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Dear Mendocino County Coastal Permit Administrator,

Our family lives directly to the north of the property located at 15101 Caspar Road, California. Their property and fields are in the foreground of our ocean view every day. I am writing to support their request to build a barn and solar array, and underground their electricity.

I have known the owners of this property to be responsible and engaged members of the community since they've moved here, and I have complete faith in their ability to plan this project in a way that will enhance Caspar's agricultural infrastructure while maintaining our coastal beauty and village character. It's important to us as a community to have adequate infrastructure for grazing animals, which we use as part of our collective effort to manage the invasive gorse plant. We can only benefit from this project and I have no aesthetic or functional concerns about it.

Adding solar infrastructure can also only strengthen our community, and should be encouraged whenever possible.

Thank you for your time,
Gowan Batist,
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