

SB365

I support SDC charges for marijuana businesses and support the new time, place, manner restrictions decided by the commissioners in the fall. We have time, place, manner restrictions because the commissioners who were in office at the time had the option to opt-out and the only reason they opted-in was because they were assured that Deschutes County would have the right to implement the restrictions they decided on.

From discussions with many farmers around the county, it seems that the Deschutes County Farm Bureau is only supportive of the marijuana and hemp industries, despite their saying otherwise, and many farmers will have nothing to do with the DCFB.

I believe the back-room-dealings of the marijuana industry are trying to bypass the regulations set in place by the commissioners - the regulations that were the result of a year's due-diligence and careful consideration. If it is so terrible to conduct marijuana business they are free to go to many other counties and states that are less restrictive.

Do not destroy my rural life, abuse water rights, and possibly support human trafficking and the black market. Review the new studies from Colorado before you make these life-changing decisions !

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