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Regarding the 'Agreement for project services with Coast Construction Group for the design and construction of a Sea Bass Grow Out Facility', it is great to see the City accomplishing this important milestone to re-establish the facility. However, there is an error in the Administrative Report.

The first sentence of the EXECUTIVE SUMMARY states:
"For over two decades, the Redondo Beach **Sea Lab** operated a white seabass grow-out facility..."

And the first sentence of the BACKGROUND states:
"For many years, the Redondo Beach **Sea Lab** operated a white seabass grow-out project..."

However, this is inaccurate. The white sea bass facility was NOT operated by Sea Lab.
It was only co-located with Sea Lab on the AES property.

It was actually operated by the **"King Harbor Ocean Enhancement Foundation"** which was managed by **John Whittaker** and **Rich Ford**, with support from a team of volunteers. (Clark McNulty was one of those volunteers.)

I recommend that some form of addendum/correction be published to accurately acknowledge the volunteerism of this dedicated foundation and the leadership of the two managers.

Mark Hansen
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