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As I write this, our country is churning. Between the pandemic, protests, and political climate, it honestly feels that anything Santa Cruz Tech Beat can provide is relatively insignificant and trivial. Yet, this is my way of offering a bit of "normal" to the community even when things feel far from normal. Please [let me know](#) if there's anything else Santa Cruz Tech Beat can do to help.

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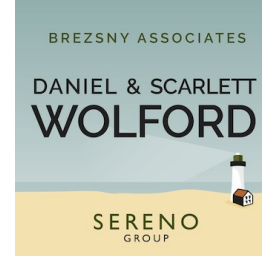
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