Digest #78

This has been a full news week. SCTB continues to publish guest features in response to the MBEP economic summit. Read one this week about the local housing market, and look for another another coming next week, both generated after we published Local tech companies need housing to draw talent (January 29).

NextSpace's new CEO introduces herself, Vioozer kicks off their Santa Cruz pilot, County Supervisor John Leopold writes about local broadband, and more, below.

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Top Stories:

- NextSpace's new President/CEO introduces herself. Read now...

- Vioozer: For answers you can’t find on Google, Yelp, or Twitter. Read now...

- Leveraging our local housing market: A response to local tech’s highest pain point. Read now...

- John Leopold: Expanding broadband makes a difference. Read now...

- PredPol featured in Forbes: Server and Protect. (Best photo this week, too!). Read now...

- Vivo Tech founder, Keri Waters, joins SCW board. Read now...

- Google gives UCSC-headquartered Lick Observatory $1 million. Read
now...

- Genomics Institute's David Haussler awarded prestigious Prize. Read now...

- Fullpower awarded another important patent. Read now...

- Apple spending $850M on solar farm project in Monterey. Read now...

- Plantronics & Cityblooms named as finalists for environmental award. Read now...

Job Highlights:

Did you know our Jobs page is THE most popular page on our website?

- City of Santa Cruz - Programmer Analyst I/II
- PredPol - Senior Software Developer
- Ecology Action - Many openings

View the complete list of all the jobs & internships on our JOBS page.
Upcoming Events:

Check our EVENTS page for the complete listing of all events.

- Tue Feb 17, 6pm: Design Santa Cruz Meetup at NextSpace.
- Tue Feb 17, 6pm: Startup Challenge Workshop at Cruzio.
- Wed Feb 18, 6:30pm: Santa Cruz Bitcoin & Crypto-currency Meetup at NextSpace.
- Tue Feb 24, 9:30am - 12:30pm: Workforce Santa Cruz County Job Fair, 350 Encinal St, Santa Cruz.
- Tue Feb 24, 6pm: Santa Cruz WordPress Meetup at Cruzio.
- Wed Feb 25, 4pm: ZERO1, Joel Slayton, Biennial Brown Bag Lunch at UCSC Digital Arts Research Center, Room 206.
- Thu Feb 26, 5:30pm: Santa Cruz Freelancers Happy Hour at The Red Room.

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