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10/30/17 Cannabis Comments

Our concerns are quality of life and environmental.

1. In Corralitos there are many small residential lots mixed with large agricultural properties. The quality of life on those small properties will be impacted by odors, dust, noise and pesticides of commercial Cannabis facilities. Odors, dust, noise and pesticides must be regulated so families and individuals can still enjoy their properties and not worry about health issues or loss of property value. Organic growing practices are common in this area and we request that they be required for licensed Cannabis growing in Corralitos.
2. Cannabis is a crop that demands a lot of water and fertilizer. The proposed Green Zone in Corralitos is in the Pinto Lake Watershed. Current farms and nurseries in that watershed are required to have a Farm Plan to prevent sediment and nitrate runoff into local creeks and watersheds. They are required to have wells tested twice a year. The Regional Water Quality Control Board is mandated by the Federal Government to eliminate high nitrate levels in the Elkhorn Slough.
3. There appears to be many illegal Cannabis growing operations with no enforcement of existing laws and regulations. We request that the County of Santa Cruz be diligent in responding to citizen concerns and in enforcing regulations and laws which protect their quality of life and protect our unique and fragile environment.

Thank you,  
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