



Coastside Fishing Club

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San Mateo County Harbor District

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Dear Harbor Commissioners,

The Coastside Fishing Club would like to take this opportunity to thank the San Mateo County Harbor District for providing around the clock search and rescue operations at Pillar Point Harbor. CFC has a membership exceeding 10,000 recreational enthusiasts, many of whom use Pillar Point Harbor as their launching point for ocean fishing. The security of knowing Pillar Point Harbor Patrol personnel are at the ready and able to effect safe rescues at sea, is a huge factor why so many people use the harbor for their recreation. This service is hopefully never needed, but much appreciated when necessary. A situation on, or near the water, can happen without warning and take mere minutes to turn tragic. With the proximity of the Harbor Patrol rescue assets and personnel being close to fishing, surfing, sailing, kayaking, swimming and beach combing, it is imperative that we keep this team in place, and at the ready, at all times.

Thank you
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