
FW: Grocery Outlet store and making Sebastopol look better - add to agenda for 4.28.26 meeting

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Please add my email to the agenda for the planning meeting on 4/28/26:

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From: Anne [REDACTED]
To: citycouncil@cityofsebastopol.gov <citycouncil@cityofsebastopol.gov>
Sent: Monday, April 27, 2026 at 11:04:08 AM PDT
Subject: Grocery Outlet store and making Sebastopol look better

Dear Council Members,

I want to put in my two cents worth regarding the Grocery Outlet store. I say No to this idea. We don't need a Grocery Outlet and quite a number of people who actually live in this town (like me) absolutely do not want it. It will add further problems and traffic issues that we don't need. In fact this town can't with stand any more traffic and no parking issues.

Plus you are talking about putting Grocery Outlet a few yards from a Safeway and a few yards away from Whole Foods. What is Sebastopol going to become? an all grocery store town?!?! I don't see how that's going to attract tourists.

Please, please do not allow this to happen!

How about turning that lot into a parking lot? We need more parking. In fact that's what it's being used for right now and is generally half or more full all the time.

Sincerely,
Anne Galbraith