Dynamic Husband and Wife Team Earn Citizens of the Year in Lafayette

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Dick and Robin Holt, Lafayette Citizens of the Year.

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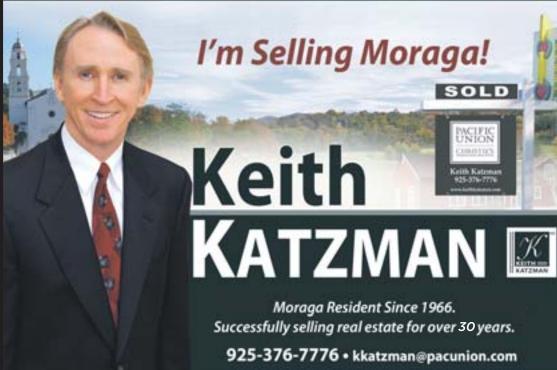
partnership in its selection for Citi- especially given all the opporzens of the Year as it recognizes the tunities for outdoor activity and long list of volunteer works done music. by husband and wife team, Dick and Robin Holt.

Lafayette in 1975 with three friends while her husband was still small children while Dick Holt on active duty. She was PTA Presiwas stationed with the Navy in dent at Happy Valley Elementary Alameda. They were attracted to School after the two elementary Lafayette by the good schools schools merged in 1983. and, says Robin Holt, in part be-

his year Lafayette is going cause the area reminded them of with the ultimate volunteering Carmel, where they came from,

Robin became involved with the PTA at Vallecito Elementary The couple first moved into School almost immediately through

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Music series embraces the Summer of Love

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Jay Lifson gets into the spirit of things.

where the free Rock the Plaza se-

Photo Pippa Fisher s the song goes "Money can't concert will include a local artist al-Abuy me love" and it won't ley (aka: Shakedown Street) where have to this summer in Lafayette, visitors can shop before and during the concert, a two-hour set from the ries of concerts will be featuring bands, and a hootenanny after each very special tributes to the Summer show around the campfire with special guest musicians including Lafayette's own Stevie Coyle (The

Lafayette's Rock the Plaza se-

ries, now in its 12th season, takes

place Friday nights in June at La-

fayette's Plaza Park at the corner of

Waybacks)."

of Love. This summer sees the 50th anniversary of the Summer of Love and while San Francisco's Park and Recreation Department has denied a permit for a free concert in Golden Gate Park – a decision that will doubtless be appealed – the Lafayette City Council approved the "Summer of Love Lafayette" concert series Feb. 13 by a unani- open at 5:30 p.m., and the bands mous vote.

Many people are making ar- by the hootenanny. rangements to come to the Bay Area to celebrate the June 4 an- cover bands that feature the music niversary. Lafayette hopes to welcome many of those to the four- Dead, Neil Young and many of the concert, Rock the Plaza series this sounds from 1967 - a time when year, which takes place on the first free spirit, peace, love and compasfour Friday evenings in June, given the convenience of BART and its people embraced and music was at proximity to San Francisco.

And what an experience it is turning into. Executive Direc- optional" events, bell-bottoms and tor of the Lafayette Chamber of hippie attire is encouraged. Commerce and longtime "Deadtransforming Lafayette Plaza Park to take you all back to 1967. Each were not there...'

Mt. Diablo Boulevard and Moraga Road. This summer the special Summer of Love artist alley will play from 6:30-8:30 p.m. followed The lineup this year includes of Jefferson Airplane, The Grateful

sion became the principles young the heart of the hippie movement. Although these are "tie-dye

As Lifson says, "Peace, love Head," Jay Lifson says, "We are and Bobby Sherman! If you remember the 60s, you probably



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