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To: City Council
Subject: Diversion of Rail Trail and Measure L

Capitol City Council Members,

I am writing today to express my view on the diversion of the rail trail onto city streets.

As a resident of Capitola I was disheartened to learn that the city was working with the RTC on a plan to divert the trail off the rail right of way down through the village then along Park Avenue. We, the voting residents of Capitola, as you all well know, passed Measure L which was subsequently codified as part of the Capitola Municipal Code 8.72. The clear intent of this Measure was to ensure the trail stays on the RTC owned right of way through the City of Capitola.

It has come to light that the city staff, in bad faith, has been working with the RTC to subvert Measure L. As elected representatives of the voting public of Capitola it is your responsibility to uphold our laws. Capitolsans spoke, with their vote on Measure L, to keep the trail off of city streets. It is now up to you to carry out your sworn duty.

It is unconscionable that any elected official would directly vote against the will of their constituency. In so doing, they will be breaking a law of the city they have sworn to represent.

Elected representation is the backbone of our society. When those elected subvert the electorate what is left?

Thank you for listening to the Capitola residence that elected you.

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