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Supervisor Toru Miyoshi
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Dear Toru Miyoshi:

You have two ardent admirers up here in rural Arroyo Grande. We never lose an opportunity to tout your outstanding leadership in good works for Santa Barbara County. But we ourselves keep so busy, in particular with efforts for the environment, that I am afraid we have been remiss in expressing to you our support and applause for all that you do.

I never thanked you for the work you did to bring RANCHO GUADALUPE COUNTY PARK into reality -- and to bring to fruition public access to magnificent MUSSEL ROCK BEACH and to MUSSEL ROCK itself. You and Linda Olschesky wrote me and thanked me for help I had rendered you in assisting this to happen. And I kept that letter by my typewriter for a long time, but it kept sifting to the bottom of the pile of letters to which I wanted to respond, while other matters got priority on top of it. I am chagrinned at this. From my own point of view appreciation and applause is important ... but I don't get it done sometimes. Life and days are too short or I am frail or something. . . . probably inefficient in areas that I would like to cover.

Enclosed copy of a letter I've just written to Supervisor Holmdahl, for your information. I am not asking you to do anything about this...just wanted you to know - and vote for money to rehabilitate Pt. Sal State Beach if it comes to the Board of Supervisors in Santa Barbara.

You do a great deal of good - and you are gifted in public relations, so you maintain goodwill along the way - and you are effective. May the Good Lord and good parents send us more supervisors and leaders like you.

Please know that this letter needs no response - not even an acknowledgement. It's so good once in a while to have a letter that doesn't have to be answered!!

Best wishes,

Kathleen & Gaylord Jones

Enc cc letter of Nov. 4 to Holmdahl