

GRANT APPLICATION

Please complete each section of this application. Incomplete applications may be rejected.

PART 1: PROJECT TITLE

Project Title: Cabrillo High School Aquarium - Coastal Solash Exhibit
Amount Requesting: 5,000.00

PART 2: GENERAL INFORMATION

Organization: Cabrillo High School Aquarium			
Contact Person: Chris Ladwig, Grant Writer			
Address 4350 Constellation Road			
City Lompoc	State CA	Zip 93436	
Phone 805-264-4683	Fax	Email (most communication will be by email) ladwig.christopher@lusd.org	

PART 3: PROJECT DESCRIPTION

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The Cabrillo High School Aquarium is a 35-year-old public aquarium program, operated by nearly 200 dedicated high school students on the campus of Cabrillo High School in Lompoc, CA. The unique program is hands-on learning at its best, integrating curriculum from every academic and technical area in support of our mission to promote responsible marine stewardship. Six classes of students each year maintain over 25 exhibits, develop conservation curriculum, and host more than 7,000 visitors annually through tours to local school groups and free Open House events.

The Cabrillo High School Aquarium is currently seeking funds to install a high-energy "Coastal Splash Exhibit" in its 6,000 square-foot facility. The dynamic 14-foot long exhibit will feature real waves traveling along a coastal habitat housing live intertidal animals, demonstrating the challenges faced by irrepressible marine organisms living among waves relentlessly crashing against the ever-changing local shoreline. The conspicuous exhibit will be located in the center of the Aquarium's main exhibit floor, featuring eye-catching components sure to grab the attention of every guest. The design includes a steel and fiberglass structure with clear acrylic components for high visibility accented by an impressive 9-foot tall rockwork tower to conceal the wave mechanism and simulate the local rocky coastline. The new exhibit is situated as low to the ground as possible (18 inches) to ensure guests of all ages and abilities are able to equally experience the pounding wave action within the tank. To simulate the wave surge, a tall chamber within the rockwork tower will fill with water as a vacuum pump removes air from the chamber. Once sensors indicate that water has filled the chamber tower, a solenoid valve will open, breaking the air vacuum and allowing roughly 40 gallons of water to surge into the tank at once. The wave will travel the length of the 14-foot long tank, before crashing at the opposite end on a simulated rocky shore. This striking exhibit will complement the Aquarium's Interactive Tidepool, where guests interact with animals living above the surf zone. The combination of these two exhibits, along with the recently expanded Purisima Point mural, will finally allow the Aquarium to paint a complete picture of the entire coastal system, from the surf zone all the way up into the highest intertidal zones. The striking addition complies with FG Code 13103 (a) as a public education project, since this one-of-a-kind exhibit will allow Aquarium tour guides to educate more than 7,000 schoolchildren and members of the public each year on the vital necessity for fish & wildlife conservation in the precarious coastal splash zone.

Throughout the design process, the Aquarium has worked with Tenji Aquarium Design + Build, a large exhibit design and fabrication company run by former aquarists at the Monterey Bay Aquarium. They have extensive experience working with marine educational facilities of all sizes and in fact have constructed larger wave tanks for other facilities like the Tennessee Aquarium. The same company successfully completed the Aquarium's Interactive Tidepool project and appreciates the unique nature of our program and supports our special conservation mission. Professional experts, Aquarium staff, and students will ensure the exhibit accurately portrays coastal habitats while also allowing visitors of all ages and abilities to participate in experiential learning. A major factor of the Coastal Splash Exhibit's design is its ability to serve visitors for decades with little to no maintenance costs. Even partial funding of this grant request will go a long ways in supporting the installation of this valuable education resource. Attached are design renderings of the proposed exhibit.

