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Subject: Approved Digest re Proposition to Close the Upper Great Highway
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To: Ballot Simplification Committee Members

From: Judi Gorski, District 4 resident living across the street from the Great Highway

Date: July 25, 2024

Subject: Suggested Change to Approved Digest re Proposition to Close the Upper Great Highway

Dear Ballot Simplification Committee Members,

Thank you again for the important work you are all doing for San Francisco voters. I learned so much from being present at yesterday's meeting and am looking forward to attending tomorrow.

After reading the Approved Digest re Closing the Great Highway, I have a suggestion I believe would better clarify the situation to voters.

Add the word "exclusively" to the language describing the meaning of a "yes" vote in the following way:

A "YES" Vote Means: If you vote "yes" you want the City to use the Upper Great Highway *exclusively* as public open recreation space, permanently closing it to personal and commercial motor vehicles seven days a week, with limited exceptions.

I say this because the Upper Great Highway has been and currently is open for public recreation 24/7, as it was designed for multi-use where bicyclists, pedestrians and motor vehicles have been safely sharing the area for decades, just not walking in the middle of the highway. The addition of the word "exclusively" will bring attention to the fact that cars and other vehicles will be banned.

Thank you in advance for considering my gentle suggestion, and for your valuable service to our City.

Respectfully submitted,

Judi Gorski, District 4
Ocean Beach Resident

