

COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

For the meeting of: 3/9/2021

File #: 21-180

To: Board of Supervisors

From: Supervisor Virginia Bass

Agenda Section: Initiated by Board Member

SUBJECT:

Unpermitted Cannabis Grow Site Environmental Clean Up (Supervisor Virginia Bass)

RECOMMENDATION(S):

That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Hear the presentation from the Fish and Game Advisory Commission and take appropriate action.

SOURCE OF FUNDING:

N/A

DISCUSSION:

The Humboldt County Fish and Game Advisory Commission has reached out to the Board of Supervisors to discuss unpermitted cannabis grow site environmental cleanup issues. Their commission has presented a letter to the Board after several discussions in their own meetings. They have asked that the Board address two main concerns. The first is the accounting and timely reporting on the materials left on an abated grow site and the other is the restoration of the environment on these sites. By discussing and creating a framework that would be both easily accessed and understood, the clean up efforts on unpermitted cannabis grows could be more timely and more efficient.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

N/A

STRATEGIC FRAMEWORK:

This action supports your Board's Strategic Framework by providing community-appropriate levels of service

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT:

N/A

ALTERNATIVES TO STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

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Board Discretion

ATTACHMENTS:

Letter for the Humboldt County Fish & Game Advisory Commission dated January 22, 2021

PREVIOUS ACTION/REFERRAL:

Board Order No.: N/A

Meeting of: N/A File No.: N/A