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Project Milestones Provide description of milestone Add additional lines if needed.	Date
Project Start Date:	7/1/21
Milestone: Exhibit designs finalized with contractor.	7/31/21
Milestone: Exhibit components are fabricated & assembled at contractor's facility.	9/1/21
Milestone: Begin relocating animals in old exhibits, remove old exhibits.	11/1/21
Milestone: Exhibit installation is completed. Habitats are prepared for tours in Feb. 2022.	12/31/21
Anticipated Completion Date:	2/1/22

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The Cabrillo High School Aquarium is located less than five miles from the Pacific Ocean and Vandenberg Air Force Base, which encompasses thirty-five miles of coastline. With the combination of live & static exhibits, thousands of students and teachers, and the support of adult leaders from throughout the State, the Cabrillo High School Aquarium has become one of the strongest environmental education tools on the Central Coast. The complex features more than two-dozen exhibits and husbandry programs, including a precise corals propagation lab, shark breeding program, and the largest permanent exhibition of jellies between Monterey and Long Beach. Displays throughout the facility depict different portions of the coastal environment ranging from shallow water tidal habitats to the surf break at Point Conception. Visitors learn about the delicate nature of local ecosystems throughout the coast.

Over 7,000 visitors of all ages pass through the Aquarium's doors annually, leaving with a better appreciation and understanding of how to better care for their coastline, how to properly use such resources for recreation, and an overall appreciation of the ever-changing coastal environment. The Aquarium is available to students, Santa Barbara County residents, tourists, and others completely free of charge. Due in part to the large agricultural industry, the surrounding community is not overly affluent, with a median household income of \$52,543 and 19.1% of the population below the poverty level. These factors help explain why a trip to the Aquarium is often the first high quality marine experience for many visitors, since travelling over an hour to the nearest marine facility is simply not feasible.

The exhibits, programs, and curriculum of the Cabrillo High School Aquarium address the ocean, its varied habitats, and the entire California coastline. In fact, this particular exhibit will literally replicate a dynamic portion of the local coastline, making the hazardous surf zone accessible to a broad segment of the public who otherwise may not be able to safely visit the actual environment in person. Such an exhibit will allow guests to see the flora and fauna below the surface of the surf zone, which even frequent visitors to our coast are unable to experience in the field. A major purpose of any aquarium is to transport visitors to areas that may otherwise be impossible to experience. No other place on the coast is more dangerous to visit than the ever-changing surf zone. Additionally, no other place on the coast is more vulnerable to human interference and pollution, both onshore and offshore. With the development of a technologically advanced Coastal Splash Exhibit, the Aquarium will finally be able to present a truly complete picture of the Santa Barbara County coast. An engaging experience featuring the kinetic energy of the crashing waves among towering, realistic rockwork will elicit some of the strongest emotions of any exhibit in the facility. Such a unique experience will be tremendously engaging and help to promote greater empathy to conserve these dynamic ecosystems.

Budget Breakdown:

Item Description	Per Unit Cost	Quantity	Total
1. Exhibit Structure	\$ 82,500.00	1.00	\$ 82,500.00
2. Exhibit Plumbing & Controls	\$ 17,500.00	1.00	\$ 17,500.00
3. Exhibit Design	\$ 7,500.00	1.00	\$ 7,500.00
4. Exhibit Labor	\$ 11,400.00	1.00	\$ 11,400.00
5. Installation	\$ 4,600.00	1.00	\$ 4,600.00
6. 15% Project Contingency	\$ 18,525.00	1.00	\$ 18,525.00
Total			142,025.00

Please add additional lines as needed

Other Funding Sources

In-kind or Other Funding Sources:	
1. Coastal Resource Enhancement Fund	\$ 90,000.00
2. Anonymous Donors	\$ 25,000.00
3. CHS Aquarium Patron Program	\$ 22,025.00
Total Cost of project	137,025.00

Please add additional lines as needed

PART 7: QUALIFICATIONS (optional)

Please describe the personnel who will be working on this project and their background and pertinent qualifications. Name	Background/Qualifications
Greg Eisen	CHS Aquarium Director, CHS Science Department Chair
Mark Faulkner	Principal, Tenji Inc. Aquarium Design + Build, Former Aquarist - Monterey Bay Aquarium
Chris Ladwig, Jennifer Mason, Michelle Poquette	CHS Aquarium Staff Advisors, CHS Science Teachers

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Participating Organization	Role	Monetary Contributions	Letter of Support Attached	Name	Phone Number
1. Lompoc Unified School District	Provides Aquarium Advisor salaries, utilities, and general facilities maintenance	\$	Yes	Superintendent Trevor McDonald	(805) 742-3300
2.		\$			
3.		\$			

