



Helen Cheney

Woman will lead Seacliff association

APTOS — It's been 45 years in coming, but the first woman president of the Seacliff Improvement Association has been elected.

Helen Cheney, a long-time member and director, has taken over the reins of the 300-family improvement group. Cheney recently replaced outgoing president Don Griffin.

When asked if she felt a woman president should have been elected before this, Cheney replied, "I'm just going to quote a past association president who told me women do all the work anyway."

Cheney said she would continue the group's work on beautification and street lighting in Seacliff. About 60 percent of the area has had street lights installed, thanks to the organizational efforts of the association.

Fellow officers in 1987 include Al Erickson, vice president; Alice Stoessel, secretary; and Barbara McGee, treasurer. Newly elected directors include Bill Andrew, Joe Belohlazek, Joe Lynch, Barbara Zais and Griffin.