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Subject: Beauties by the Bay

**Traverse City** – The antique car era ranges from the beginning of the automobile up to the 1930s. Most agree that any car considered to be classic should be at least 40 years old. Going back 40 years or more, once the design of a car was complete, engineers were then asked to figure out how to make it functional. At that time, form and design took precedence over how it functioned. Today’s classic and collector cars illustrate the vision of the designers and the craftsmen who created them.

Classic and collector car enthusiasts spend time and money perfecting their automobiles. They paint, polish and often bring their classic cars back to driving form. To show off their hard work, they will display their collector cars at Beauties by the Bay on Friday, June 16, 4 p.m. at the Traverse City Senior Center, 801 E. Front Street.

There is no cost for the event and no registration is required. Everyone is welcome to come and enjoy the cars, beach, food and music.

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