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Good day to you Ms Chamberlain,

I am writing to you today in regards to the above and the report that our local councillor Judi Partridge, kindly sent ink: <a href="https://bit.ly/3eCiXnV">https://bit.ly/3eCiXnV</a>

In question the awful grow facility bending centre road property 1409A or B you can physically see this at the back of any of the properties at the rear of Meander close

Over the last few years we have seen prior to the legalization, the farm be raided, and changed hands apparently 3-4 times.

The nuisance factors are not limited to the report as it also does not encompass the drone of the exhaust fans that also emit the noise and cast the rotten smell across the entire community.

The farm when it was a farm was well looked after and also I am pretty sure they are obtain tax credits for farm use but one large field has not been utilized in over three years.

The farm itself has multiple hooped greenhouses covered with polythene and fans on them. each year its increasing in size and stench is getting worse.

Perhaps this meeting on April 22nd is just good timing as I have called the city and wrote to the province three times last year without any success.

Further to this i am pretty sure they should not be drawing water from the creek year after year with hidden pumps and industrial size hose pipes.

I believe the farm is 100% of a nuisance, the odour is horrific and even realtors say this can lead to difficulty in selling and attracting buyers

I certainly would like to see something done about this.

Please do keep me in the loop as the rise in traffic at the back also sis a concern it is not a gated secure area at all.

Many thanks

Richard Robertson