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From:

Cove Britton <cove@matsonbritton.com>

Sent:

Monday, July 31, 2023 3:56 PM

To:

Jeff Nolan; Matt Johnston; Jocelyn Drake; Evan Ditmars

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Manu Koenig; Andy Schiffrin; Jamie Sehorn; Erik Zinn; Elizabeth Mitchell; Reiana

Mayorga; Greg Sanders; Jason Heath; Richard J. Irish

Subject:

266 Cliff Court

Attachments:

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Dear Mr. Nolan:

I am the applicant for 266 Cliff Court and also represent the owners for property owners below.

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As said, please clarify and provide substantiation.

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Thursday, August 3, 2023 12:05 PM

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Re: 266 Cliff Court

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Mr. Nolan, would the proposed pin pier wall on the Kozlowski property lower the risk related to future debris flows for the residences below on Beach Drive?

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