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Dear Humboldt County
Board of Supervisors,

November 1, 2016

My name is Shanna Archibold. I am the community leader for the Miranda 4-H Club. We are the only 4-H Club in Humboldt County South of Fortuna. We have 30 members. Every Thanksgiving and Christmas our members help with the free community dinner at the Veteran's Hall in Garberville.

The Miranda 4-H Club has helped set up tables & chairs for the community holiday dinners. Members have made and hung decorations, put on table clothes made Christmas Tree Ornaments and decorated the tree. We have sung carols while doing so, in order to practice for caroling to the residents at Garberville Hospital Skilled Nursing Facility. ~~Other~~ Members have made cookies, baked cakes and pies, and even peeled a 5 gallon trash can full of potatoes. These opportunities allow members to learn compassion, citizenship, civic duty, and how to be caring citizens. These have been a

proud tradition at our club
The youth, ages 5 years old
to 18 years old, learn that
they can make a difference and
they can help make the world
a better place.

This year they wanted to
know why our club couldn't
do these things. I was very
sad to explain to them that
the Veteran's Hall is no longer
safe. They wanted to write
letters to you. The Christmas
ornaments they have made are
stuck in the attic in quarantine.
The friends they have made in
the kitchen might be cold on
freezing nights without a shelter.
The public events, dance lessons,
aikido classes & dog obediences
classes that they enjoy are
not happening. These are their
letters + their own words.
Please read them.

As for me & my personal
opinion — Please fix the
John Haynes Memorial Veterans
Hall + Garberville Courthouse
as soon as possible, I beg
of you. I am not an
engineer, but allow me to make
an educated suggestion. There is

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an inexpensive solution. Keep everything below the ceiling — the certified kitchen, office, meeting hall, courtroom, bathrooms + handicap access. Remove the roof by cutting it off. Replace it with premade trusses like the kind that Thomas Home Center sells. Add the necessary metal roofing + plywood. Run dehumidifiers for a month to dehydrate + kill the mold. This could probably be done for \$200,000 - \$300,000. ~~###~~

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This simplified preservation/repair method changes the roof line and prevents future leaks. It also preserves the beautiful hard wood floors, the wall length mirror for dance classes, the grand-fathered kitchen with 4 ovens + many refrigerators and many other wonderful attributes of the Veteran's Hall that I worry will be lost.

Please help the entire Southern Humboldt Community by restoring our Veteran's Hall!

Sincerely,
Shanna M. ~~Shanna~~

November 1, 2016

Dear Humboldt County Board of Supervisors;

My name is S Sawyer. I am 5 years old. I am a member of the Miranda 4-H Club and live in Garberville.

I am writing to you about the Garberville Veteran's Hall still being closed.

I'd like to help Give
the Vets Food...

Please open the hall so
We can help..

Sincerely,

S Sawyer

November 1, 2016

Dear Humboldt County Board of Supervisors;

My name is Keisey. I am 7 years old. I am a
member of the Miranda 4-H Club and live in Benbow.

I am writing to you about the Garberville Veteran's Hall still being closed.

Don't close the veteran's Hall!

Sincerely,

Keisey

November 1, 2016

Dear Humboldt County Board of Supervisors;

My name is Mimi. I am 13 years old. I am a member of the Miranda 4-H Club and live in Salmon Creek.

I am writing to you about the Garberville Veteran's Hall still being closed.

You should not close the Vets Hall.
It is a valuable public building that can
be used for so many things. Also, the
county has no money and it would be
so expensive to tear it down and build a new one.
Just fix this one

Sincerely,

Mimi Laird

Humboldt Co. Supervisors,

My name is Victoria Schanzle

I am a leader in the Miranda 4-H Club.

I live in Miranda.

I am writing about the closure of
the Garberville Vets Hall.

This was a central meeting place
for the Southern Humboldt Community
as well as a office for Humboldt Co.
Court.

The annual Thanksgiving + Christmas dinners
were always served there.

This ^{Hall} needs to be renovated ~~and~~

or torn down and replaced. The

community needs this space for
all the members of our community

Sincerely

Jacqueline Schanzle

November 1, 2016

Dear Humboldt County Board of Supervisors;

My name is JACK. I am 5 years old. I am a
member of the Miranda 4-H Club and live in REDWAX.

I am writing to you about the Garberville Veteran's Hall still being closed.

Fix it

Sincerely,

JACK

November 1, 2016

Dear Humboldt County Board of Supervisors;

My name is MALACHI CHURCH. I am 14 years old. I am a member of the Miranda 4-H Club and live in Miranda CA.

I am writing to you about the Garberville Veteran's Hall still being closed.

PLEASE PAY TO FIX THE HALL

Sincerely,

MALACHI CHURCH

November 1, 2016

Dear Humboldt County Board of Supervisors;

My name is FLYNN. I am 7 years old. I am a
member of the Miranda 4-H Club and live in Miramba.

I am writing to you about the Garberville Veteran's Hall still being closed.

PLEASE

Sincerely,

FLYNN Kamba

Nov. 1, 2016

Dear Humboldt County Board of Supervisors

I have been a member of the Southern Humboldt Community for 25 years. In that time I have seen the Veterans Hall in Oriskany used for a myriad of events including aerobics classes and ballet recitals.

However, most importantly, is its use as a resource center for our Veterans. More and more Veterans are returning from active combat duty and looking for a quiet place to call home. I feel it is our civic duty, as residents of such a serene and uniquely beautiful part of our country, to provide a place for these men and women to find community support.

Please consider this our honor to rebuild or renovate Southern Humboldt's Veteran's Hall.

Sincerely,

Blair Soff

November 1, 2016

Dear Humboldt County Board of Supervisors;

My name is Daphne. I am 16 years old. I am a member of the Miranda 4-H Club and live in Elfersburg.

I am writing to you about the Garberville Veteran's Hall still being closed.

I hope something can be done about the veteran's
Hall in Garberville. It is important that ~~that~~ people
have a place to go on the holiday to be with
other people.

Sincerely,

Daphne Debbis

November 1, 2016

Dear Humboldt County Board of Supervisors;

My name is Logan Hobbs. I am 13 years old. I am a member of the Miranda 4-H Club and live in Ettersburg.

I am writing to you about the Garberville Veteran's Hall still being closed.

I hope you fix the vet's
hall because there has been
a lot of exciting stuff
there like the Franken-
giving dinner and more.

Sincerely,

Logan Hobbs

November 1, 2016

Dear Humboldt County Board of Supervisors;

My name is Sienna Curley. I am 12 years old. I am a member of the Miranda 4-H Club and live in Whitehorn & Salmon Creek

I am writing to you about the Garberville Veteran's Hall still being closed.

We have worked very hard on are
decorations and we can't get to
them. Which really sucks. I would
like to ask if you could fix the
leach. I know that are community would
really appreciate it.

Sincerely,

Sienna Curley

November 1, 2016

Dear Humboldt County Board of Supervisors;

My name is Jonathan Archibald. I am 16 years old. I am a member of the Miranda 4-H Club and live in Salmon Creek.

I am writing to you about the Garberville Veteran's Hall still being closed.

Every year we decorate and help around
the vets hall. We help with thanks giving
dinner and christmas dinner. It was
one of our first community service projects
and we would like to continue doing it

Sincerely,

Jonathan Archibald