



Brothers and Sisters:

As you may be aware, our Motion for Summary Judgment that was originally scheduled for April 30 was postponed until June 10th due to minor procedural changes made to the pleadings (including our complaint-in-intervention) at the request of the McFarland Group. We amended the complaint-in-intervention to specify the Grange real property that we know to be in the possession of the McFarland Group. Following our amendment, the McFarland Group filed even more briefing in opposition to our motion for summary judgment. The brief that was filed has nothing to do with our change to add the addresses to the complaint. Rather, it is an argument that the McFarland Group's officers who knowingly violated the rules of the Grange should not bear the financial responsibilities and consequences for those actions when our motion for summary judgment is granted. We opposed the additional brief. At this point, we look forward to having the judge decide this case on the merits and confirm what we all know to be true: that the Grange's rules do mean something and cannot be disregarded at a whim.

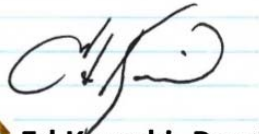
Attached you will find McFarland's Group additional brief
[Brief Regarding Financial Responsibility](#)

and our response -

[California State Grange answer](#)

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