
Item 9B consideration this week

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To City Council <citycouncil@ci.capitola.ca.us>

Hello, I am Andrew Goldenkranz. I sit on the board of Santa Cruz Community Health, which has about 800 patients in Capitola; and am a leader in Temple Beth El, which has about 100 members in Capitola. Both of these institutions have existed serving the local community for more than 50 years. I appreciate all your hard work on behalf of this beautiful city.

In my view, item 9B is a waste of time and a distraction from the real work of the city. Someone walking a neighborhood looking for the home address of an elected official, in this day and age, is cause for concern and Melinda's mama bear instincts took over and she called him out. Personally I think she overstepped but this is certainly a molehill. The attempts to smear her are simply a cover for whatever policy disagreements exist among them.

If we've learned anything this month, it's the importance of listening and reconciling different opinions. 9B pulls the City in the opposite direction. Every minute you spend on this is a minute you're not considering housing, public safety, parks, and the important needs for better community development.

Thanks in advance for showing thr wisdom to move beyond this distraction and get back to the real work of governing Capitola.

Sincerely,

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