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Subject: **Paseo del Mar Median and Crosswalk, San Pedro**

Whereas, Paseo Del Mar is the widest street in San Pedro at the entrance to Joan Milke Flores Park and the Off Leash Dog Park. This section of Paseo Del Mar is the frequent gathering place for rally car clubs and truck rally clubs, who take over the road while blocking traffic with racing and vehicle donut maneuvers, as pedestrians are trying to cross the street, and

Whereas, there is no pedestrian crosswalk linking Point Fermin Park, Wilder's Addition Park, Angel's Gate Park, Joan Milke Flores Park, and the Off Leash Dog Park. Many people are walking along Paseo Del Mar and crossing in traffic with children and dogs. Paseo Del Mar is a favorite bicycle route along the coast, and

Whereas, raised medians have proven effective in mitigating these kinds of problems, and crosswalks increase pedestrian safety.

Resolved, the Coastal San Pedro Neighborhood Council requests the installation of a raised center median along Paseo Del Mar on both the east and west side of Joan Milke Flores Park and the Off Leash Dog Park to help mitigate racing and vehicle donut maneuvers, and

Further resolved, that the Coastal San Pedro Neighborhood Council requests the installation of a pedestrian crossing going from the sidewalk along the south side of Paseo Del Mar, across Paseo Del Mar into Joan Milke Flores Park and the Off Leash Dog Park.

Further resolved, the Coastal San Pedro Neighborhood Council recommends that the median be landscaped with local Southern California native plants, and that the planting conform to the San Pedro Urban Greening Plan.

Sincerely,

Doug Epperhart, President
On behalf of the Coastal San Pedro Neighborhood Council Board

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