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Thank you for your public service.

We are extremely grateful and supportive of the Belmont Pool Aquatics program. As new seniors, It has improved our health 10 fold. All LBC pools of the parks and rec program improve the lives of attendees/guests/clients.

We are requesting thoughtful consideration of the aquatics instructors and personnel that work for all pools to be employed and paid as "lifeguards". They go above and beyond to serve the public directly. They stand guard over the pool clients in the same way as lifeguards and should be paid as such.

Please keep us updated also on the current new Belmont aquatic center status. Via email updates to newsletters in addition to online links.

Thank you for thoughtful consideration regarding the aquatics program in LBC.

Lisa Marie Harris