

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS MEETING  
April 22, 2014

**"For all items NOT on the agenda"**

**(Each Speaker Limited to 3 Minutes)**

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(Public Appearances - 1:30pm)

- Kent
1. Carrie Conine Transient dilemma
  2. Leland Ringo) Hemp for fuel
  3. Clementine Everdeens The General Plan
  4. Snake - The General Plan update
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Estelle...i wanted you to have a copy of this 'rap'..as it were. That you would make it your own somehow. I'll try to read it in front of The Board on tuesday afternoon. I KNOW IT'S LONG! I'll shorten it before putting it in the paper (if you think it's alright) the same week. Let me know.xoxoc.c. carrieitaway@yahoo.com

A RADICAL VISION OF SOLUTION TO THE DIS-EASE AND THE RISE OF TENTION IN CONCERN TO THE EVER GROWING TRANSIENT POPULTION HERE IN SOUTHERN HUMBODLT COUNTY.

THIS VISION CAN ONLY BE THE SEED PLANTED TOWARD CULTIVATING A SYMBIOSIS THAT BARES THE FRUIT OF SOCIAL MINDEDNESS. THIS, FOR ALL PEOPLE. ONE BUILT OUT OF RESPECTAND RESPONSIBILITY. ONE THAT FOSTERS A SELF ESTEEM AS WELL AS A STEWARDSHIP OF OUR COMMUNITY AND OF OUR NATURAL WORLD.

THE INCORPORATION OF THE COMMUNITY PARK, IS ESSENTIAL HERE. WE HAVE A VERY REAL NEED HERE FOR A VENUE AND THE INCORPORATION WILL ALLOW FOR A COLLECTIVE OFFERING UP OF SERVICES THAT CAN ONLY ENHANCE ALL OF OUR LIVES.

THIS PROJECT IS THE REALI ZATION OF A HAND UP NOT A HAND OUT VISION. ONE IN WHICH ALL ARE INVITED TO BE INTEGRAL MEMBERS OF OUR COMMUNITY . IT IS AN ATTEMPT AT BEST. AT LEAST, PERTINENT INFORMATION TOWARD FURTHER RESOLUTION. WE ALL LOVE THIS BEAUTIFUL PLACE. WE, THE PEOPLE OF THIS COUNTRY, CELEBRATE OUR DIVERSITY. WE HAVE THIS LUXURY. THIS FREEDOM CAME AT GREAT COST AND MANY OF OUR ANCESTORS PERISHED UNDER THE BURDEN. THE INDIGENOUS QUIET ONES THAT CAME BEFORE US, LOVED THIS PLACE AS WELL. THEY RAISED KIDS, FOUGHT WITH THIER NEIGHBORS, WERE OFTEN COLD AND HUNGRY, THEY SO LOVED IT. THE MOST PREVALENT WORD HERE, IS THAT, NOT UNLIKE OURSELVES, THEY WORKED. COLLECTIVELY THEY WERE INDUSTRIOUS.

IF WE WOULD RAIL&RANT OF 'GOVERNMENT STEALTH,' A MILITARILY MINDED POLICE FORCE, THE CONSPIRACY THEORY, WE'D DO WELL, TO CONSPIRE TOWARD STEPPING UP, REALLY MANNING UP. ALL OF US. WE'D DO WELL TO HARNESS THIS ATTITUDE OF LAZITUDE OR INDIFFERANCE TO THE COMPLETE FILTHY DEMISE OF THE VILLAGE IN WHICH I CHOSE TO, YET FEEL FRIGHTENED NOW, TO GROW OLD IN. IT IS NO LONGER SAFE. WE, AND I MEAN MANY OF US, ARE FROM THE 'COUNTER CULTURE' GENERATION. WE ROLLED AND ROCKED AND SOON REALIZED THAT HOLDING THE MICROPHONE BROUGHT WITH IT, A RESPONSIBILITY. WE ORGANIZED AND VOTED, ENCOURAGING OTHERS TO JOIN US. WE MADE A DIFFERANCE IN LEGISLATION. WE TUCKED, DUCKED AND ROLLED AND THEN WALKED OVER ROCKS. WE WORKED, HARD. WE'RE HERE, BUT FAR FROM DONE. THIS SELF SERVING HORSECRAP HAS GOT TO STOP. WE VE NOT THE LUXURY HERE TOWARD THE DELINEATION OF DISCRIMINARY WORDS. THOSE, HOMELESS/TRANSIENT..ANARCHIST/DEMOCRATE...THE PO-LICE/THE CITIZENS

