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## EXTERNAL

Dear County Supervisors,  
I concur completely with the sentiments expressed below. The Sonoma Coast is too fragile and too important to divide it into segments. It would be kind of like Gerrymandering so that minorities don't have a chance of equal representation.

So Indeed I say:

NO to dividing the Sonoma Coast...future generations deserve a united Sonoma Coast. For decades a united 5th District has helped preserve west Sonoma from exploitation, overdevelopment and environmental harm. Do not divide the Coast into two or three parts to merge with other districts. It would dilute our representation and weaken the urgent need to protect our ocean, beaches and coastal lands.

I urge you to keep the Coast united with one accountable representative.

**Keep our Coast in one district. Keep our Coast united - do not divide it. One Coast - One Supervisor! We say NO to dividing the Coast.**

Thank you!  
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