

James Feenan - Fwd: Opposed to commercial cannabis in Residential areas

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RE: Case numbers:

R_2019-0013 for Franklin Rd.

R_2019-0012 for Jade Ct.

Dear Board Members,

We are vehemently opposed to the application to extend the sunset date for existing commercial cannabis grows in our Simpson Lane/Mitchell Creek area.

These are COMMERCIAL operations trying to get an extension in order not to have to move their businesses. They have already had years to prepare for a move, but this has not happened. Why should the residents of our neighborhood have to suffer because these businesses have been procrastinating?!

Having a commercial cannabis operation in our midst is unacceptable - it will damage our property values and encroach on our water supply. Any indoor grow operation increases the risk of fire. How will the county compensate the residents of the neighborhood for the increased criminal element that will likely be attracted to the product and cash associated with growing pot (as evidenced recently in a home invasion in Gualala)? It's not legal for people to live in an area that is zoned commercial, so how can it be legal for a commercial enterprise to be established in the midst of a long-established residential area?

Please do not allow continued Commercial Cannabis operations in our RR-2 neighborhoods. We want our residential neighborhoods to remain residential!

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Julie Rogers and Rodney Fedor

