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From: Gunter Steffen <gsteffen1@sbcglobal.net>
Sent: Friday, September 11, 2026 12:05 AM
To: CEO_BoardFeedback
Subject: For the next BOS meeting

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From: Janet Davis <jadjadjad@sbcglobal.net>

FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

A sad and fond farewell to a Menlo Park institution: Luttickens on Alameda in West Menlo Park (and subsidiary locations in Stanford and another Menlo location.) This closing on September 30, after over 40 years in business, has been featured in all the local newspapers, the Chronicle and TV stations. Its fame was widespread: even Al Gore and his retinue stopped by when he was running for election. Josh Becker gave Luttickens a Small Business of the Year award. Patrons varied from construction workers to Sand Hill Road entrepreneurs.

Not only will Luttickens Deli and Bar be missed, but the loss of the "After 5" lively entertainments (already closed) will be impossible to replace, as can be seen in the cites and (especially) in the video below.

Bob Lutticken himself is a great human being, who has been involved in multiple civic and charitable organizations. Even his choices of coffee beans are labeled according to local schools! Bob and his very competent manager, Judy deserve some peace in their senior years. Bob's regular staff reflect Bob's values and ethics. Maria, Minor and Carlos are friendly, very competent, hard-working and trustworthy. Unfortunately for them, they now need new employment. Hopefully in the next two weeks people can stop by, eat their great sandwiches, salads, burritos etc., and leave handsome tips.

https://inmenlo.com/2026/08/31/luttickens-to-close-on-september-30-after-45-years-in-menlo-park/

https://www.sfchronicle.com/bayarea/article/luttickens-menlo-park-closing-22411983.php

https://www.facebook.com/100004970442573/videos/pcb.1666909528778514/1757179952153182

In addition, Janet would also like to include the following:

9/11: Lest we forget. **Admiration for ex MPFD Chief Harold Schapelhouman**. He, his crew and many other dedicated, selfless people, were brave enough to go to the 9/11 site and help find bodies, despite the obvious harm to themselves. Many of these courageous people later died, or their health was ruined as a result of the toxic environment. I hope that on Sept. 11 2026 people remember their sacrifice that very few would emulate. Harold is a modest man but he has been at the scene of many horrific disasters and should be honored for his bravery
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General Public Comment

From: Adriana Guzman <adriana@faithinactionba.org>
Sent: Monday, August 31, 2026 7:08 PM
To: David Canepa; Noelia Corzo; CEO_SMCSUPSPEIER; Lisa Gauthier; CEO_BoardFeedback
Subject: Faith in Action Letter to Supervisors 8.31.26
Attachments: Faith in Action Letter to Supervisors 8.31.26.pdf

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Dear Board of Supervisors,

The leaders of Faith in Action in San Mateo County would like request that you to continue to invest in the Behavioral Health and Recovery Services
(BHRS) Health Ambassadors Program and the expansion of family shelters.

These programs are critical for maintaining health families and healthy communities in the county.

Best Regards,

The Leaders of Faith in Action

San Mateo County, California
August 25, 2026

Honorable Members of the San Mateo County Board of Supervisors,

As the leaders of Faith in Action Bay Area, **we express our strong support for the Health Ambassador Program (HAP)** and request that the County continue to strengthen mental health, suicide prevention, and resources for the most vulnerable families in San Mateo County. We also recognize that mental health crises can be a result of our social and economic realities, so it is urgent that we provide more support to families experiencing one of the most acute mental and physical health crises: homelessness and housing insecurity. To do that, our County must **reduce the waitlist for family shelters and increase emergency housing resources**, including longer-term emergency voucher options.

Mental health is shaped by both individual and societal factors, including chronic stress and living conditions. Many families live under constant pressure and stress due to the lack of truly affordable housing, high rents, rising food prices, limited access to living-wage jobs, and fear of persecution due to their immigration status. These conditions profoundly affect emotional well-being, family stability, and overall health.

We cannot only limit suicide prevention to identifying symptoms or responding to crises after they occur. We have to get to the root of the problem, which includes the economic reality, lack of living-wage job opportunities, the affordability crisis, housing instability, isolation, domestic violence, and **limited services and protections to prevent homelessness**. A healthy community is one in which families have safe and stable housing, reliable access to food, emotional support, the ability to spend time together, and culturally-responsive services in languages we speak.

For example, our county has a shortage of accessible family shelters. When a family loses their home, many face a three-month waiting period before securing a family shelter. Hotel vouchers, when available, are often extremely limited in duration and do not provide a sustainable solution. We have talked to many families experiencing this need, and the families left without a safe and stable place to live. This creates an enormous mental and emotional burden on both adults and children, affecting physical and mental health outcomes.

