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**Subject:** Residency

Dear Capitola City Council members-

I am writing with regard to Item 6 (Oral Communications by Members of the Public) on the City Council agenda for Thursday, May 8, 2025.

I have read Ms. Kellison's letter to the council dated March 6, 2025, and watched video of the recent council meeting. I spent time today looking for residency requirements for City Council members on the Capitola City website and could not find them.

Based on the seriousness of this issue, I ask that the City Council address this topic without delay so that voters are assured that our City Council members do maintain primary residency in the City of Capitola.

I ask the Council to consider the following questions for discussion:

Are councilmembers required to publicly disclose if they purchase a home outside of Capitola during their term? If not, why not? And is there any policy requiring notification to the City Manager or City Attorney when there is a change in a council member's living situation?

Thank you in advance for your prompt attention to the issue of residency of our City Council members.

Meghan Morrissey  
Capitola Resident