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To: Humboldt County Department of Public Works, Tervor Estlow, Tricia Shortridge, Steve Werner, Steve Madrone, Coastal Commission and Big Lagoon Neighbors,

I would like to file a complaint and objection to the signs being posted in and around the Big Lagoon area with lack of any sufficient clarity and appropriate coastal concern. The traffic, congestion, turnarounds, confusion, disruption and damage in my driveway, neighbors driveways and along both Roundhouse Creek Road and Ocean View Drive have become out of control. There is a huge misunderstanding about where the beach is, how to access, where to park, and where to turn around without imposing any safety. There is also out of the area overnight parking, camping in cars and RV's on both Roundhouse Creek Rd and Ocean View Drive, vandalism, as well as non compliance with county and state guidelines during this Covid-19 pandemic have become excessive. The signs are inefficient, broken, bent, stolen, redundant and are not working. I do not know how so many "No Parking" signs are able to be placed along the coast which only created a new hazard parking area, viewing obstructions, and confusion for those that do not know where or want to pay to park at The Big Lagoon Park or somewhere within the parks designated parking lots. Too many signs are being posted without proper guidelines for both the coast and the tourist (visitor). And not enough effective signs are being used.

I have owned a house on Roundhouse Creek Road for over fourteen years and I have seen an increase in traffic, parking, turn-arounds and overall confusion on how to access the lagoon, county beach, Patricks Point, Agate Beach, campgrounds, in both my personal space (driveway and front yard) and neighbors driveways as well as both of the roads dead ends. I have had RV's, campers, boats, trucks, semis, and

cars unsafely turn around and cause disruption,damage, on my property as well as neighbors property. I would suggest a county representative contact us and walk the road in our neighborhood and to view the signage in the area with those of the community, the homeowners. I ask that you listen to our concerns as we are the ones most familiar with how the traffic reacts to the current signage and lack thereof. Thank you for your help and concerns with the misuse of signs in Big Lagoon on both Roundhouse Creek Road and Ocean View Drive. I do believe this is a problem that can be alleviated for all those concerned. We need to work together as a community in order to fix what is not working.

Sincerely,
Rhonda Foreman
Big Lagoon