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RUDY MARTINEZ *sold out Eagle Rock*

Why are the illegal
medical marijuana
dispensaries
working to elect
RUDY MARTINEZ?

JOSE HUIZAR led the fight to shut down the illegal marijuana dispensaries in Eagle Rock.

Daily News

City closes medical marijuana clinic loophole

In a move to check the proliferation of questionable medical marijuana clinics, city officials moved Tuesday to close a loophole that has allowed nearly 500 clinics to set up shop over the past two years despite a city moratorium.

A city panel voted to change the language on an interim measure that allowed clinics to open under a “hardship exemption” clause. The clause allowed clinics to argue why they should be allowed to open even with the moratorium in place.

The City Council’s Planning and Land Use Management Committee approved a proposal from Councilman Jose Huizar to strike the exemption from its Interim Control Ordinance, adopted in September 2007.

“I am a supporter of Proposition 215 to give reasonable access to medical marijuana,” Huizar said in a written statement. “But, we have seen a proliferation of these clinics operated by people who are seeking a quick profit.”

Los Angeles Daily News
June 9, 2009

When scores of illegal medical marijuana dispensaries opened up in Eagle Rock, José Huizar worked with the community to shut them down. He helped to author the ordinance to slam shut the loophole that had allowed more than 500 dispensaries to open in the city. His ordinance limited them to no more than 70 in the city, and no more than 2 in any community.

The dispensaries sued, and the ordinance is being fought out in the courts. José Huizar is making sure the city defends their law and protects the community.

But RUDY MARTINEZ fought to keep the dispensaries open!

Council candidate Rudy Martinez spoke before a meeting of the Eagle Rock Chamber of Commerce in September 2010 to urge the Chamber to oppose an effort by the Los Angeles City Attorney to shut down these illegal businesses. (*Boulevard Sentinel*, October 2010)

Martinez has also taken \$1000 in contributions from an illegal marijuana dispensary that had been ordered to shut down by the City Attorney. (*Contributions from Paul and Leno Sislin, owners Sunset Discount Dispensaries*)

Now the illegal marijuana dispensaries are campaigning to elect RUDY MARTINEZ, and defeat JOSE HUIZAR.

The dispensaries have opened and are funding a political action committee called “California Dispensaries, The Green Alliance of Providers and Patients” (FPPC ID# 1335398) to campaign for Rudy Martinez and defeat José Huizar.

They know that Rudy Martinez is on their side. And José Huizar is on the side of the community.