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I am writing against changing current taxation of cannabis tax on manufacturers. I will never understand why you feel the need to constantly bait and switch to get industry to Lompoc. Manufacturers moved here because of the favorable taxation and low industrial real estate prices and now that you got them here and they have created jobs you decide there are a cash cow that need to pay their " fair share." NO!

Owning a business has constant decisions to conform to stated regulation. You can not and should not change the rules after you have begun the game.
They can leave just as easily as they came.

How about increasing the TOT tax (paid for by end users), or better yet living within your means with already collected taxes.

Thank You

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