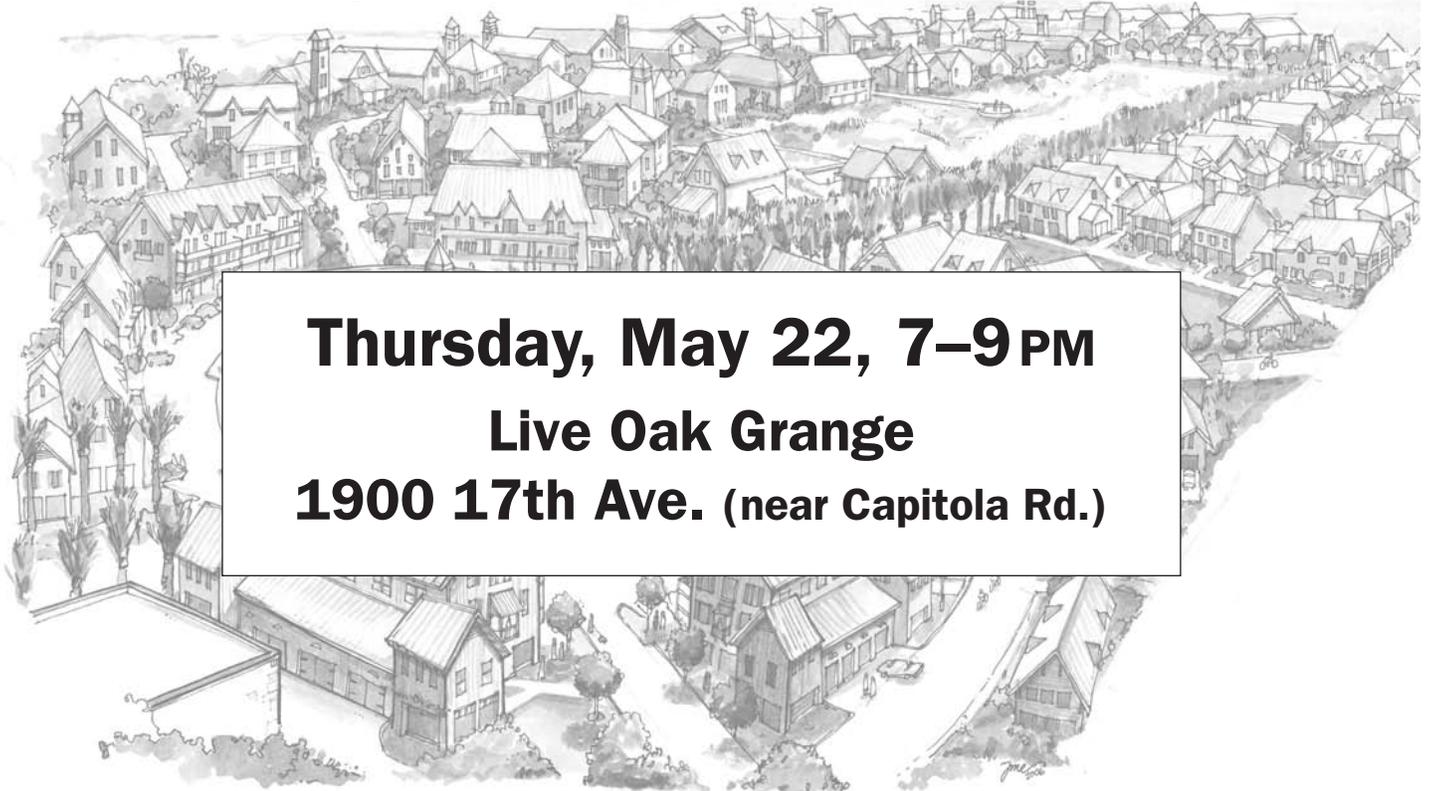


# Designs for a Green Future

## *The Transportation–Land Use Connection*



**Thursday, May 22, 7–9 PM**  
**Live Oak Grange**  
**1900 17th Ave. (near Capitola Rd.)**

Global Climate Change and Peak Oil provide compelling urgency to transform our society's dependence on automobile transportation. To do that, we need to shift our land use planning to create communities where people live close to work, school, shopping and recreation.

Forum panelists will outline the principles of land-use design that make for walk-able and transit-friendly communities. They will describe what communities like ours are already doing to create a sustainable and socially equitable future.

### **PANELISTS INCLUDE**

- **Christopher Pizzi** is an Associate at WRT/Solomon E.T.C., a San Francisco based design firm. Their work includes large-scale urban planning, neighborhood redevelopment, and regulatory controls. Christopher's work includes transit-oriented development in Northern California, suburbs of Washington, D.C., and London.
- **Lois Fisher**, of Fisher Town Design, designs walkable neighborhoods and towns in Northern California and throughout the country. Lois directed the team that designed the Central Petaluma Specific Plan. Lois also played a lead role in developing Smart Code (a set of rules for cities and developers that want an alternative to suburban sprawl's conventional car- and use-based planning codes)—the first to be adopted in the U.S.
- **Amanda Eaken** is land use specialist with the Natural Resources Defense Council, working to enact SB 375 in the state legislature. SB 375 is designed to implement California's landmark Global Warming Solutions Act that requires that state transportation funding be limited to projects consistent with plans to reduce automobile dependency.
- **Mark Deming**, moderator, Asst. Planning Director for Santa Cruz County

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