WE ARE 'THE NEXT GUY'. THE GUY WHO IS LEFT TO DO THE LAST GUYS UNFINISHED BUISNESS. LET'S START BY PO-LICEING OUR OWN SORRY SELVES. ANYTHING, DOES NOT, GO. OUR VERY SURVIVAL, THAT OF ALL OTHER SENTIENT BEINGS WHO SHARE THIS PLANET WITH US, IS VERY SURELY AT RISK HERE. I AM THE NEXT GUY. I'VE

ALWAYS BEEN. I MIGHT BE GOOD LOOKING, BUT LET'S GET REAL...I'M OLD!

I WILL NOT GIVE ANY MORE DIALOGUE OR TIME TO DEBATE IN REGARD TO FERAL HUMAN BEINGS THAT WOULD STEAL MY DOGS OR THEIR TAGS, DEFECATE ON CEMENT WITHOUT A PROPER BURIAL, SPEAK OF FREEDOM AT OTHER'S EXPENSE, DEMAND THE FEW TUPPENCE I'VE TUCKED IN MY RAGGEDY ASSED JEANS, AS I WALK IN THE STREET SO AS NOT TO ENGAGE IN A DOGFIGHT ON THE SIDEWALK, WHERE CLEARLY A 'NO LOITERING SIGN' AND 10 STRANGERS, DRINK BEER AMONGST STREWN GARBAGE., BLOCKING MY WAY. YOU AND I ALLOW THIS OF OUR YOUTH. THEY ARE INVITED HERE. IF ONLY BY YOUR NON ACTION. WE ALLOW THE CHILDEN OF OUR GENERATION, THESE FOLKS, PERHAPS UNKNOWINGLY, TO SET FIRE TO THE HILLSIDES, LEAVE THE FILTH THAT EVEN THEY, WOULDN'T TAKE WITH THEM.

NOW. I CAN COUNT ON ONE HANDS, THOSE CITIZENS, THAT ARE HOMELESS. THESE THAT I OPEN MY DOORS TO WHEN NEEDED. I KNOW THEIR NAMES. THIER NAMES ARE NOT TOAD, OR RATCHET NOR RED. MORE THAN NOT THEY ARE ACCOUNTABLE. MORE THAN NOT, THEY HAVE ALWAYS LIFTED A HAND TO HELP. FREEDOM IS CONTINGENT UPON THE PRECEPT OF 'ALL FOR ONE AND ONE FOR ALL.' MY PERSONAL POLITICAL RESOLVE IS DEEPLY SHAKEN, AS WITH COCKED EAR, I UNDERSTAND THE ETHICS OF THE MORAL MAJORITY, THE RIGHT WING DOGMA , I FOUND INTOLERABLE, IN IT'S DEFIANCE OF SOCIAL JUSTICE, EQUALITY IN THE PROVISION OF SOCIAL SERVICE PROGRAMS FOR THOSE LESS FORTUNATE., THOSE THAT ARE CHILDREN, INVALID OR THOSE ELDERS WHO FOUGHT FOR YOUR FREEDOM (AND CAN NO LONGER CARE FOR THEMSELVES ON \$800.00 A MONTH). OUR FOOD PANTRIES, HEAD START PROGRAM, SOCIAL SECURITY STIPENDS, SPECIAL EUCATION PROGRAMS, MENTAL HEALTH AND PREVENTATIVE HEALTH, PRENATAL CARE SERVICES, TEACHERS, PUBLIC DEFENCE SALARIES AND EVEN THE STATE AND SAFETY OF OUR ROADS ARE JEOPORDIZED BY A GREAT WHITE FINGER THAT COULD VERY POSSIBLY BE CORRECT IF LOOKING AT OUR TOWN AND ANY MONEY, BEING SPENT FURTHERING A FESTERING LAWLESS, ROAMING, GRAB AND GROWL, ABLE BODIED, ANTI-SOCIAL UNCAREING YOUNG STRANGERS, READY TO STEAL YOUR FACE RIGHT OFF YOUR HEAD. I AM SORRY, I AM TIRED OF THIER DEMAND FOR THIER FREEDOM TO SUCK MY COMMUNITY AND THIS FRAGILE, ENDANGERE PLANET DRY. IT JUST WON'T DO.

