



“Jobs, Housing & Property Rights ”

July 9, 2012

Mrs. Virginia Bass, Chair
Board of Supervisors
Humboldt County
825 Fifth Street
Eureka, California 95501

Subject: July 10, 2012 Supervisors Agenda Item L.1, GPU

Dear Chair Bass and Members of the Board:

We understand your planning staff used an article authored by John Seager when they inserted a Family Planning (population control) policy in the DEIR at the eleventh hour. Mr. Seager is President and CEO of “Population Connection” – a non-profit organization headquartered in Washington D.C.

Population Connection’s theme is: “Education and Action for a Better World”. It is apparently funded in part by the United Nations. See

http://www.populationconnection.org/site/PageServer?pagename=about_contactus
http://www.populationconnection.org/site/DocServer/AR_2011_Low.pdf?docID=2961

Even though the proposed Family Planning policy has since been deleted from the DEIR when it was discovered by a member of the public, it is our hope you will abolish the “short list” concept and either review the entire GPU and DEIR in its entirety, or establish the CACs to start afresh with the Framework Plan, as we suggested in previous HELP letters to your Board.

Thank you for all your hard work.

Respectfully,

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Kay Backer, representing
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