Our Latino, immigrant, and multilingual communities deserve culturally and linguistically responsive mental health services. Stigma, cultural barriers, and fear can make it difficult for people to seek help or talk openly about mental health. This is why the work of the Health Ambassador Program (HAP) is so important. Health Ambassadors help build trust, raise awareness, and create opportunities for honest conversations about trauma, depression, domestic violence, anxiety, and community healing.

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Several of us and many of our neighbors have experienced childhood trauma, domestic violence, displacement, or other forms of trauma that continue to affect our daily lives. Yet this emotional and psychological pain often remains hidden because we fear we will not be understood, supported, or treated with dignity. Programs like HAP create culturally meaningful spaces where community members can begin to process these experiences, connect with others, and take steps toward healing.

We request that:

- San Mateo County continues to fund and strengthen the Health Ambassador Program (HAP) in its current form.
    - We emphasize the importance of HAP continuing to be led by the Department of Equity and Diversity, which helps ensure that the program remains responsive to the cultural, linguistic, and social needs of the communities it serves.
- San Mateo County works to reduce the waitlist for family shelters and expand access to emergency housing resources, including longer-term voucher options.

We need leaders and teams who understand the economic, cultural and emotional barriers that our families face every day. We need decision makers who approach public health with fairness and equity.

Lived experience, cultural understanding, and a genuine commitment to equity are essential to building trust. Supporting programs like HAP and addressing the economic conditions that affect our mental and physical health is essential for our families to thrive.

Sincerely,

Community Leaders of Faith in Action Bay Area in San Mateo County

General Public Comment

From: Sabrina Granados <udderlyg@gmail.com>
Sent: Monday, September 7, 2026 2:45 PM
To: CEO_BoardFeedback; CEO_SMCSUPSPEIER; Noelia Corzo; Ray Mueller; Lisa Gauthier; David Canepa; Sherry Golestan; Michael Callagy; John Nibbelin
Subject: San Mateo BOS Meeting September 15, 2026 Please add to Genera Public Comments

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Please add the following to the record as general public comment:

I come in peace and love in the name of Almighty God, as one of the People, Sui Juris, who holds all political power, as expressly declared in California Constitution Article II, Section 1, and in the IX and X Amendments to the United States Constitution. Article VI of the United States Constitution declares the Constitution as the Supreme Law of the Land, a principle affirmed in California Constitution Article III, Section 1.

Whereas, Founding Father George Mason stated, “No free government, or the blessings of liberty, can be preserved to any people but by frequent recurrence to fundamental principles.

Whereas, Public servants and trustees are the instruments We the People created when we established this Constitutional Republic—not a democracy. The word “Republic” appears on the California Flag to remind all that it is the proper and Guaranteed Form of Government; any other form is repugnant to the Constitution and constitutes a usurpation of the People’s sovereignty. California Constitution, Article 1, Section 18, "Treason against the State consists only in levying war against it, adhering to its enemies, or giving them aid and comfort. A person may not be convicted of treason except on the evidence of two witnesses to the same overt act or by confession in open court."

Whereas, Under the California Constitution, the People’s right to participate in local government is central: meetings of public bodies must be open and conducted according to law. California law and long-standing legal maxims hold that “what is not permitted is forbidden,” and that the Constitutions must be strictly observed where the People’s rights are affected. The maxim that “no one shall take advantage of his own wrong” requires that the Board may not profit from procedural shortcuts.

Whereas, By Right to Petition the Government for a Redress of Grievances, I demand the legislative body remove all time limits and the unlawful consolidation of agenda items on the consent agendas until all Constitutional requirements and God Given Inalienable Rights are fully restored. California Constitution Article I, Section 2(a) states: “Every person may freely speak, write and publish his or her sentiments on all subjects, being responsible for the abuse of this right. A law may not restrain or abridge liberty of speech or press.” United States Constitution, Amendment I: "Congress shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof; or abridging the freedom of speech, or of the press; or the right of the people peaceably to assemble, and to petition the Government for a redress of grievances."

Whereas, American Maxims of law are clear: “The main object of government is the protection of personal rights and private property and upholding the laws of God.” And “As usurpation is the exercise of power which another has a right to, so tyranny is the exercise of power beyond right, which nobody can have a right to.”

Because, By Right of the Declaration of Independence "...That whenever any Form of Government becomes destructive of these ends, it is the Right of the People to alter or to abolish it, and to institute new Government, laying its foundation on such principles and organizing its powers in such form, as to them shall seem most likely to effect their Safety and Happiness. Prudence, indeed, will dictate that Governments long established should not be changed for light and transient causes; and accordingly all experience hath shewn that mankind are more disposed to suffer, while evils are sufferable than to right themselves by abolishing the forms to which they are accustomed. But when a long train of abuses and usurpations, pursuing invariably the same Object evinces a design to reduce them under absolute Despotism, it is their right, it is their duty, to throw off such Government, and to provide new Guards for their future security...". "He has abdicated Government here, by declaring us out of his Protection and waging War against us." The San Mateo County Board of Supervisors and municipality are warring against the People.

