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Dear Supervisors,

I am emailing my comments because I will not be able to attend the hearing in person. My name is Jamie Bishop and I'm a 15 year resident of Goleta. I oppose charging fees at any additional county beaches. Imposing parking restricts coastal access to those who can afford it, and it is not the way to replenish county coffers.

Sincerely,

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Dear Supervisors,

I will not be able to make the hearing so I would like to submit my comments online. The issue of beach fees comes up every few years and is beaten back. Jalama, El Cap, Refugio and Gaviota cost \$8 or \$10 a day. For some family from out of town, on vacation this is simply the price you pay. But for those of us who live here and take a lot of short trips to just have lunch or watch the sunset, paying to go to our beaches is prohibitive.

Here is something I can support; ID visitors. If you are from outside SB county, pay up. Take the money and put it in a fund that is ONLY for beach restoration and upkeep at the beach. Do NOT put it into the general fund. Since south coast SB governing caters to the tourist industry, these progressive/draconian ideas are likely unpalatable.

Therefore, I am against beach fees at county beaches.

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