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This message is for the committee reviewing November ballot language today:

Hi there,

As this committee looks at ballot language for November, please please please ensure that it's made clear to voters what they're voting for: That this isn't a matter of just "opening" a road. That's inaccurate and misleading. This is a public park, managed by parks and rec department. It has a skatepark, community art, pianos, workout equipment, and a new playground that we are SUPER excited about! It's not a "closed road," that's like saying Golden Gate Park or the Panhandle are "closed parking lots." These are important city public parks.

In order for voters to make a decision, they need to have the facts clearly presented to them. The vote is not to "reopen" a road by simply declaring it open again, which is what the "How it is now" section makes it sound. The playgrounds, community spaces, and park itself would need to be dismantled to then build a highway in it's place. It would be at an ENORMOUS cost to us, the taxpayers.... there are no signal lights, which would cost millions of taxpayer money to reinstall, as one example. It's vague and inaccurate to describe this as a simple "reopening"... that's like saying the city could "reopen" the old 101 highway downtown by closing the Embarcadero to pedestrians, completely washing over the huge cost and amount of construction that would need to occur for that to happen.

Your job as a committee is really important. You are guardians of the facts in a time where truth and reality are regularly morphed and manipulated to serve different political ends. Please don't let this happen with this ballot measure. Please make sure the voters know that what they're voting for with this is to destroy a city park in order to build a road, that they would NOT be able to have any of the community park amenities kept in place, that Sunset Dunes park would not exist at all if a vote passes to put a road there.

Thank you
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