

**Cannabis Visioning Session – Safety Concerns –
August 10, 2021 – 5:30 PM – 7:00 PM – Chat**

00:12:06 Sarah Stierch: 🗣️The Coastal Zone will not be effected by this ordinance. See what comprises the Coastal Zone here: <https://sonomacounty.ca.gov/PRMD/Services/Zoning-and-Parcel-Report/Zoning-Codes-Coastal/>

00:12:11 Sarah Stierch: ✉️Please send us your ideas, questions, feedback and thoughts to cannabis@sonoma-county.org.

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00:12:44 Spanish interpreter, Julie Burns: Habrá interpretación simultánea inglés/español y español/inglés durante todo el taller

Por favor, seleccione el idioma en el que prefiere seguir el taller en el menú de interpretación en la parte inferior de su pantalla de Zoom.

- LOCALICE EL ÍCONO DE INTERPRETACIÓN – está en la parte inferior derecha de su pantalla
- SELECCIONE su canal – Spanish (ESPAÑOL)

- Seleccione "mute original audio" para silenciar el audio original

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00:27:52 McCall Miller: From M Sidbury: Fire and emergency in- and egress must adequately meet State regulations, which limits the use of many of our sub-standard roads and lanes. Any dead end road would not be suitable Any area that has been designated as a evacuation risk should be off limits. High and very high fire zones should be off limits and any area in the wildland-urban interface zones should be required to have multiple access points for safe evacuation of the neighborhoods. (cont)

00:28:04 McCall Miller: Continued: Processing sites should be located away from fire risk areas to assure that any accident with chemicals does not contribute to fire danger and is easily accessible to first responders. There should be access to proper wastewater hook up to make sure that any runoff of chemicals does not end up in our riparian areas or groundwater supply. Use and storage of these chemicals needs to fall under state/federal regulation for safely compliance. Only extraction processes and solvents that have federal and state approval for health and usage safety should be permitted.

00:29:18 McCall Miller: From N Fleig: No permitting in high fire risk zones or on remote roads with evacuation challenges. Permit cannabis processing only on designated commercial and industrial zoned land.

00:41:45 Sarah Stierch (she/her): ✉️Please send us your ideas, questions, feedback and thoughts to cannabis@sonoma-county.org.

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00:45:54 McCall Miller: From K Roberts-Gutzman: We are finding the sheriff's department won't respond to our calls, about gun shooting, fire works during fire season. Grows don't belong in neighborhoods. Next door to families

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01:24:59 McCall Miller: From N Fleig: Prioritize neighborhood compatibility by limiting cannabis cultivation and processing to areas that do not create noise and odor nuisances for residents, are not in public view, are not in impaired watersheds or water scarce zones 3 and 4, are accessed by legal fire safe roads and do not impact public safety. No permitting in high fire risk zones or on remote roads with

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evacuation challenges. Permit cannabis processing only on designated commercial and industrial zoned land. A new ordinance must address neighborhood compatibility and be science-based to ensure cannabis operation permitting does not create individual or cumulative impacts.

01:25:15 McCall Miller: From K Roberts-Gutzman: Safety also involves the number of vehicles rural roads a seeing. This product is not a crop and shouldn't be allowed to operate 24/7.

01:29:06 Sarah Stierch: ✉Please send us your ideas, questions, feedback and thoughts to cannabis@sonoma-county.org.

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