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Capitola City Council  
420 Capitola Avenue  
Capitola, CA 95010

Dear Members of the Capitola City Council,

As a proud resident and business owner in Capitola for the past 18 years, I am writing to express my strong support for the revitalization of the Capitola Wharf. The Capitola Wharf holds a special place in the heart of our community and has historically played a crucial role in our local economy.

I firmly believe that rebuilding the Capitola Wharf is essential for the economic prosperity of our city. I advocate for the inclusion of a restaurant with entertainment and a Boat and Bait shop, reminiscent of the amenities that once graced our beloved wharf. If we can bring back the Boat and Bait shop that was there before and the Wharf House, that would be ideal. These establishments were not only cherished by locals but also attracted a significant influx of tourists, particularly during the summer months, thereby boosting our local economy throughout the year.

Furthermore, I urge the council to consider expanding the scope of the wharf's offerings. By enlarging the wharf to accommodate additional restaurants, as well as incorporating a kayaking shop and a surf shop, we can further capitalize on Capitola's natural beauty and outdoor recreational opportunities. Such enhancements would not only attract more visitors but also provide additional amenities for residents to enjoy.

The revitalization of the Capitola Wharf presents a tremendous opportunity to breathe new life into our community and solidify Capitola's status as a premier destination on the California coast. I urge the council to carefully consider these proposals and take decisive action to ensure the successful restoration and enhancement of the Capitola Wharf.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. I look forward to seeing the Capitola Wharf once again thrive as a vibrant hub of activity and a source of pride for our community.

Sincerely,

Alla Mia Basaldua

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