCOTICS, ANTI INFLAMMATORIES, VOMMITING, NAUSEA, MIGRAINE LIKE HEADACHES, INCINTINANCE OF BOTH BLADDER AND BOWELS, 'CHRONIC PAIN'!! ETC., ETC., THAT LIST GOES ON!! THE BOTTOM LINE MY IMMUNE SYSTEM IS SHOT ALL TO HELL!! NEEDING THE SUSTAINING APPROACH TO HOLISTIC ANSWERS. "ALL NATURAL" NEEDS!! HERBAL PLANT SUPPLIMENTAL HEALING CONSUMPTION! MEDICINAL CANNABIS IS JUST ONE VERY APPROACH FOR ME TO DEAL WITH ALL OF THE ABOVE...,SO BEFORE THIS COU NTY TURNS A BLIND EYE TO THE MUCH NEEDED USE OF CANNABIS, TAKE INTO CONSIDERATION THIS, THE ONE TRUE BLESSING TO MY STORY OTHER THAN IT BEING FACT, MY PROPERTY ACTUALLY REAPS ME AND MY HUSBAND THE NATURAL BENEFITS THAT PROVIDE ME WITH THE ABSOLUTE FUNCTION OF A BEAUTIFUL GARDEN. GARDENING IS NOT ABOUT PUTTING A SEED OR PLANT IN THE GROUND AND WATCH IT GROW, IT TAKES A LOT MORE THAN THAT, SO THE BLESSING IS JUST PLAIN ON THE NOSE OF THE FACE...,MEDICINAL,