HOW 'BOUT THIS? HOW 'BOUT ONE, ONE TRANSIENT CAMP AREA? ONE?  
TRASH, ALL CENTRALIZED, IN ONE TRASH AREA, HOW 'BOUT IT?  
ALL FIREMAKING SAFE AND CENTRALIZED, IN ONE FIRE AREA, HOW 'BOUT IT?  
ALL PERSONAL HYGEINE , WASTE MANAGEMENT SAFE,CENTRALIZED IN ONE AREA?

THERE IS TROUBLE IN RIVER CITY, I TELL YOU THIS. WE NEED NOT BE HELD HOSTAGE BY PEOPLE WHO WE CAN NOT NAME. I AM NAMEING IT...A VISIBLE, SHAMEFUL, PAID FOR, DISASTER.

THE VISION IS IN A NO TOLERANCE STANCE TO HOSTAGE TAKING OF A COMPLETE VILLAGE. THE VISION IS IN ONE VENUE, OF A 3 DAY EMERGENCY CAMPING AREA. THE NEED TO IMMEDIATELY ACT, IN EMERGENCY LEVEL ACCURACY, RIGHT NOW, FINDING EMERGENCY LEVEL FUNDING TO HAVE THIS PROGRAM SET IN PLACE IN

## EMERGENCY LEVEL PROPORTION AND IMPORT PRIORITY.

OUR COMMUNITY PARK IS THE PERFECT VENUE FOR THIS 3 DAY EMERGENCY CAMPING AREA. THEN WE WHO OWN THE GARBERVILLE WATER DISTRICT, WILL PERHAPS, GIVE UP THE 'COMMUNITY' WATER. WHEN WE ALL- EVERY NON PROFIT, EVERY MONEY LAUNDERING FRONT, EVERY BUISNESS AND EVERY CITIZEN, CAN AND WILL LIVE UP TO THE TRUE MEANING OF 'COMMUNITY' AND HAVE COMMON RESOLVE. THE CHURCHES HERE SEEM TO FORGET THAT JESUS WAS A LOVER OF TRANSIENTS AND QUITE POSSIBLY A TRANSIENT HIMSELF. DID YOU EVER HEAR OF JESUS STAYING AROUND TO RAISE A BARN OR UNCLOG SOMEONE'S SINK? I'M NOT TALKING ABOUT LOAVES AND FISHES HERE.

NO CAMPING MEANS JUST THAT. NO FRIGGING CAMPING. OUR POLICE FORCE IS LETTING THE PEOPLE BELIEVE THIER VOTE MEANS ABSOLUTLY NOTHING, IN A 'SELECTIVE LAW ENFORCEMENT' ATTITUDE, SO PREVELENT HERE IN SOUTHERN HUMBOLDT COUNTY. PUT ON YOUR BIG BOY BOOTS, SHERRIFF. HAVE YOUR DEPUTIES DO THE WORK WE PAY YOU FOR. ENFORCE THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA'S UNANIMOUS AND ON RECORD DECISION TO ALLOW NO CAMPING ANYWHERE BUT IN DESIGNATED CAMPING ZONES. WE ARE, BY FAR, ONE OF THE WORLD'S WORST AREAS HIT IF THE PREVELANT DANGER OF DISASTROUS FIRE OCCURS HERE. THESE FIRES WILL NOT BE PUT OUT. THEY WILL BE ALLOWED TO BURN UNTIL THEY EXTINGUISH THEMSELVES. THAT MEANS YOUR 'HOYTEE-TOYDEE' GARDEN HOMES AS WELL. THE HUMAN POWER NOR THE WATER ARE AVAILABLE. THESE FIRES WILL NOT BE PUT OUT.