Because, Public Servants and Trustees are bound by their sworn oaths to uphold the Supreme Law of the Land—the Constitutions. The Public Servants, Trustee and Agents have no grant of authority under The Administrative Procedures Act, Home Rule, Dillon's Act, General Law or Charter to uspurp or violate the God-Given, Inalienable Rights of the People expressly written in the Constitutions. A false oath is perjury. There is no immunity for unofficial acts (Trump vs US).

Whereas, John Locke, Two Treatises of Government, Bk 2, Ch XIX, Sec. 222
"Whensoever therefore the legislative shall transgress this fundamental rule of society; and either by ambition, fear, folly or corruption, endeavour to grasp themselves, or put into the hands of any other an absolute power over the lives, liberties, and estates of the people; by this breach of trust they forfeit their power, the people had put into their hands, for quite contrary ends, and it devolves to the people, who have a right to resume their original, liberty.. and, by the establishment of new legislative (such as they shall think fit) provide for their own safety and security, which is the end for which they are in society."

Thank you.

TAKE NOTICE:
ATTENTION
IMMEDIATE DUE CARE

California Notice to All Trustees And Servants: A Sworn Oath is Binding

Notice to Agent is Notice to Principal and Notice to Principal is Notice to Agent

I, one of the People as seen in the 51 Constitutions, (Republican in Form), Sui Juris, present this Notice of Redress of Grievance that you provide immediate due care to those with all political power, the People.

Please take Notice you have voluntarily agreed by oath to support the California State and U.S. Constitutions which are lawfully binding express contracts with the People describing your official duties, for which you are granted immunity. The People's rights to life, liberty and property is antecedent all government. Your oath to support the Constitution(s) is binding to the Public Trust of the State of California. (See evidence below)

OATH, noun, A solemn affirmation or declaration, made with an appeal to God for the truth of what is affirmed. The appeal to God in an oath implies that the person imprecates his vengeance and renounces his favor if the declaration is false, or if the declaration is a promise, the person invokes the vengeance of God if he should fail to fulfill it. **A false oath is called perjury**. **American Dictionary of the English Language, Noah Webster (1828)** (Bolded for emphasis)

Maxim of Law: There is no stronger link or bond between men than an oath.

Maxim of Law: Punishment is due if the words of an oath be false.

California Constitution Article XX, Section 3 Members of the Legislature, and all public officers and employees, executive, legislative, and judicial, except such inferior officers and employees as may be by law exempted, shall, before they enter upon the duties of their respective offices, take and subscribe the following oath or affirmation: **"I, ____, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of California against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of the State of California;** that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties upon which I am about to enter. "And I do further swear (or affirm) that I do not advocate, nor am I a member of any party or organization, political or otherwise, that now advocates the overthrow of the Government of the United States or of the State of California by force or violence or other unlawful means; that within the five years immediately preceding the taking of this oath (or affirmation) I have not been a member of any party or organization, political or otherwise, that advocated the overthrow of the Government of the United States or of the State of California by force or violence or other unlawful means except as follows:_____(If no affiliations, write in the words "No Exceptions") and that during such time as I hold the office of _____I will not advocate nor become (name of office) a member of any party or organization, political or otherwise, that advocates the overthrow of the Government of the United States or of the State of California by force or violence or other unlawful means."And no other oath, declaration, or test, shall be required as a qualification for any public office or employment. "Public officer and employee" includes every officer and employee of the State, including the University of California, every county, city, city and county, district, and authority, including any department, division, bureau, board, commission, agency, or instrumentality of any of the foregoing." (Bolded for emphasis)

PUBLIC adjective [Latin publicus, from the root of populus, people; that is, people-like.] 1. Pertaining to a nation, state or community; extending to a whole people; as a public law, which binds the people of a nation or state, as opposed to a private statute or resolve, which respects an individual or a corporation

only. Thus we say, public welfare, public good, public calamity, public service, public property…. (Excerpt) **American Dictionary of the English Language, Noah Webster (1828)**

TRUST, noun … 8. Something committed to a person's care for use or management, and for which an account must be rendered. Every man's talents and advantages are a trust committed to him by his Maker, and for the use or employment of which he is accountable…. (Excerpt) **American Dictionary of the English Language, Noah Webster (1828)**

PER'JURY, noun [Latin perjurium.] The act or crime of willfully making a false oath, when lawfully administered; or a crime committed when a lawful oath is administered in some judicial proceeding, to a person who swears willfully, absolutely and falsely in a matter material to the issue. **American Dictionary of the English Language, Noah Webster (1828)**

Trump v. United States 603 U.S. (2024) …He is entitled to at least presumptive immunity from prosecution for all his official acts. There is no immunity for unofficial acts. (Excerpt)

Maxim of Law: The main object of government is the protection and preservation of personal rights, private property, and public liberties, and upholding the law of God. American Maxim.

