

WE THE PEOPLE

**MUST MAKE SURE THAT WE ARE THE ONES
WHO DECIDE ABOUT LOCAL PESTICIDE
POLICIES!**

Join us on Oct. 27th to learn about:

THE CITY of SANTA CRUZ LOCAL CONTROL, PESTICIDE and CHEMICAL TRESPASS ORDINANCE

What the Ordinance Does:

- Bans Corporations from engaging in the bulk application of pesticides *by any means* within the City limits;
- Bans persons and government agencies from using corporations to engage in the bulk application of pesticides within the City limits;
- Establishes strict liability and burden of proof standards for chemical trespass;
- Recognizes and enforces the rights of residents to defend the rights of natural communities and ecosystems;
- Asserts the fundamental and inalienable right of the people of the City of Santa Cruz to govern ourselves in the community where we live.

The Ordinance Does Not:

- Ban individuals from applying pesticides on their private property;
- Ban individuals from using corporations to engage in the application of pesticides on their private property.