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Sent: Wednesday, September 15, 2021 6:25 PM
To: Planning Clerk
Subject: Hearing for North Fork Mattole Farms, LLC, PLN-2020-16766, 9-16-2021

To Whom It May Concern,

I am writing to express my concerns about North Fork Mattole Farms, LLC's proposed cannabis cultivation project in downtown Petrolia, California. As a longtime resident, and member of the Mattole Unified School District Board of Directors, Mattole Valley Community Center, Inc. Board of Directors, and a member of several other nonprofit Boards, I feel that just the proposal of this project is causing too much division in our community. I have many friends with small legal cannabis farms, who cultivate on their personal properties, and are farming to simply make a living for their families, and to be able to afford to live in our lovely, very close knit community. Larger grows, such as this, endanger the viability of these family run farms, and threaten the prices of their crops to an extent, that it is almost impossible to continue their livelihoods.

Thank you for your time and consideration, Gabrielle Cohen

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