

From: [REDACTED]
To: [City Council](#)
Subject: Senior Center Funding
Date: Wednesday, March 6, 2024 10:00:12 AM

Dear Council Members,

Although I don't live in Sebastopol many of my friends do and I have seen over many years how important the center is to them. I know they take advantage of the programs, including transportation, support groups for mental health, LGBTQ gatherings, and even the meal program. Your senior center in Sebastopol is, in my opinion, a remarkable institution that could serve as a model for such centers in other places. It is one of the liveliest, most utilized centers I know of. Cutting funding to the center would severely impact the lives of many of my friends.

Sincerely,
Judy Helfand
Kenwood

There is no social-change fairy. There is only change made by the hands of individuals.
Winona LaDuke

Judy Helfand
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