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To: Ford, John; Johnson, Cliff; Dorris, Joshua; Madrone, Steve; Cindy Trobitz-thomas; Jarl Johansen; Dave and Heather Trobitz; Claire McAdams; Jim Rydelius
Subject: 3-MINUTE STATEMENT FOR 12/03/2024 KERNEN REVOCATION HEARING
Attachments: Night Worker-Mechanic 10-24-2023.jpg; Boards in Noisy Creek.png; IMG_3382 (2).jpg; Incident Report SHERIFF 10-15-2024.pdf; Operating Times-Dates Violations List-KERNEN.docx; December 3 KERNEN.docx

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Attached please find my 3-Minute Statement for the 12/03/2024

Kernen Revocation Hearing.

Being a neighbor (victim), bordering Kernen Construction at Noisy Creek, I feel it is my duty to speak at this Hearing.

I thank the County for your continued efforts with the horrific nightmare Kernen has caused me, the neighborhood, and the Coho Spawning Creek (Noisy Creek), the environment and Humboldt County.

Thank you for this opportunity to express my utter alarm at how bad the situation has gotten over the past year and a half (2023-2024)

Also attached:

- * 3-Minute Statement for December 3, 2024
- * Drone shot of Kernen Mechanic after CUP Operating Hours,
- * Sheriff Incident Report
- * Operating Outside of CUP Hours/Days reported to County
- * Kernen Boards polluting Noisy Creek after SWPPP Failure
- * Dates of June/July 2023 Driven from Home due to Kernen operating all night

There's so much more, but I will stop here!

Respectfully,

Lynne Owens
2140 Glendale Drive
GROUND ZERO

PERSONAL IMPACT 3-MINUTE STATEMENT FOR 12/03/2024 HEARING

In June of 2023, my life changed drastically for the worst, when my 16 year old dog and I were startled awake at 9 pm by extreme noise and light flooding into my house. My house was rattling and shaking.

I live at Ground Zero, as the neighbors refer to my property, which borders the flood plain zoned property of Kern Construction at Noisy Creek. After absolutely not one minute of sleep and scared dogs all night, I spoke with Scott Farley and begged him not to work nights and he said no & offered to send me on a vacation. I gave Scott Farley the page from his CUP with operating hours highlighted. I declined his vacation offer and figured the only way to be close to home was to stay at Blue Lake Casino Hotel with my dogs, for some 13 nights. We packed up each night & headed to the Hotel, returning to home in a.m. It was no vacation, believe me.

Now it's been 1 ½ years of blatant disregard for operating hours. Night time mechanics, quads, trucks, banging, vibrating my whole house and yard, etc., etc. have been a constant cause of sleep deprivation, stress & anxiety.

I have forwarded/mailed to the County approximately 50 dates and times of CUP Violations in 2023 & 2024. October 2023, pictures of Mechanics working at night to October 2024, Sheriff Boyer Incident Report of Mechanics working outside of CUP operating hours. October 15, 2024, I once again had to leave my house because Kern had heavy equipment running all night, right across the creek from my bedroom window. This violation also witnessed/heard by Cindy Trobitz & Jarl Johansen. Maybe the County could request Kern Construction's Employee Time Sheets. Recently the vibrations have shook my house until I thought the windows would break or concrete would crack, yet more violations. Jarl Johansen, across the street, could feel the vibrations.

Then there's the daily noise, dust and environmental devastation, clearing creek setback of riparian vegetation, unpermitted fencing, unpermitted pond, and unpermitted grading, Water Board Violations, THIRD Clean Water Act Complaint thru CATS organization. CATS has never had to file more than one complaint against any company before! Everything shows Kern's blatant disregard for any laws, rules or regulations, let alone courtesy to neighbors. Kern is worse than a Nuisance Code, Kern is a nightmare, reeking havoc on our neighborhood and on the Coho Salmon Spawning Creek.

Is Kern Construction Bulletproof or
will they FINALLY be held accountable or stopped?

