

Board of Supervisors Meeting

Meeting Time: 05-23-23 09:00

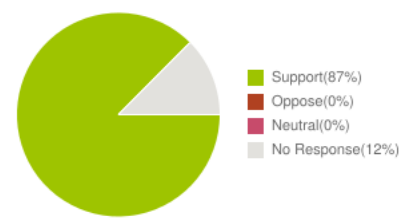
eComments Report

Meetings	Meeting Time	Agenda Items	Comments	Support	Oppose	Neutral
Board of Supervisors Meeting	05-23-23 09:00	48	16	14	0	0

Sentiments for All Meetings

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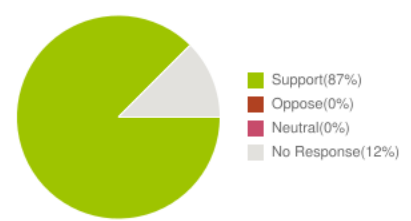
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31. PROTECTING CHILDREN FROM CANNABIS POISONING	16	14	0	0

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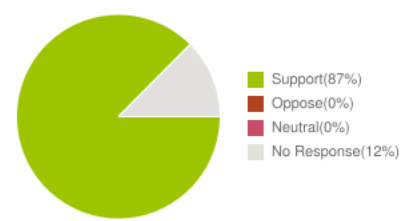
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Agenda Item: eComments for 31. PROTECTING CHILDREN FROM CANNABIS POISONING

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Diane Grace

Location: 92130, SAN DIEGO
Submitted At: 11:01am 05-23-23

As a mother, grandmother and one who has served on numerous youth boards, I urge you to support AB 1207, The Cannabis Candy Child Safety Act. This bill will honor the promise and intent of Prop 64 by implementing key measures to protect children and youth, more clearly define and prohibit products, packaging and marketing that is attractive to children or teens, and prohibit flavored inhaled cannabis products known to hook kids.

Erica Leary

Location:
Submitted At: 8:06am 05-23-23

On behalf of the Board of the North Coastal Prevention Coalition, we thank Supervisor Desmond for bringing this issue to the BOS. NCPC joins organizations and coalitions across the State in support of AB 1207, and thanks our local physicians for sounding the alarm and sharing data about children's poisonings from marijuana edibles.

Barbara Gordon

Location:

Submitted At: 6:23am 05-23-23

As a Public Health Educator I urge the Board to support AB 1207 that will help reduce the impact of accidental ingestion of marijuana products on children who are the most vulnerable to the impact of high potency THC.

Jon Lester

Location:

Submitted At: 10:48pm 05-22-23

I have a lot of nieces and nephews, I sometimes feel helpless against BIG Marijuana. They have taken a page from BIG Tobacco and have created enticing candy flavored pot products in child attractive packaging. Please support AB 1207.

Oliver Twist

Location:

Submitted At: 9:36pm 05-22-23

Yes on AB 1207 and please support it in all ways you can. We need to protect our kids from harmful products packaged and designed to be attractive to young ones. A recent article in NPR highlighted the 1,375% increase in accidental ingestion (<https://www.npr.org/sections/health-shots/2023/01/03/1146592977/3-000-young-children-accidentally-ate-weed-edibles-in-2021-study-finds>.)

And kudos to all the ladies who call in meeting after meeting to alert the public about the many harms of marijuana.

Kelly McCormick

Location:

Submitted At: 9:09pm 05-22-23

As a parent & youth advocate, I urge your support for AB 1207, the Cannabis Candy Child Safety Act. Marijuana manufacturers & retailers are selling high-THC products, with multiple "servings" in a single package, that look like traditional candies, cookies, chips, etc. Toddlers are being hospitalized at an alarming rate because they eat these "treats", not knowing they contain marijuana. Older children and teens are lured in by the flavors and packaging, mistakenly believing pot is harmless.

Kathleen Lippitt

Location: 92064, Poway

Submitted At: 7:52pm 05-22-23

Nationally, edible cannabis poisonings of children six and under increased 1,375% (2017 - 2021). Many resulted in intensive care, mechanical ventilation, and sometimes even in death. Public electeds have turned a blind eye to protecting public health safety and welfare and put all their efforts into growing a third industry of addiction after alcohol and tobacco and it is time to protect children. Marijuana use also threatens California's smokefree workplace laws and other smoke-free venues.

ann riddle

Location:

Submitted At: 5:52pm 05-22-23

I support AB 1207 because I work with teens and I know that the flavored candylike packaging of e-cigs and edibles is attractive to them, on purpose. The pot industry is as predatory as the tobacco industry. This has been a hard bill to pass because the pot industry recognizes that young people are a profitable customers, and don't want to lose them.

JUDITH STRANG

Location: 92130, SAN DIEGO

Submitted At: 5:48pm 05-22-23

Our children, youth, parents and schools cannot afford the continued proliferation of cannabis products attractive to children. The Cannabis Candy Child Safety Act will honor the promise and intent of Prop 64 to keep cannabis and its products out of the hands and bodies of our children.

Mark Ostrander

Location: 91934, Jacumba

Submitted At: 4:11pm 05-22-23

We must protect children from things that can harm them and in some cases for life. We have regulations for child seats in cars, helmets for bicycle riding, tobacco, vaping, etc. This should be put in place to protect children at all costs. I urge you to support and vote yes. Thank you

Katie Poponyak

Location: 92024, Encintas

Submitted At: 1:28pm 05-22-23

Prop 64 promised that Marijuana products shall be NOT designed to be appealing to children and easily confused with candy or children's treats. The growing Marijuana industry is violating this promise and sells cookies, candy, drinks and chips with names familiar to children. Marketing of these kid friendly marijuana products is turning up everywhere in violation. The Cannabis Candy Child Safety Act will honor the promise of 64 and keep cannabis and its products out of children's sight and body.

John Murphy

Location:

Submitted At: 10:03am 05-22-23

Please support this important bill - AB 1207. We need to remove these attractive pot products that appeal to our youth. Some of these products are very potent, which do much harm to our youth's developing brains and body. Legalizing pot was suppose to protect our youth, but these candies, chips, and sodas with THC are getting into the hands of our youth and being found in our schools.

KC Strang

Location:

Submitted At: 9:11am 05-22-23

AB 1207 is supported by dozens of organizations and individuals representing pediatricians, parents, emergency physicians, public health, youth, and substance use prevention professionals. Key supporters include the California American Academy of Pediatrics, the American College of Emergency Physicians - California Chapter, the Public Health Institute and Youth Forward. The BOS should support this bill too, to send a message to the pot industry that it shouldn't market to our teens.

Cherry diefenbach

Location:

Submitted At: 9:58am 05-20-23

AB 1207 is a small step to protect the most vulnerable members of our society, our children, from unnecessary and dangerous cannabis exposure. Elected leaders must continue to do everything within their authority to limit the cannabis poisonings of our youth.

Roy Gage

Location:

Submitted At: 4:33pm 05-18-23

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Monica Moore

Location:

Submitted At: 1:29pm 05-18-23

Due to systemic regulatory failures, California has experienced the proliferation of hundreds of legal cannabis products with characteristics of candies and foods known to attract children and youth. This has led to annual cannabis exposures reported to California Poison Control increased from below 200 in 2010 to over 1600 by 2020; 50% involved children, half below age 12; There were only 16 total reported gummy exposures between

2010 and 2015 vs. 409 in 2020 alone. AB 1207 is needed!