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Pinoleville Pomo Nation
Attn: Tribal Chairwoman Leona Williams
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Re: Pinoleville Pomo Nation and Medical Marijuana Commercial Grow Project

Dear Chairwoman Williams and Messrs. Blackmon and Brautman:

It has come to my attention through media coverage in Colorado and California that the Pinoleville Pomo Nation, in possible partnership with United Cannabis Corp and FoxBarry Farms, LLC, may be intending to begin construction and thereafter operation of a large-scale commercial medicinal marijuana cultivation and distribution operation on tribal lands just north of the Ukiah city limits here in Mendocino County.

Since the media coverage claims that "operations" are to commence in the next 30 to 45 days, in an abundance of caution I respectfully assert that *time is of the essence* for me to gather information in order to allow my office the time necessary to analyze how California state law may apply to what you all apparently intend to undertake at or near Pinoleville. So that I can properly exercise my law enforcement judgment and local oversight authority, please provide me the following documents and/or information at your earliest opportunity:

- * A copy of United Cannabis Corporation's consulting and licensing agreement with FoxBarry Farms, LLC, whereby FoxBarry has apparently agreed to be the exclusive licensee and distributor of United Cannabis branded medical marijuana products produced in Mendocino County and/or California in general.
- * A copy of any marijuana-related agreements between the Pinoleville Pomo Nation and United Cannabis Corporation.
- * A copy of any marijuana-related agreements between the Pinoleville Pomo Nation and FoxBarry Farms, LLC, or any of The FoxBarry Companies.
- * A copy of any analysis or other reports regarding the Pinoleville Pomo Nation's marijuana venture and its plans, if any, to develop gaming on the same tribal lands.
- * A copy of any analysis or other reports regarding environmental impacts, if any, relating to the Pinoleville Pomo Nation's hosting of marijuana production facilities.
- * A copy of any analysis or other reports regarding security plans, if any, relating to the Pinoleville Pomo Nation's hosting of marijuana production facilities, including but not limited to securities plans for moving product from the manufacturing facility(ies) to distribution outlets.
- * A copy of any analysis or other reports regarding water and waste treatment plans, if any, relating to the Pinoleville Pomo Nation's hosting of marijuana production facilities.
- * An explanation, memorandums of understanding, contracts, agreements, and/or spreadsheets, if available, as to how profits or other proceeds will be derived from marijuana production in Mendocino County and distributed.
- * A copy of the names and addresses of the dispensaries or other outlets in California that will be distribution points for marijuana produced here in Mendocino County.
- * A copy of the names and addresses of the dispensaries or other outlets outside of California that will be distribution points for marijuana produced here in Mendocino County.

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- * Construction plans or other records showing where the growing and storage facilities are intended to be located, particularly in regards to the location of pre-existing schools, parks, day care centers, planned gambling facilities, school bus stops, or other locations where children under the age of 18 years may currently congregate.

- * Any analysis or other opinions regarding the legality of what is intended to be developed at Pinoleville, as well as distributed from Pinoleville to outlets throughout the State of California. In this regard, I call your attention to Public Law 280, the Compassionate Use Act (CUA) (California Health and Safety Code section 11362.5, et seq.), and the Medical Marijuana Program (MMP) (California Health and Safety Code section 11362.7, et seq.) The above references may not be all-inclusive of applicable statutes, regulations, ordinances, and case law.

To uphold the duties and obligations of my elected office, as required by PL 280 and all applicable California state laws, I invite you to also provide any additional information that one or more of you believe that the Sheriff's Office and I should review and be considering. This is my good faith attempt to endeavor to make sure that no stakeholder is left uninformed about the short and long-term legalities of such a venture or otherwise be caught by surprise somewhere down the road by law enforcement intervention.

Thank you for your anticipated prompt cooperation with this request.

Sincerely,

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