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**To:** City Council  
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**Subject:** [PDF] Correspondence for March 27 Council Meeting Re: Treasure Cove  
**Attachments:** Mary Alsip - Cap City Council Treasure Cove Letter.pdf

March 22, 2025  
Capitola City Council  
420 Capitola Avenue  
Capitola, CA 95010

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We commend the Capitola City Council for its innovative, compassionate, and forward-thinking decision to support the creation of Treasure Cove. This inclusive playground will provide lasting benefits to generations of children and their families in the community, fostering a space where all children can play, grow, and thrive together.

Thank you for your commitment to building inclusive playgrounds for all children and for your continued dedication to enhancing our community.

Sincerely,

Mary Alsip  
Vice President, Rotary Club of Santa Cruz Sunrise  
City Planner, City of Santa Cruz, Retired



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**THE FOUR-WAY TEST** "of the things we think, say or do"

1<sup>st</sup> is it the **TRUTH**? 2<sup>nd</sup> is it **FAIR** to all concerned? 3<sup>rd</sup> will it bring **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**? 4<sup>th</sup> will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?