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Humboldt County Planning Department
3015 H Street
Eureka, CA 95501

Attention: John Ford, Director:

I am writing to you in favor of approving the Airbnb application for Brian and Merritt Brodt. The location address is 530 Church Lane, Ferndale, California. The owners have transformed the old farmhouse into a lovely country escape without losing its authenticity. The hosts are willing to educate their guests about organic milk production at their dairy. It is important in today's world to tell the public the story of agricultural businesses and where their food comes from... not just from the store. This approval process has been lengthy, and my hope is that the Planning Department will grant the permit. Humboldt County is fortunate to have such a lovely country lodging and a family willing to tell their agricultural story.

Thank you,

Sincerely,

Linda Russ