Maxim of Law: Individual liberties are antecedent to all government. CLM

Marbury v Madison, 5 U.S. (1Cranch) 137 (1803): ...The government of the United States has been emphatically termed a government of laws, and not of men. It will certainly cease to deserve this high appellation if the laws furnish no remedy for the violation of a vested legal right…. (Excerpt) And;

Please take Notice the absence of an oath does not excuse one from the obligations of an oath when payment is secured as receipt of a binding contract. (See evidence below)

Maxim of Law: It is immaterial whether a man gives his assent by words or by acts and deeds.

Please take Final Notice it is my wish, order and demand that trustees and servants acknowledge their subscribed oath by publicly posting this Notice on all government office buildings main doors, public posting boards, government websites, and publicly acknowledge with a public reading of their Oath of Office within thirty (30) days of receiving this notice, and have it posted for three hundred sixty-five days (365) days. It is your duty to read, understand and adhere to the State of California and the U.S. Constitutions in full. If you believe any of these statements to be false, rebut by Affidavit, sworn under penalty of perjury, point by point, within fourteen (14) days of receiving this Notice, showing your grant of authority to deprive the People of their Inherent Rights under the Constitutions, or you agree, by tacit acquiescence, that all statements herein are true and shall be heard by an arbitrator of my choice. Furthermore, your actions will show you are acting with full knowledge, intent, and malice; tortiously interfering with the People and their Rights, and that no court shall rehear this matter, but it shall stand as evidence, truth and law, in this court of records. (Bolded for emphasis) (A response from anyone not directly addressed by this Notice will be considered a non-response) (Anyone suppressing this Notice will be held individually liable for Maladministration)

This Notice is sent to you in the peace and love of Almighty God that you provide immediate due care to those with all political power, the People.

Maxim of Law: A notice is a form of judicial evidence.

General Public Comment

From: Bryan Trujillo <grumpyoldbryan@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, September 14, 2026 8:20 AM
To: CEO_BoardFeedback
Cc: Tory Newman; Khoa Vo; Julian Maldonado; Krzysztof Lisaj; Carter Choi; Nick Montes
Subject: Non agenda item

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Dear Supervisor Mueller,

I am writing today about obstruction to the flow of storm water in the right of way along Marine boulevard at Park Way in Moss Beach.

This obstruction threatens to flood the inside of our home at 1065 Park Way.

Every winter the water comes further and higher into our yard. During two storms last season, on November 17 and January 4/5, I marked the high water mark along the path to our front door. I purchased a laser level, and to my alarm measured that the water had come within 11/16 of an inch vertically of the floor level inside our house.

Over the years, I have spoken and emailed with many people at public works about this issue. Most recently with Mr. Julian Maldonado, who has told me that he will deal with it and get a crew out. I have also included Tory Newman, Khoa Vo, Krzysztof Lisaj, Nick Montes, and Carter Choi in my emails.
I need to confirm that my urgent concerns are being addressed.
I can no longer afford to wait patiently, I must follow up and find out if there is any plan to address this, as this winter is forecast to be severe.

It is my belief and observation that if the water is allowed to flow past the corner, as it was in the past, and along the ditch in front of 200 Marine blvd, there is enough slope that it will continue and flow to the northeast under airport street, along the ditch(es) of old Marine Boulevard (on airport property-which have quite a good slope), where from both sides it enters a culvert draining into San Vicente creek. These ditches are periodically cleared by airport staff…and myself.

Over the years I have attempted to reason with the neighbor on the corner, at the aforementioned address, to no avail. Also, it seems that the neighbor manages to somehow convince any county workers, if they attempt to clear the ditch and maintain flow, that they will maintain it themselves. But they don't, to any effective degree, and every year they encroach more and more *beyond* the ditch, onto the travelled right of way, with soil, decorative driftwood, and plantings (including, now, pine trees!). This creates a dam effect, every year higher, which causes the water to back up upstream, along Marine Boulevard and Park Way, flooding the roads (creating a hazard) and deep into our yard, approaching our door.
Again, every year it gets worse.

I have not, for a few years, in any way attempted to clear the ditch that borders the corner property as I had in the past. When I did so, I believed that it not only benefited us, but the neighborhood in general. I

have since respected the neighbor's wishes and not attempted to improve or maintain flow in that direction.

With the height of the water I measured last winter, and potential of a heavy winter coming, I am trying to get ahead of this.

Please help me solve this **before** flood water enters our home this winter.

Please see two attached photos from Jan 4, 2025.

Respectfully,
Bryan Trujillo
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