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This makeshift beacon on the west jetty at the entrance to the Santa Cruz Small Craft Harbor is set to be replaced by a 40-foot lighthouse. Groundbreaking could begin by September.

Lighthouse

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SANTA CRUZ | Lighthouse meets with coastal commission's approval

✓ The harbor lighthouse project passed the California Coastal Commission on Tuesday, leaving only a formal letter of approval from the Army Corps of Engineers still to come. Port Director Brian Foss said he hopes to break ground on the \$350,000 project before September.

The traditionally shaped cylindrical lighthouse, about 40 feet high, will replace a shorter light-on-a-pole arrangement on the west jetty at the mouth of the Santa Cruz Small Craft Harbor.