Petition: Citizens Protecting Agricultural Land

To the Honourable the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, in Legislature Assembled:

The petition of the undersigned, residents of the province of British Columbia, states that:

We believe:

- Local food security is a priority for British Columbians.
- Farmland in the Agricultural Land Reserve represents only 5% of our land base. There is an urgent need to protect and preserve this land in the interests of food security.
- Marijuana grow-ops should not be permitted on land in the Agricultural Land Reserve because they destroy the agricultural value of the land and its potential to produce food, and they may displace traditional food crops, thereby threatening food security.

Your petitioners respectfully request that the Honourable House urge the government to consider the advisability of prohibiting marijuana grow-ops on land in the Agricultural Land Reserve.

Dated _____ day of _____, 2018

Name (Please Print)	Address (Please Print)	Signature