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## Commissioners:

I strongly oppose the plan to allow transient camping on residential properties in Mendocino county. I believe that this proposal is an ill-conceived, perhaps knee-jerk approach to solving the homelessness problem. But allowing this scope of widespread transient camping is not the solution, and could create more problems than it solves.

The obvious Elephant-in-the-room is the danger of wildfires, which is real and omnipresent. Other issues are noise, garbage, water quantity and quality, traffic, lack of infrastructure, lack of emergency services, to name a few.

Please reject this plan and start over with a more sensible plan, such as allowing camping on public lands with commercial zoning which are closer to services.

Thank you

Daney Dawson

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