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CITY OF HALF MOON BAY REBUTTAL ARGUMENT SUBMISSION FORM

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If both an argument in favor of and against a measure have been selected for publication in the voter information pamphlet, a rebuttal to the argument in favor of or the argument against the measure may be submitted as outlined in this form.

The author(s) or a majority of the authors of the argument in favor of the measure may prepare and submit a rebuttal argument to the argument against the measure or may authorize in writing other person(s) to prepare, submit, or sign the rebuttal argument. Likewise, the author(s) or a majority of the authors of the argument against the measure may prepare and submit a rebuttal argument to the argument in favor of the measure or may authorize in writing other person(s) to prepare, submit, or sign the rebuttal argument.

A rebuttal argument shall not be accepted unless accompanied by this completed form. In addition to the information provided here, the argument shall contain the printed name(s) and signature(s) of the person(s) submitting it, or, if submitted on behalf of a bona fide association of citizens/organization, the name of the association/organization and the printed name and signature of at least one of its principal officers who is the author of the argument.

Word count limit for Rebuttal Arguments - 250 words

Deadline for Receipt of Rebuttal Argument – August 23, 2018 at 5:00 pm

REBUTTAL TO ARGUMENT IN FAVOR OF MEASURE MM

REBUTTAL TO ARGUMENT AGAINST MEASURE _____

SIGNED BY EXACT SAME INDIVIDUAL(S) AS ARGUMENT ALREADY SELECTED FOR THE VOTER INFORMATION PAMPHLET

If you are submitting a rebuttal argument and the individual(s) signing the rebuttal argument are the same as the individual(s) signing the original Ballot Measure Primary Argument Submission Form, check the following box and complete the back side of this form.

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SIGNED BY INDIVIDUAL(S) DIFFERENT FROM THE PRIMARY ARGUMENT

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With their signature, signers state that they have read the argument and believe it not to be false or misleading.

PLEASE ATTACH A HARD COPY OF THE REBUTTAL ARGUMENT TO THIS FORM AND PROVIDE AN ELECTRONIC (WORD) COPY VIA EMAIL TO JBLAIR@HMBCCITY.COM.

Rebuttal to Argument in favor of Measure MM

True, 69% of HMB voted for Proposition 64. But there's a big difference between support for simple personal/medical use, and support for manufacturing potent extracts and edibles. Recent professional polling from Emerson College Polling (NY), and Mason-Dixon Polling (IL) show that well under half of respondents support commercial pot activities, while still supporting personal/medical use. Liberal Marin County prohibits commercial cannabis except delivery. The same is true here, with most opposing commercial pot.

MM's supporters state "Cannabis manufacturing can appear to be one of the scarier aspects of licensed cannabis activities." We agree. Manufacturing operations are industrial processes using the flammable solvents butane and propane, which require use of blast proof rooms. Manufacturing is more appropriate in industrial parks - not in the middle of our rural town or A-1 districts next to residential neighborhoods. These highly potent extracts are very high value, and a target for robbery.

The CCC states, "Passing this measure ... would support the full value chain of cannabis activities on the coast." In other words, they want to make the Coast a destination for growing, manufacturing and selling all things cannabis – and that would change our town for the worse.

Half Moon Bay is a wonderful place to live, raise kids, and visit. Let's not ruin the character of our local treasure by turning it into San Mateo County's "go to" destination for the purchase of everything marijuana related. Read the experience of other states that have gone down this road <https://learnaboutsam.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/04/SAM-Lessons-Learned-From-Marijuana-Legalization-Digital.pdf> and join us in opposing this measure.

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