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Dear Lake County Board of Supervisors,

Please do not approve any cultivation grow in our Hidden Valley Rancho family neighborhood.

- There should be no rezoning because someone purchased separate properties intended for family residence to merge the properties for a profit business that invites community crime.
- Drilling six wells for irrigation is astounding during our drought and drought recovery. The grow would consume more than a family residence could and cause significant drain on the local aquifer for the resident wells already in the area.
- Our 130 blue oak woodlands need protection! Why? The larger ecosystem around oak trees provides a number of benefits including grazing, water filtration, **erosion prevention**, and support for pollinating bees, among other things. Especially as the area is still recovering from the 2015 and other fires, drought, and flash rains that could cause mud slides.
- Traffic of large trucks will be unsafe on Stinson Road.

There are more concerns with noise, smell, crime, and the fall of property values. Please hear your constituents, especially those live here. Keep our homelife safe, trees on the land, and water available.

Respectfully,

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