From:
To:
BoardComment

Subject: Letter to PROS Commission regarding the skatepark please include and read for the meeting 11/2 at 10:00 a.m.

Date: Monday, November 1, 2021 8:10:39 PM

Letter to the Pros Commission in support of the skate park at the Main Street Location:

I am writing to show my support for a much-needed skatepark in Cambria. As someone who grew up in Cambria, raised children in Cambria and wants her grandchildren to stay in Cambria, I implore the PROS Commission and the CCSD Board to do what is right and provide access to recreation for the young people who live here. The focus, attention, and money have consistently been on the older population, absentee homeowners, and tourists, with little or no thought to our young people. There are safe walking trails, sidewalks, and bathrooms for tourists, pickleball and lawn bowling for the older people prominently displayed in the middle of town, while the schools where the kids go to recreate are located in remote areas. The kids have to navigate dangerous roads with no shoulder, paths, or sidewalks, to get to their playing fields, this alone speaks volumes about the value we place on the youth in our community. We currently have one county playground structure and the seasonal pool as the only youth recreational facilities and Slo county has relied heavily on the Coast Unified School District to provide playing fields for our kids. The Skatepark project is an opportunity to rectify some of this inequity. There is a long list of reasons why this skatepark is beneficial to the community, but let's just focus on the fact that our kids are asking for it and we should support them in their request for youth-friendly spaces.

We need to build the skatepark at the Main Street location so that people see that we value the youth in our community. Please don't let the Cambria CSD stall and bury this project.

Shannon Sutherland

From:

To: BoardCommen

Subject: for public comment on behalf of Skate Cambria meeting Tuesday 11/2 10:00 a.m. thank you

Date: Tuesday, November 2, 2021 7:23:26 AM

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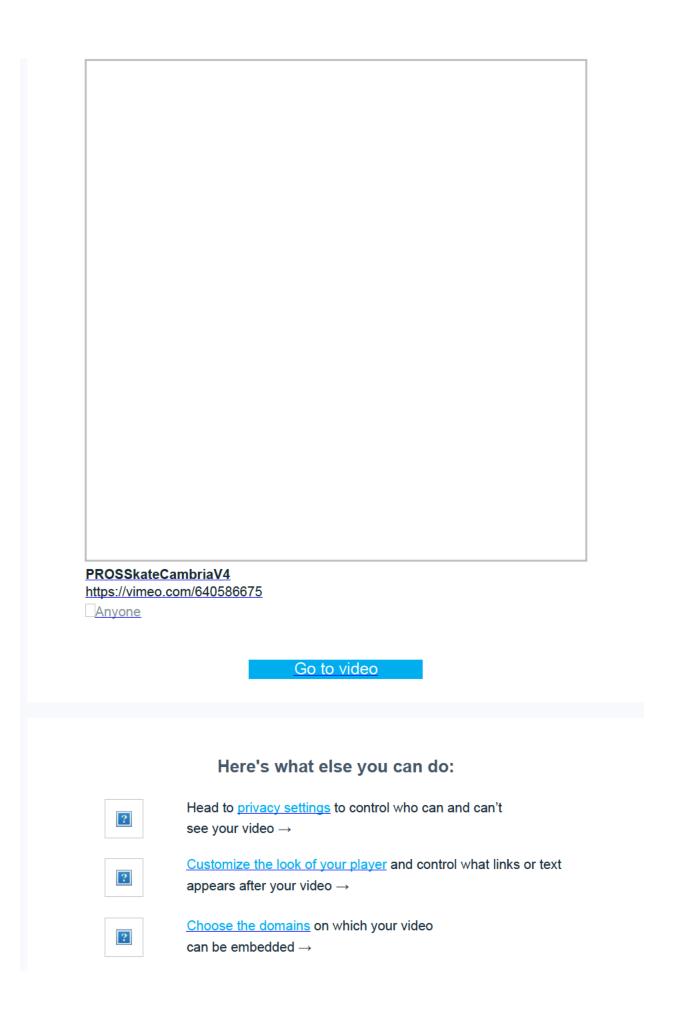
Many of the Pros Commissioners were not on the Saturday call, we would like to submit this for public comment

Thank you,

Juli



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