WE PROPOSE AN EMERGENCY, AN EMERGENCY, 3 DAY CAMPING AREA TO COLLECT YOURSELVES AND MOVE ALONG TO THE URBAN AREAS OF OUR COUNTY THAT CAN ACCOMODATE THIS HUGE FINANCIALLY AND ENVIRONMENTALLY OPPRESSIVE SEGMENT OF SOCIETY. ONE THAT, THROUGH BENEVOLENCE, GROWS LARGER, MORE VIOLENT, AND IS MORE EMBARRASSING TO ME EACH YEAR.

I'D SUGGEST HERE, THAT THE LAST PUBLIC TRANSIT BUS, MAKE ONE LAST TRIP-DOWN TO THE 'EMERGENCY CAMPING AREA.' ONE BUS WILL COME TO PICK UP AT TOOBY PARK IN THE MORNING, THOSE FOLKS WHO HAVE SOMETHING 'INDUSTRIOUS' IN MIND, (CLEANING UP ILLEGAL CAMPSITES COMES IMMEDIATELY TO MIND) CAN TAKE THIS BUS OR WALK. THE OPPORTUNITY TOWARD HIGHER EDUCATION IS EXCITING.

MY QUITE STRONG SENTIMENT HERE, IS THAT UNLESS WE HAVE A 'NO TOLERANCE,' PERSPECTIVE, IN THE STREETS OF GARBERVILLE, OUR LIVES AS A WHOLE CAN NEVER SWING BACK TO THE MIDDLE, BUT WORSEN TOWARD A RUDE, BLATANTLY ANTI-SOCIAL, EMBARRASSING ATTITUDE OF INDIFFERANCE.

WE ALL HAVE A RESPONSIBILITY IN ENHANCING A STEWARDSHIP OF THIS LAND WE LIVE UPON, A RESPONSIBILITY TO OUR YOUNG PEOPLE TO PASS ALONG THE ETHICS AND IS THE MORAL FIBER OF ANY SOCIETY. UNLESS WE HAVE A RADICAL COMMON RESOLVE, WE CAN ONLY EXPECT TO BE HELD HOSTAGE. WE HAVE TO PUSH THIS HUGE BALL UP THE HILL ALREADY, TOWARD THE LIGHT. THESE FOLKS ARE RIDING

ON TOP AND SOMETHING SMELLS BAD. I AM STILL A HIPPIY...AND I CARE DEEPLY.

PLEASE DO NOT REPLACE A NO TOLERANCE POLICY WITH THE COMPLACENCY TO LOOK THE OTHER WAY. OUR COMMUNITY AT LARGE NEEDS TO GET A HANDS ON, BIRDS EYE VIEW AND TAKE A FIELD TRIP TO THE HORRENDOUS FILTH OF EVERY ONE OF THESE SITE HERE. ALL WITH ILLEGAL FIRE PITS. WITHOUT EXCEPTION, EVERY ILLEGAL CAMP SITE TAKE YOUR KIDS AND SPOUSES ON A PICNIC. IT TAKES A FLY, LESS THAN FIVE MINUTES TO GET TO YOUR DINNER TABLE.

THIS 3 DAY EMERGENCY CAMPING AREA IS THE VENUE WHERE MANY FOLKS CAN BE REACHED TOWARD REHABILITATION, MEET BASIC HEALTH ISSUES, WHERE FOLKS CAN BE OFFERED NEEDED NEEDLE EXCHANGE, S.T.D. EDUCATION AND PREVENTION, AND HELPED AT ONE TIME BEFORE THEY ARE ASKED TO 'MOVE ALONG.' WE HAVE, IN PLACE AT PRESENT, THE BUS TICKET HOME PROJECT.

