ORDINANCE NO. 1924 (MARIJUANA DISPENSARY INTERIM ORDINANCE)

Report Pursuant to Government Code section 65858, subdivision (d)

The County of Tehama makes the following report pursuant to Government Code section 65858, subdivision (d) with regard to Ordinance No. 1924:

During the term of Ordinance No. 1924, the Tehama County Planning Department, in consultation with the Sheriff, District Attorney, County Counsel, Executive Director of the Tehama County Health Services Agency, and the Board of Supervisors' ad hoc committee on marijuana cultivation, has undertaken diligent efforts to expedite the consideration and study of possible means of regulating or prohibiting Marijuana Dispensaries, including zoning regulations and other regulations. These efforts have included extensive review of ordinances and regulations considered and adopted in other Counties and Cities, examination of the recent City of Claremont v. Kruse (2009) 177 Cal.App.4th 1153 and pending Qualified Patients Assoc. v. City of Anaheim (G040077, app. pending) cases, and consultation with officials from other local agencies in the region and statewide. These efforts have been directed toward alleviating the conditions which led to the adoption of Ordinance No. 1924 by promoting the prompt determination and implementation of the zoning and other regulations that will effectively mitigate the secondary impacts otherwise resulting from unregulated marijuana dispensaries.