

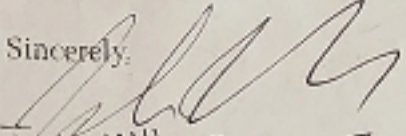
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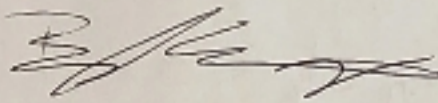
Mark Sorensen, City Manager
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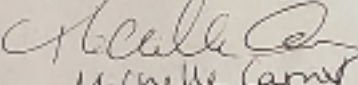
Dear City of Chico (City Manager Mark Sorensen, Chico City Council, et al.),

We the undersigned business owners of Downtown Chico are writing in response to the new kiosk parking system installed between 1st and 4th streets along Main and Broadway. The impact to our regular customer traffic and baseline sales immediately following the February 23rd change has been drastic. Collectively, we have witnessed frustrated customers leaving the shopping district, fielded many complaints (with lots and lots saying they will not return) and have had no relief from these negative consequences. As an important economic driver for the City of Chico, we would appreciate consideration of such far reaching decisions. If you walk through this "priority parking" region, you will see many boarded up storefronts and unequal distribution of the former parking meters. We request that you change this kiosk system and look forward to your solutions.

Sincerely,

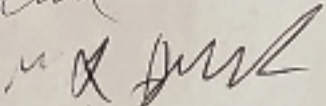

Josh Mills Owner - The Bookstore


BRANDON SQUIRES - SQUIRES FIRE PROTECTION

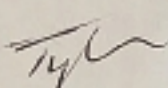

Michelle Lamy - Naked Lounge

Manlyp Souza - the Vagabond Rose Gallery

Earl M. Souza

 - TOM FODORY

 COMPANY

 Tyler Schrock North Rim Adventure Sports

Kristina Smith Fleet Feet

Eberardo Alvarez Chico's Barber Shop

Rey Oppick Melody Records

Scott Hodgson - Ital Imports

Bruner Hart - Mountain Sports

JJ Jacob Janisen - "The Watchman"

Oh Angelina Brittain-Rasmussen "liveLifeLive"

Marc Lucere - Collier Hardware

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Kaelen Davis - K. N. D. D'Emilio's

JEFFREY KING G.R.A.N.A.

SCOTT MCLEOD (HW) SMOKINI MO'S

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crusted Rugs

Laura Brown GAD. Laura Brown

Caitlin Cole Caitlin Ave Caitlin's Closet

michele Tolman, Olde Gold Estate Jewelry

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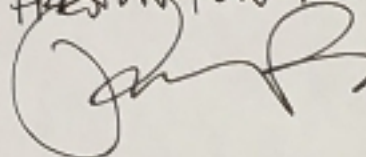
Kathleen M. Squires Country Squires ANTIQUES

LEANN M. POWELL THE PEDDLER'S CLOSET

Lean M. Powell
Lorie Hamilton
Lorie Hamilton

Vintage Pines Crafting - Dixie Belle Paint

PRESTON'S SHOE REPAIR 161 3RD ST.

PRESTON POWERS


Kelly Leser

Jessie M. Spoons

Susan Reed

URBAN COUTURE

KATS MEOW

BOOTLES - Buy sell trade

GEORGE DURGHALI

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Mary Murphy

Carol Munson

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