

Ladies/Gentlemen:

After reviewing the draft policy relating to AB 885, I feel strongly that it would be more appropriate to adjust the minimum acreage to 2 acres rather than the proposed 2-1/2 acres for exemptions. The reason for that is that in the City of Elk Grove the General Plan outlines a large area east of Elk Grove, in the Sheldon area, as Rural and the minimum acreage is 2 acres. It would be much more acceptable to have AB 885 conform with the lot sizes of 2 acres, rather than 2-1/2, so there would be a uniform set of standards for everyone living in Rural Elk Grove and other entities that may have similar General Plans and Zoning Codes.

I have lived on my rural property for 50 years and there has never been a problem with the septic systems in our rural area. Please readjust that proposed requirement to fit with the Elk Grove General Plan of 2 acres.

Thank you very much.

Sincerely,

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