Santa Barbara Courthouse Legacy Foundation



Our mission is to fund conservation, preservation, and restoration projects so current and future generations can enjoy the Santa Barbara Courthouse.

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June 18, 2010

Mr. Michael Brown
Executive Officer
County of Santa Barbara
105 E. Anapamu Street
Santa Barbara, CA 93101

Dear Mr. Brown,

The Courthouse Legacy Foundation (CLF) has been working diligently for the past few years to raise the funds necessary to replace the Spirit of the Ocean fountain at the County Courthouse. The fountain is decomposing rapidly and our aim is to complete the project this year.

We are very grateful to the County for the previous contribution of \$75,000 to help us kick off our project funding drive. As shown on the attached budget, the estimated total cost of the project is \$600,000. We have successfully raised funds, received pledges and secured in-kind contributions from private sources and foundations in the amount of approximately \$256,000 (shown on the attached budget as funds contributed of \$232,000 plus cash of \$24,000). With existing County and City respective commitments of \$75,000 and \$25,000, CLF still needs approximately \$244,000 to complete the project.

We are writing at this time to respectfully request an additional contribution towards this project from the County in the amount of \$100,000 to help us reach our goal.

As you know, CLF was founded several years ago to involve the community in preserving and conserving the Santa Barbara Courthouse so that future generations can enjoy this treasure in its historic authenticity. The fountain reconstruction is being planned to provide an educational opportunity for the public as well as a lasting sculpture comprising one of the most historic and significant artistic features of the Courthouse.

The concept of a public and private partnership to preserve and conserve a unique public building like our Courthouse, as CLF and Santa Barbara County have undertaken, is a worthy model for communities like ours. Private contributions (cash, pledges and in-kind contributions/pledges) to date approximate \$256,000 as stated above. This is approximately 43% of the total project budget, and CLF is busy now raising additional funds. The additional requested \$100,000 from the County will bring into parity the current private and public commitments to this important project, and such current parity will be a key to CLF's success in its continued fundraising efforts.

Your partnership and financial contributions will make it a reality. It will also provide the needed current cash to get the quarry labor and stone carving started.

Sincerely,

William S.Thomas, Jr., Board President

Bradford F. Ginder, Development Chair

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cc: Supervisor Salud Carbajal

Spirit of the Ocean Project Courthouse Legacy Foundation (CLF) June 2010 Budget and Goals

Green indicates donated		1	Brown ir	Brown indicates to be donated	donated	tbc = to be confirmed
Items	Costs		Paid		Outstanding	Notes
Planning and CFOA	÷	10,000.00	()	10,000.00	- ↔	P&S
Boulder	+ €€	100,000.00	↔	100,000.00	ı \$	Slippery Rock Ranch
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Grane and operator	· 69	47,500.00	₩	47,500.00	ا دی	Specialty Crane, tbc
Stone carving	· 69	262,500.00			\$ 262,500.00	
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Moving stone	· ()	20,000.00	↔	20,000.00	ι 6	Marborg Ind., tbc
Housing occupatures	· 69	22,000.00	69	22,000.00	•	tbc
Travel	· 69	15,500.00			\$ 15,500.00	
Equip tools storage	· 69	20,000.00			\$ 20,000.00	:
Tile work	· 63	9,000.00	↔	9,000.00	ı ⇔	Schipper Const., tbc
	- 69	3,000.00	€	3,000.00	۰ د	NS Ceramics
Diseper curround	· 69	2,500.00	↔	2,500.00	·	Schipper Const., tbc
Disage surround	+ € 5	500,00	· ()	500.00	ı ⇔	Robert and Rodney
Fraque Exhibit old statue	, 69	1,500.00	€	1,500.00	ı ↔	SB County, tbc
Total Budget	€	600,000.00	₩	232,000.00	\$ 368,000.00	

Goal to complete project

Paid or donated to CLF SB County Funds 200 CLF cash SB City Funds 200	to CLF is 2009-10 June 2010 2009-10	& & & & &	232,000.00 75,000.00 24,000.00 25,000.00	committed, not yet spent committed,not yet spent
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