THE AVAILABILITY OF A WORK FORCE IS THERE FOR THE MARIJUANA INDUSTRY, IF SO NEEDED. PICK THEM UP THERE.

MIRANDA, WEOTT, PIERCY, LAYTONVILLE, WILLITS, THEY DO NOT HAVE AN ATTITUDE OF TOLERANCE FOR THESE FOLKS. NO, MEANS NO! NO CAMPING, NO LOITERING. NO CAMPING! NO MORE! NOT AGAIN THIS SUMMER! UNLESS IN DESIGNATED CAMPING AREAS., NO! WE HAVE NO WATER TO PUT OUT ANY FIRES, WE CANNOT FATHOM EVEN THE PLACE TO START CLEANING UP THE HORRENDOUS RESIDUAL THRASHING OF GARBAGE LEFT BY PREDESSOR TRANSIENTS.

JOHN COSTA IS A HERO. WE NEED TO AND I WILL HERE ON RECORD, THANK HIM. THERE ARE FEW SUCH LEFT. WE HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TOWARD HIS SPREADING THE EXEMPLARY ATTITUDE OF, 'I CAN'T, WE CAN.' THIS HUGE MESS HAS GOT TO BE DEALT WITH, NOT ADDED TO.

THESE ARE NOT HOMELESS PEOPLE DOWN ON THIER LUCK. THESE ARE MIDDLE CLASS KIDS WHO CAN'T GET ALONG WITH THIER OWN FAMILIES, WON'T STAY HOME TO EARN THIER INHERITANCE, THEY COME FROM FAMILIES WHO WILL SEND THEM MONEY TO STAY AWAY! ALL HAVE CELL PHONES AND ALL OF THEM ARE TAXING A COMMUNITY THAT HAS LIMITED RESOURCES ARE TAXED ENOUGH.

OUR FAMILIES WOULD RALLY AROUND A CHILD WHOSE MENTAL HEALTH WAS SO DELUSSIONAL AS TO THINK IT FINE TO HANG OUT ALL DAY SURROUNDED BY HIS OWN GARBAGE, ASKING FOR MONEY. THIS IS NOT A 'POVERTY' ISSUE, NOR GOVERNMENT CORRUPTION. IT'S CORRUPT TO LET IT CONTINUE.

THE COST EFFECT WILL ALWAYS PLAY THE INSTRUMENTAL ROLE IN THE FACILITATION OF SUCH A PROJECT. IS THE ALTERNATIVE NOT FAR AND DISASTROUSLY MORE EXPENSIVE? THE MONEY THROUGH GRANTS ALREADY MADE TO THE COMMUNITY PARK, SHOULD MOST CERTAINLY BE ALLOCATION TO BEGIN. THE TIME IS RIGHT NOW. WE NEED TO ASK OUR SHERRIFF AND DEPUTIES TO HELP US TO ENFORCE A 'NO TOLERANCE/NO ILLEGAL CAMPING' CONSENSUS.

BY THE WAY, HOW CAN THESE FOLKS COLLECT AND DISPOSE OF TRASH. PLEASE TAKE TAKE THE REPONSIBILITY IN THE REPLACEMENT OF THE INNADEQUATE,

SMALL MOUTHED OVERFLOWING EXCUSE FOR GARBAGE CANS, WITH REAL ONES,  
BIG HUGE GARBAGE CANS IN GARBERVILLE. I'VE HEARD THE EXCUSE '  
THEY JUST FILL THEM UP ANYWAY.' ISN'T THAT THE POINT?