Please Help Us! Lynne Owens GROUND ZERO

Email attachments:

Night worker mechanic 10-24-2023



Boards in Noisy Creek





HUMBOLDT COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

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CAD INCIDENT REPORT

2410150183

10/21/2024

Location 2140 GLENDALE DR				Cross Streets MCADAMS RANCH RD/UNN			City BLUE LAKE		
Incident Type 415N - 415 NOISE COMPLAINT				Call Taker 2422			Dispatcher 2427		
Date 10/15/2024	Priority 2	Primary Unit L72	Beat	Fire Zone	Area 12	Map	Source TELEPHONE CALL	Channel	
Caller Name OWENS, LYNNE ANNE				Caller Address 2140 Glendale Dr, Blue Lake, CA				Caller Phone 707-273-9372	
Dispositions Cad Documentation Only				Weapon		Alm Level		Case Number	
Vehicles				Associated Incidents					
Incident Times Received 20:27:09 Created 20:29:14 Dispatched 20:33:22 En Route 20:33:25 On Scene Closed 20:43:04 Rcvd-Closed 15:55		Special Circumstances							
		Persons		Sex	DOB	Race	DL		
Unit Times	Deputies	Dispatched	Enroute	On Scene	Clear	Disp-On Scene	Enrt-On Scene	On Scene-Clear	Disp-Clear
L72	2312	20:33:22	20:33:25		20:43:04	N/A	N/A	N/A	09:42
Q57	2513	20:33:23	20:33:25		20:43:04	N/A	N/A	N/A	09:41

Incident Comments
KERNEN CONSTRUCTION COMPANY OWNS PROPERTY NEXT TO THE RP AND IS OPERATING HEAVY EQUIPMENT. RP STATES IT IS LATE AND SHE IS TRYING TO SLEEP.

TIME	#	EVENT	BY
20:29:14	1	Incident initiated at 2140 Glendale Dr, Blue Lake, CA	2422
20:33:22	2	L72 DS. 2140 Glendale Dr, Blue Lake, CA	2427
20:33:23	3	Q57 DS. 2140 Glendale Dr, Blue Lake, CA	2427
20:33:25	4	L72 EN.	2427
20:33:25	5	Q57 EN.	2427
20:42:59	6	L72 SPOKE WITH THE EMPLOYEES AND THEY CLOSED THE DOORS,	2427
	7	ADVISED TO KEEP IT DOWN	
20:43:04	8	Q57 AV. All L72. Disposition CC	2427
20:43:04	9	L72 AV.	2427
20:43:04	10	L72 Closed - Disposition CC	2427

CONTROLLED DOCUMENT
DUPLICATION OR REISSUANCE
CONTROLLED BY LAW
Referred to Lynne Owens
By Mandersen Date 10/21/24
Humboldt County Sheriff

Operating Times-Dates Violations List – KERNEN

Subject:KERNEN Logged operation violations

This does not include August 2023, I didn't log in August

Violation Operation times & days

June 25 - June 30, 2023

July 10 - July 14, 2023

July 17 - July - 20, 202

Above were violations which occurred all night long

9pm - 7am

(stayed at Casino to sleep)

Not a vacation!

September 14, 2023, 4 AM

September 26, 2023, 9 PM

September 28, 2023, 7 PM & 10:30 PM

October 3, 2023, 9 PM

October 4, 2023, 7 PM

October 5, 2023, 6:30 AM

October 16, 2023, 9:38 PM

October 17, 2023, 12:27 AM & 2 AM

October 19, 2023, 11 PM

October 23, 2023, 9 PM & 11 PM

October 24, 2023, 2:28 AM

November 7, 2023, 8:30 PM

November 8, 2023, 6:15 PM

November 10, 2023, 2:57 AM

November 12, 2023, 1 PM

Sunday

November 13, 2023, 10:30 PM & 11:15 PM

November 14, 2023, 9 PM

December 1, 2023, 6:30 PM

December 3, 2023, 9 AM

Sunday

December 16, 2023, 6:45 PM

December 30, 2023, 5:30 AM

Operation time/dates violations & Sunday violations

2024 Kernen Violations/Disturbing the Peace

1/28

12:30 am Sunday

3:00 am – 4:41 am SUNDAY

4:41 am

2/16
12:30 am

2/28
9:00 pm

3/13
8:00 pm

3/14
9:00 pm

4/12
7:15 pm

7/09
6:35 am

7/24
4:50 am

7/25
5:00 am

7/28
5:45 pm Sunday

7/31
9:00 pm (Jarl Johansen reported to County)

8/06
6:20 pm

8/07
6:15 pm

9/10
6:40 pm

10/13/2024
12:30 pm - 4:00 pm Sunday

10/15 - 10/16

6:01 pm - 5:30 am (heavy equipment left running all night & Sheriff Incident Report)

10/21

8:02 pm

10/29

7:00 pm

11/03

Lower Gate open all day for trucks

11/04

6:00 am Dump Truck pulled into Upper Yard

11/06

9:15 am House Vibrations

11/15

7:10 pm Lights from Mechanics Dome

11/16

7:40 pm Lights & Flood Lights from Mechanics Dome & Vehicles driving

11/18

8:20 am Vibration/Shook House from Kernen dropping something in upper yard