

3/16/20 SPECIAL MEETING - CITY COUNCIL DECLARATION OF AN EMERGENCY WITH ATTENDANT ORDERS  
SUPPLEMENTAL EMAIL SUBMITTED BY SOLANGE COMER TO CITY COUNCIL ON 3/16/20 AT 2:15 P.M.

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**Subject:** my two cents and a little fear

Hello all. My name is Solange Comer and I am the owner of our beloved South Bay's only cheese shop , CULTURED SLiCE here in Hermosa. As a small business owner, and a single mom I have huge concerns for how the COVID-19 virus will impact my shop and future. Me, along with so many other small business owners. While I am fortunate to still be open, I have had to cut back staff, shop hours, and cancel product orders. And I could be told any day I need to close up for a few weeks. If that happens I am left with massive amounts of perishable product that will be a huge loss, bills and still a large rent to pay. Which is honestly my biggest concern. How can the city help with rent? Can you help with rent? Between my home rent and my business rent, I am not sleeping much at night. I know I am not alone in these fears and losses, but I also know I am not alone in wanting to work together and do everything I can to make these next few weeks, possibly months as easy as possible.  
Thank you for your time.

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