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	Date	Actual Date Submitted (Do not write here)
Progress Report	10/1/21	
Progress Report	12/1/21	
Final Report to SBCFGC	2/1/22	

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Greg Eisen

Print Name



Signature

Aquarium Director

Title

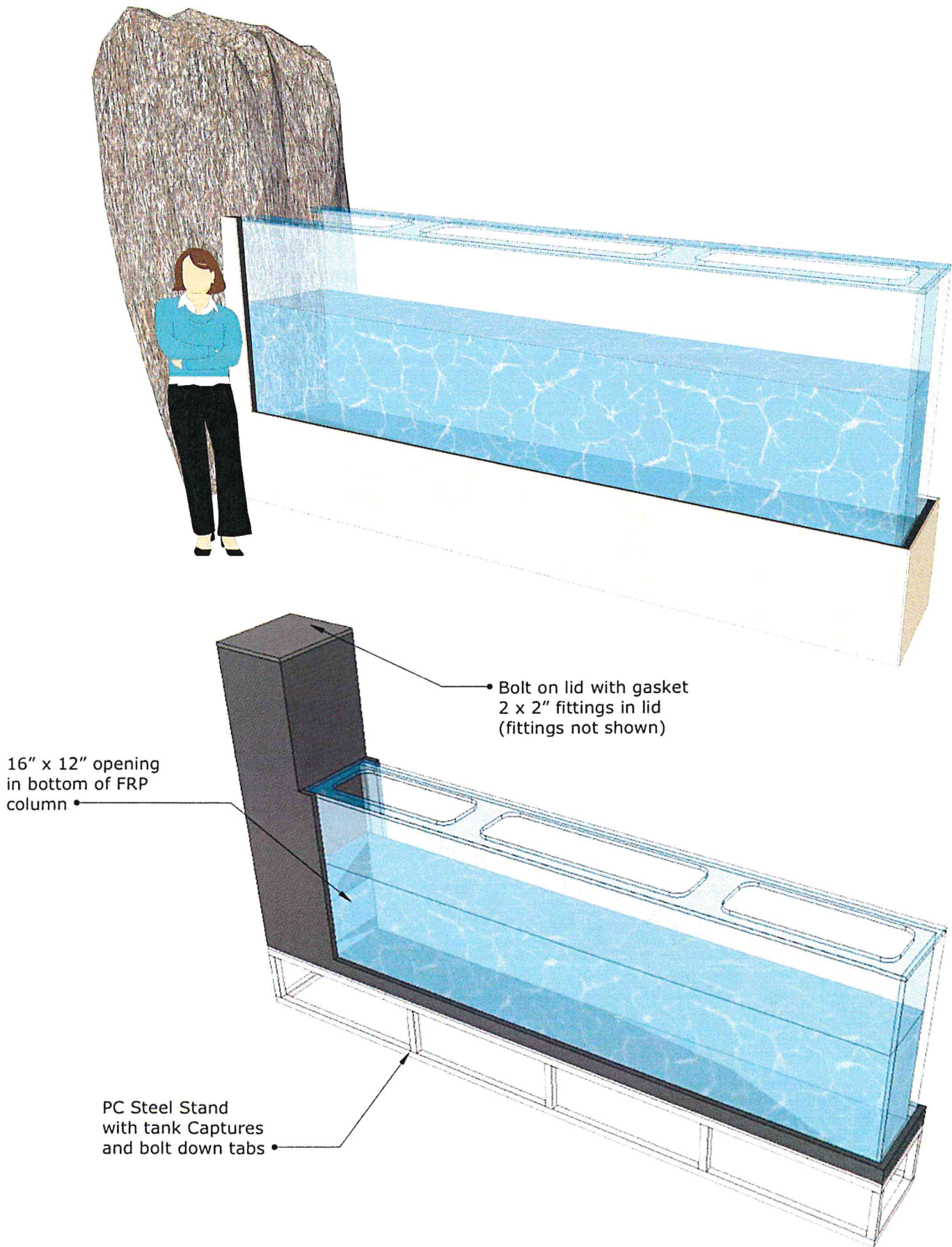
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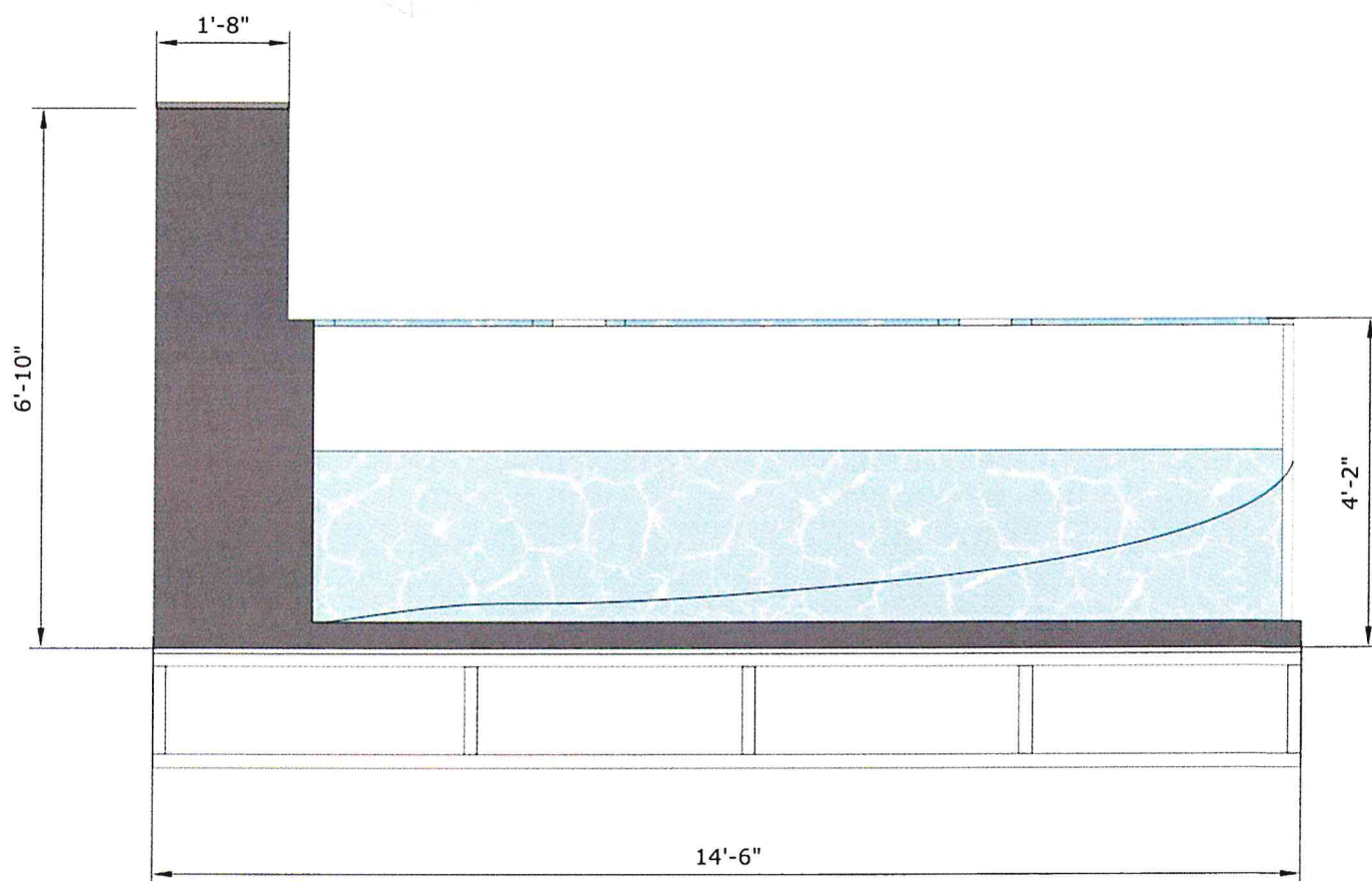