ANY MEMBER OF THIS 'TRANSIENT' COMMUNITY IS INVITED TO BECOME PART OF OUR  
COMMUNITY CONTINGENT ON THESE OBVIOUS GUIDELINES:

THAT THEY PO-LICE TROUBLEMAKERS WHO'RE ASKED TO LEAVE IMMEDIATELY

THAT THEY WORK CLOSELY WITH OUR LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT STAUTES.

THAT THEY DO NOT BOTHER NEIGHBORS

THEY ORGANIZE AND PROVIDE A CORE CREW, SIGNING FOLKS IN BY THIER NAME

THEY 'LL BE WILLING TO MAN A SQUAD DAILY TO CLEAN UP ALL GARBAGE

TOWN CREWS TO CLEAR EVERY PIECE OF RESIDUAL GARBAGE IN ILLEGAL CAMPS

THAT THEY DIRECT OTHERS TO AND EXPLAIN A 3 DAY EMERGENCY CAMPING VENUE

THEY COOPERATE WITH OUR NO CAMPING ORDINANCE

IF WE CANNOT BE OF ONE MIND, AND FIND COLLECTIVE SOLUTION, I WILL BE GOING  
DOOR TO DOOR, PROVIDING PETITION TOWARD A MEASURE ON OUR NEXT BALLOT.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME, FOR YOUR DEDICATION AND FOR THE LOVE OF  
THIS PLACE.

Carrie Conine

the osprey learning center

the garberville post office

back alley from giddyup to radio shack

beach under bridge swimming restricted by transient camps and mean dogs-two women spoke to me

referance locally toward project  
patti Rose - presbyterian church deacon  
blake Lehmann - assessor - property advocate  
Gary Mason - pastor New Wine Fellowship  
Dan RRHC health & Safety Advocate  
Craig Parkinson Pastor business  
owner

Dear Humboldt County Board of Supervisors,

You have much power in determining how the land, air, and water is managed here in this special place we call Humboldt County. It should be clear to all of you, that our resources or better yet, our biosphere has been dealt several severe blows and is now in a precarious state that is in urgent need of action, political and otherwise.

Did you know that here in Northern California mature forests are our best safeguards against drought, and that clear-cutting a forest is a certain way of insuring that our creeks and springs go dry during the summer months? And did you know that as redwoods age, their ability to sequester CO2 from the atmosphere exponentially increases? And did you know that when you clear cut a forest, not only are you taking away the habitat of several key endangered species such as the spotted owl, Coho salmon and the marbled murrelet, but you are also stripping the soil of nutrients and microbes that are essential components of a healthy forest, furthering the deforestation process here in California, forever.

We urge you to do all that is in your power to put an end to the practice of clear cut logging. Sustainable forestry is a viable alternative. It offers both long term skilled careers and healthy mature forests. Promoting and maintaining a healthy working forest habitat is a crucial undertaking to ensuring a stable economy.

Green Diamond, Humboldt Redwood Company, and Sierra Pacific industries are continuing the long process of stripping this area's wealth. They do not care for the people here; they only care for their bottom line: profits at any cost.

Do not weaken the protections of our riparian zones in the general plan update, rather increase the buffer zone. These areas are sensitive and provide many services to all beings, including endemic and endangered salmon populations.

For the Wild,  
Redwood Forest Defense

Hey Humboldt County have you heard the saws  
The noise of clear cuts in your back yard  
Green Diamond Resource Company  
Isn't being very neighborly  
Taking our forests for corporate greed  
Outsourcing local economy  
They cut on the slopes it kills the roots  
And all the dirt on the hill comes loose  
The land is sliding into the ravine  
These logging practices aren't very green

*[Chorus]*

*So what's green about their diamond  
When they plan to clear cut the land  
Spotted owl salmon bear and bat  
Without habitat can they stay at your flat  
[Instrumental]*

Hey Humboldt County have you heard the news  
Redwood trees sequester CO2s  
The longer that a redwood lives  
The more clean air that it can give  
Stop cutting down the second growth  
And ancient forests cuz we need them both  
All we want from you is to care for the trees  
So future generations have air to breathe  
To heal our planet and save our air  
No more clear cuts anywhere

