

PO Box 179  
Pacific Grove, CA 93950-0179  
March 15, 2024

John Guertin  
City Manager of Del Rey Oaks  
650 Canyon Del Rey Blvd  
Del Rey Oaks, CA 93940-5505



Dear Mr. Guertin:

I served as the precinct election board inspector at the polling place at the Old Town Hall in Del Rey Oaks for the March 5 Presidential Primary election. I am writing this fan letter as a private individual and not as a representative of the Monterey County Elections Department.

I have worked at numerous other polling place locations, but this election was my first at the Old Town Hall. Part of the inspector's role is to coordinate set-up with a designated facility manager. The Elections Department identified Ron Fucci from Public Works as that person.

I gained a lot of confidence that everything would go smoothly as I work with Mr. Fucci. The Old Town Hall was always available when we needed it: site visit, early set-up, and election day. I felt a sense of calm when I arrived at the polling place at 6am on Tuesday because the lights were already on, the flag was up, and the door was unlocked.

For the facility itself, I appreciate that we had all the tables and chairs we needed. I had never spent time at this corner of Del Rey Oaks. In addition to serving the voters, it was charming to see all of the families who brought their children to use the playground equipment and all the dog owners who brought their pets for exercise in the dog park. The whole complex is an impressive city value.

Sincerely,

*Dennis Mar.*  
Dennis Mar

[DennisRMar3@yahoo.com](mailto:DennisRMar3@yahoo.com)  
(831) 372-9388