Midcoast Community Council

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The Honorable Tom Mattusch and Commissioners San Mateo County Harbor Commission -via email-

Subject: Beach Volleyball at Pillar Point Harbor

Dear President Mattusch and Harbor Commissioners:

The Midcoast Community Council (MCC) hosted a community discussion February 8 on the need and possible sources of funding for improved sand for the volleyball court on the inner harbor "Perched Beach". While no immediate funding solution was found, the MCC wishes to commend the Harbor District for providing the only local year-round space for this sand-based recreation activity.

Though the inner harbor beach has been impaired by excess dredge disposal, the local community has a long record of support for preservation and restoration of this last remaining segment of inner harbor sandy beach for recreational use per Coastal Act Section 30221.

Sincerely,

MIDCOAST COMMUNITY COUNCIL s/ Lisa Ketcham, Chair

Cc: Harbor District General Manager Steve McGrath Supervisor Don Horsley County Parks Interim Director Sarah Birkeland GCSD Board of Directors County Parks Commissioner Neil Merrilees