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Erika Stubstad submitted a new eComment.

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Item 2: In response to the November 27, 2019 "Cure and Correct" Demand Letter from Anthony Higgins pertaining to the November 21, 2019 Mayor Pro Tem selection: a) Consider whether or not to respond to the demand by: i. Rescinding the action taken on November 21, 2019 to select a Mayor Pro Tem; ii. Accepting public comment; iii. Accepting nominations for Mayor Pro Tem; and iv. Voting on selection of Mayor Pro Tem.

eComment: Dear Hermosa Beach City Council, I am surprised as a little beach city we are at this cross-roads, and I am disappointed in the newly seated Mayor, Mary Campbell. It seems as though Hermosa beach residents can not trust you to follow simple procedures, such as following a scheduled rotation of mayor / mayor pro-tem that has been in place for 40 years. Is this an indication of how you will act with complicated issues that arise? Are you capable of bringing various differing opinions to the table for complicated and difficult conversations? What about transparency to those you represent, the Hermosa Beach residents? I hope you have taken time to reflect on your actions and the resulting questions / concerns that have arisen due to them. I would like to remind all those seated on the Council, you hold a public office, which is defined as a position of authority or service, involving responsibility to the public. Responsibility to myself and other 19,707 residents of Hermosa Beach. You have a responsibility to represent us, not just yourself. The path forward is simple, admit the lapse in judgement, take responsibility for your actions, and correct this issue by following the scheduled rotation for Mayor Pro-tem, Hany Fangary, so we can move on to more pressing issues this city faces.