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Subject: New eComment for City Council Special Meeting

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Ashley Puida submitted a new eComment.

Meeting: City Council Special Meeting

Item: 1. CONSIDERATION OF MODIFICATION OF EMERGENCY ORDER IN RESPONSE TO COVID-19 PANDEMIC PERTAINING TO THE STRAND AND CITY OFF-STREET AND ON-STREET PARKING FACILITIES (Staff Report will be available on May 21, 2020)

eComment: Thank you Madam Mayor and City Council members for your consideration in this matter. I live on the strand and increasingly Beach Dr has become "the new strand". It is becoming more and more dangerous, especially for young children who are harder to see when backing out of our parking spaces. I fully support opening our strand for pedestrians, bicycles, skateboards, and the like. Furthermore, having the parking lots closed is putting a terrible strain on residential parking. Also, I interact with business owners daily and the majority would like the parking lots open as well. If there is little parking here many people will leave and bring their business to our neighbors whose parking lots are open. In regards to sunbathing on the beach I do not see why if people are social distancing they can't sit on a towel and enjoy the sun. On another note I would like to commend our local police department for the wonderful job they have been doing in the community! Thank you again for your service to our community and for your time and consideration.

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