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Dear Supervisors,

Thank you for serving our community during an extremely challenging time in our country's history. I am a parent, 4th District resident and director of a non profit and am very concerned about the loss of funding to our county by the cancellation of federal grants. I'm also very concerned about proposed Federal changes to Medicare and Medicaid that seem poised to impact Medi-Cal and put thousands of people in our region at risk of losing health coverage.

I urge you to keep prioritizing preventive measures such as ensuring healthcare coverage and investing in climate resilience measures in order to prevent escalating costs from both of those down the road. It's time to protect the most vulnerable among us and reduce the disproportionate spending on incarceration.

I believe juvenile hall and adult correction facilities can be downsized budgets in order to right-size for our counties' needs.

Please support a just, people-centered budget with investment in health, housing, and long term climate resilience.

Sincerely,
Nancy Faulstich
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