SUPPLEMENTAL LETTER SUBMITTED BY THE HERMOSA BEACH CHAMBER OF COMMERCE TO THE CITY

MANAGER'S OFFICE ON 3/23/20 AT 4:46 P.M.



March 23, 2020

Honorable Mayor Mary Campbell, Hermosa Beach Councilmembers Suja Lowenthal, City Manager

Dear Mayor Campbell, Hermosa Beach City Council, and City Manager Lowenthal:

The Hermosa Beach Chamber supports Item 6b of the March 24, 2020 Hermosa Beach City Council meeting agenda (SUSPENSION OF RESTAURANT ENCROACHMENT FEES FOR A LIMITED DURATION).

Our local businesses are suffering from a major economic impact due to the State of Emergency regarding the corona virus (COVID-19). Our businesses are a vital part of our community and we want to do whatever we can to help these businesses survive in these stressful times.

The Hermosa Beach Chamber of Commerce & Visitors Bureau is here to support the local business community, as well as our City and its residents.

The Chamber would like to request that the City suspend or eliminate all the Hermosa Beach City fees affecting our businesses until this crisis is over.

We appreciate the support that you have given, and continue to give, to our citizens and the business community throughout this crisis.

Thank you for your consideration.

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