

Dear Mayor DeGolia, and Town Council

I regret that I cannot present in person and express my thanks to each of you. After exiting the Millbrae Town council after nine years I want to express my appreciation for you for your support and friendship. I feel I am fortunate to serve Millbrae, San Mateo County, and the State of California as your representative on the Association of Bay Area Governments (ABAG) and other regional committees. It has been an honor for me to represent the cities of San Mateo County as we worked together to solve the housing problem.

Congratulations to Mayor DeGolia for his outstanding leadership during these unprecedented times. Thank you for your service to our county. It has been my honor to serve with you on the board of directors of Peninsula Clean Energy where you are the Vice-Chair and where we eliminated thousands of tons of greenhouse gas, provided emergency batteries to medical device senior dependents, and program to incentivize the reduction of greenhouse gas.

Thank you, Council Member and former Mayor Cary Weist, for the service you provided to the town of Atherton. I would looked forward to seeing you at county and state conferences and meetings. You are sage, respected, and a dedicated public servant. I will miss seeing you.

Congratulations to the re-election of Council member Elizabeth Lewis, a good friend and outstanding public servant and congratulations to council member elect Hawkins-Manuelian.

As the President of the California League of Cities Asian Pacific Islanders Caucus and the current President of the San Mateo County API Caucus we thank Mayor DeGolia and the Town of Atherton for supporting and denouncing assaults against Asians. The San Mateo County API Caucus support diversity and equality. We thank you for your support and protection for the Asians during these difficult times of Chinese villainization due to COVID19. The Caucus looks forward to working on justice and equality with you in the future.

In summary, it has been a deep, profound honor to work with each of you and say that you are my friend.

I wish you, your staff, and Town of Pacifica citizens well and best, best, wishes for a safe and healthy future.

Warmest,

Wayne J. Lee
Recovering Council Member
Town of Millbrae

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