*[Chorus]*

*So what's green about their diamond  
When they plan to clear cut the land  
Spotted owl salmon bear and bat  
Without habitat can they stay at your flat  
[Instrumental]*

Hey Humboldt County lets take a stand  
Our rivers are in danger from the General Plan  
Shortening the length from clear cut to stream  
Ruining watersheds ain't a bad dream  
Protect the water from river to sink  
So our h2o is good to drink  
Tell Green Diamond to clean their mess  
Leaving the land like a board of chess  
The answers restorative forestry  
Don't repeat logging history

**Hey Humboldt County! If you want more  
information, check out [redwoodforestdefense.org](http://redwoodforestdefense.org)  
& Trinidad Tree Sitters on Facebook!**



Date: 4/18/14

To: Humboldt County Board of Supervisors and other recipients

Subject: Things are going to get messy

My dad said revolution was coming and I laughed saying not in my lifetime, but with my book "**Rest In Peace Rural America**" coming true, I am having to think twice about what my dad said.

I understand what is happening, and I see Bundy Nevada Rancher and Bureau of Land Management situation as a good example of what is happening involving a larger problem which nonrural folks do not understand and who call this another Wacho and Ruby Ridge situation. When you get beyond the bloviating, masculinity, and politics, you will see this is a matter where a lot of **rural folks are simply pissed over the way working taxpaying family folks have been treated.** This situation involves what is happening regarding the State of Jefferson, lack of fish, water shortages, spotted owl fiasco, Fox Vanishing Freedom TV program, and many other problems involving truths about endangered species, IRS scandal, and Bengazii.

You can rationalize and apply all the legalese you want, but I say this represents a mess that is coming, because this is the **first time I see guns being involved regarding the matters I mention.**

After seventy years of life and going on fifty years working with working taxpaying, rural family folks, I wrote my self-published and self-paid for book out of frustration, and distributed this book wherever I think it will help get the point across about an unelected and unaccountable Fourth Branch of Government and what is coming.

More fire, more drought, higher energy costs, and damaged rural communities pushed by **special interests, legalese, and human comfort levels**, and a democratic process that uses fifty percent plus one thinking based on slant, media, layman, unknowledgeable, inexperienced, poll driven, protectionist, compromise, and politically correct thinking that routinely ignores field expertise that utilizes historically proven and real world peer reviewed science and site specific facts in a common sensical and logical way are in play.

Producers of resource products in their little world are too busy and too cheap to do what it takes to fight what is happening. An unaccountable Fourth Branch of Government and those practicing legalese are allowed to run things. Those promoting deep and dark protectionism are allowed to hide and distort the obvious. The inexperienced general public are not taught real world truths. Those running large companies and special interests work to hide things. The media and politicians continue to ignore real world truths. Larger foreign matters like the Ukraine situation are being mishandled, and what leads to war is being put in place. Producers are getting to be fewer in number, and I see urban folks not understanding why we illogically continue to fight each other.

Respectfully

  
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# **A mess is coming:**

**In the world, in this country, and even in our little world of Humboldt County.**

**Legalese, media, politicians, and uninformed democracy controlled by the majority plus one vote runs what we do. Producers of natural resource products and those experienced in war are rarely found in decision making positions. Being a republic and letting field experience, getting dirt under your finger nails, is ignored.**

**I find legal precedence overriding site specific facts and field experienced input as illustrated by court actions involving:**

- cement factory pollution**
- restrictions on cheaper drugs**
- stoppage of Keystone pipeline**
- Kamath River water taken from ranchers**
- more fires due to preservationist ideas**
- change in beer making and cattle feed**
- and on and on**

**All the rationalization and legalese applied to the Bundy Nevada Rancher and Bureau of Land Management situation is missing the larger story about the frustration felt by the rural community.**

**We illogically continue to fight each other, put pretty words in place thinking they will solve problems, and ignore real world truths**

**Those who are smart will read my book, and they will see my book “Rest In Peace Rural America”, especially Chapter 11, is coming true.**

Date: 3/20/14

To: Humboldt County Board of Supervisors and other recipients

Subject: Based on an open-minded look at things, we have reached a period of total confusion.

