



Fw: Introduction of a proposed ordinance amending Title 2, Chapter 2.11

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Subject: Introduction of a proposed ordinance amending Title 2, Chapter 2.11

Mr. Mecham,

I am fairly new to the county and have just seen what is proposed for the July 24th agenda.

1. Introduction of a proposed ordinance amending Title 2, Chapter 2.11 of the County Code to establish provisions regulating the use of facilities and vacant land that are owned or operated by the County. Hearing date set for August 21, 2012. All Districts

The proposed ordinance amendment regarding regulating the use of facilities and vacant land owned or operated by the County is cause for great concern to me.

I am a registered voting San Luis Obispo county resident.

I fervently urge you to remove this from the agenda and any further consideration.

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This is in direct opposition to our U.S. Constitutional right to free speech and assembly.

Amendment I

Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the government for a redress of grievances.

And our California Constitution.

ARTICLE 1 DECLARATION OF RIGHTS

SECTION 1. All people are by nature free and independent and have inalienable rights. Among these are enjoying and defending life and liberty, acquiring, possessing, and protecting property, and pursuing and obtaining safety, happiness, and privacy.

SEC. 2.

(a) Every person may freely speak, write and publish his or her sentiments on all subjects, being responsible for the abuse of this right. A law may not restrain or abridge liberty of speech or press.

(b) A publisher, editor, reporter, or other person . . . shall not be adjudged in contempt by a judicial, legislative, or administrative body, or any other body having the power to issue subpoenas, for refusing to disclose the source of any information . . .

SEC. 3. The people have the right to instruct their representatives, petition government for redress of grievances, and assemble freely to consult for the common good.

Have you taken an oath to uphold the Constitution? No board, nor any member, should even entertain the idea of passing such an ordinance. We, U.S. citizens and California residents, cannot have our free speech rights altered, nor be prevented to assemble near a government building. And why would you exempt public agencies and officials or County employees? This is a bad proposal. Regulations, permits and fees for large groups are already in place for public safety. This goes over the line to obstruct personal freedom for anyone not employed or connected with the county. The role of elected officials is to work for the rights of the people, not against them. This proposed ordinance is directly, personally against the rights of the people.

I am emailing each of you because this affects each legal resident of our county; therefore each member of the board should reconsider the proposal. I have contacted as many of my friends as I could on such short notice, and will be attending both

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meetings.

Sincerely,

Catherine Crawford Arnold

***Grace and Peace to you,
Catherine***

2 Thessalonians 3:16 Now may the Lord of peace Himself grant you His peace (the peace of His kingdom) at all times and in all ways [under all circumstances and conditions, whatever comes]. The Lord [be] with you all.



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The 1st Amendment of the United States Constitution includes the guarantee of freedom of speech and peaceable assembly.

Bill of Rights Amendment I

Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the Government for a redress of grievances.

I feel strongly that this proposed ordinance violates these freedoms.

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Please remove it from further consideration.

Barbara Weiss

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Dear Supervisor,
Please kill the proposed camping ordinance which comes to vote on August 21. While the antics of the "Occupy SLO" folks were disgusting, the proposed cure is far worse than the disease. Why? Because the various sections of the ordinance are clearly unconstitutional. The federal and State governments have already removed many of our fundamental rights. Do not join them in this. Kill the ordinance and enforce the health and safety laws that are already on the books instead.

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