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Below is a recap of this week’s Board of Supervisors Meeting—

- During the fires, Napa County showed how strong we are through our community organizations coming together for the good of all. Today, we adopted agreements to allow these entities to recover the greatest amount of reimbursement possible for the services they provided to residents. Thank you to all of you for your commitment to making Napa a safer, better place to live.

- **Cannabis update**—Had an opportunity to discuss cannabis policy further. Today’s agenda item was a “study session” for outdoor personal cultivation of cannabis. Commercial activity will be discussed after we have addressed personal cultivation. The bulk of the discussion surrounded set back restrictions—for example, homes within a certain distance of a school or park will not be allowed to grow. No action was taken, other than extending the current moratorium on commercial activity until December 4, 2018 to allow staff, currently focused on fire recovery efforts, time to fully analyze and prepare.

**Debris Removal update**—

- 48% of properties have had their debris removed, of which 56% are ready to rebuild (after debris is removed, properties must pass soil samples to be ready)
- Tentative moving target to complete Phase 2 is mid-February.
- Close to 100,000 tons of debris has been removed
- Have questions for the US Army Corp of Engineers (USACE)? Call: (877)875-7681

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