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Seventeen years ago, I made Santa Cruz my home and our community my commitment. Guided by my experiences raising three daughters with my husband, serving on local environmental nonprofit and public-school boards, living on the UCSC campus, and working for the City as an engineer and policy professional, I deeply understand our community's values and challenges. I have been a consistent and effective advocate for improving our residents' quality of life for nearly two decades and will continue to do so when elected to Council.

Santa Cruz is at a pivotal time. We have important decisions to make to support a vibrant Downtown, address homelessness, bolster our coastline and watershed against climate change, and ensure working families can continue to make a life here and contribute to the economic vitality and social fabric of our town. These challenges affect every Santa Cruz family. Reaching our potential will require us to forge new paths together.

At this important time, we need highly experienced Councilmembers to build consensus, listen, and lead. I'm running for City Council to leverage my extensive knowledge, dedication, and love for Santa Cruz to build a better future. Join me in shaping a vibrant Santa Cruz at www.voteforsusie.com.