I have reached my thoughts from a lifetime of dealing with issues involving family taxpaying folks and participating in meetings and many regulatory procedures. I have tried to get the attention of those in control of things, but with little feed back, I do not see many folks listening to what I see happening.

County General Plan, California Department of Fish and game Regulations, California Forest Practice Laws, Water Quality Regulations, and many other laws and regulations are so full of undefined words and requirements that **"no one"** understands what is required and what is not required. If anyone, including lawyers, say they understand, they are lying. Hi-tech not used and understood by average taxpaying family folks is good if used right, but all folks including those who know how to use hi-tech can not truthfully say they understand what is happening. Look around and you will see legalese and an unaccountable Fourth Branch of Government controlling our world with requirements being made up as we go along.

Historically proven and peer reviewed science and site specific facts applied by experienced people help keep things in check, but when this is not applied, the result is application of speculation and theory that has everyone going after everyone while making everyone into bad guys.

Reading my book **"Rest In Peace Rural America"** provides some explanation of what is happening.

In my world, I have seen and done many things not okay today, and I have seen significant damage. Upon returning and seeing how many things in the natural resource world have healed, I have learned significance is a big deal. I have learned the bad guys who do **"Significant"** damage need to be punished, but the current effort to avoid all speculated and theorized damage has us on a very expensive, costly, and time consuming trip that hurts a lot of folks.

I see the following list of things in play when we could have logically much, much, much more through promotion of active management that applies historically proven and real world peer reviewed science and site specific facts.

- I see this state illogically importing from out of the state 80% of the wood used in the state when private lands (lands not owned by any governmental body like USFS) produce enough wood to fill state needs.
- Timber harvest plan permit has gone from one page to four hundred pages and still everyone is not happy.
- When you teach how to raise a lot of fish, you can have a lot of fish
- When you teach how to create food for spotted owls, you can have a lot of spotted owls
- When you teach college students deep and dark is better, college students never learn how full and proper active management works.
- When you actively manage the forest, you have less damaging fire and death
- When you produce shoes domestically at higher costs, poor folks have to buy imported shoes.
- When you create surpluses of needed things, there is more support for protecting special places and things.
- When you actively manage natural resources, you have more open space.
- When you properly apply active management, there is more diversity.
- When support for all non-resource economies (hospitals, affordable housing, groceries, education, and on and on) comes from the full and proper use of natural resources, why do you restrict and often kill the support for active management that promotes full and proper use of natural resources?
- Especially in rural areas, when full and proper use of natural resources provides for healthier economies, more affordable housing, better tax base, and more leverage over decisions affecting local areas, why are we illogically fighting each other?
- When producers of natural resources (Farm Bureau, Buckeye, Headwaters Fund, foresters, and on and on) do not step-up, real world truths are not exposed for all to see.
- An on and on and on.

## **It is illogical that we do not get it!**

People laugh at my thinking the book "Atlas Shrugged" can come true.  
Producers are getting hammered and society will collapse as producers drop out.  
If you doubt me, you have not seriously looked at all I have given you.

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# Many do not get it

**Some folks need to wake-up to how many things in Rural America**

**Depend on full and proper use of natural resources**

(storage of water, timber, ranching, farming, rockpits, fish, and unspoken other things)

## **Why are we taught to fight each other**

When active management applying full and proper use of natural resources

(Not deep and dark protectionism and control by an unaccountable Fourth Branch Of Government)

can give us more affordable housing, more well-paying jobs, more vibrant economy,  
better focused educational opportunities, better health care, more tourism and open space,  
more leverage over state decisions, more ability to protect special places and things,  
more spotted owls, more fish, less uncontrolled fire and accompanying damage and death,  
more diversity, better way of life, and  
much, much, much more for many species and humans?

## **Why are we illogically doing what we are doing?**

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