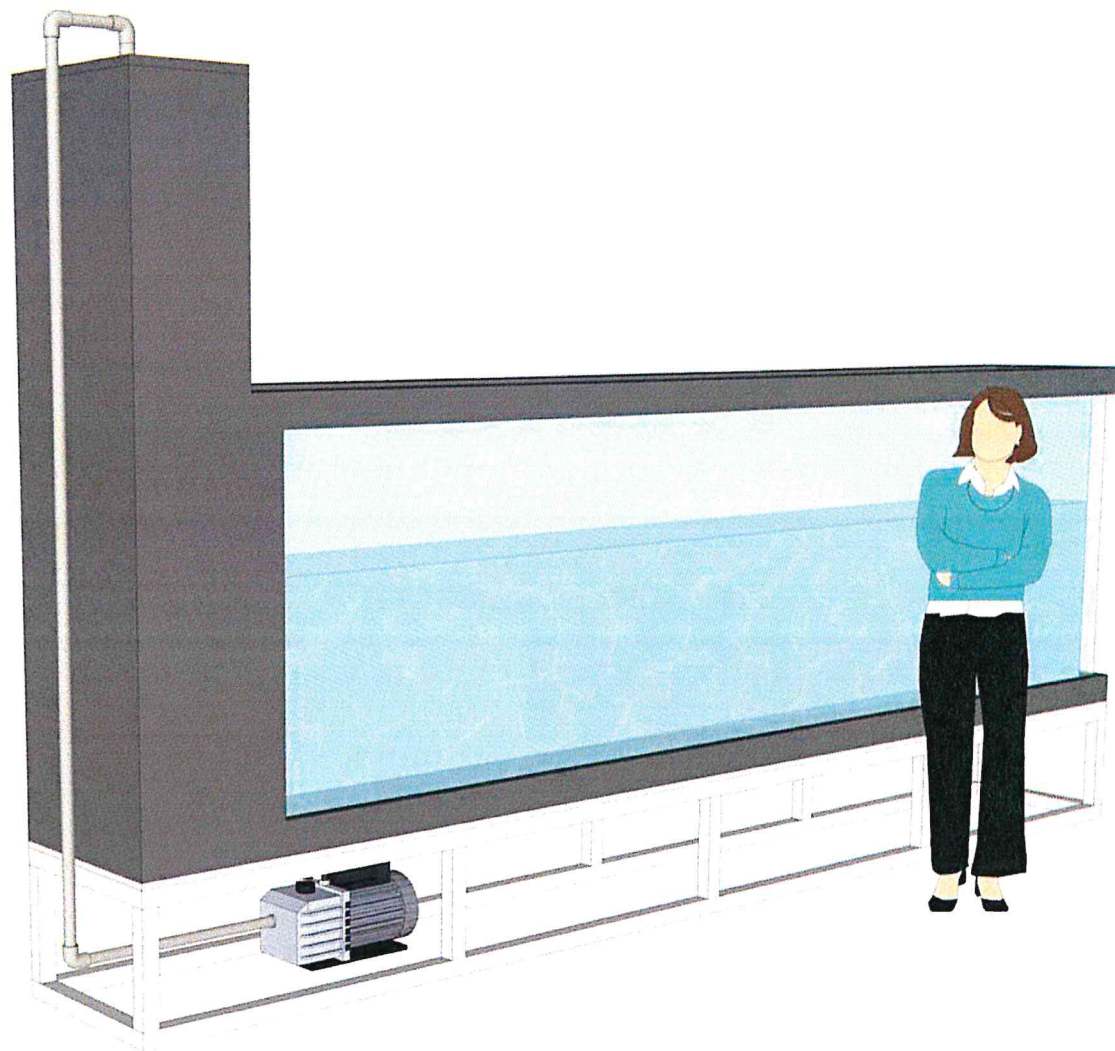
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Attn. Fish and Game Commission
123 E. Anapamu St.
Santa Barbara, CA 93101**

The four photos below include preliminary design drafts for the exhibit, as provided by Tenji Aquarium Design + Build. The first image shows the completed exhibit with rockwork and cladding.







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SCHOOL DISTRICT**

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CLARENCE RUTH ELEMENTARY
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LA HONDA ELEMENTARY
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1301 NORTH "A" STREET
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Trevor McDonald, Superintendent

November 23, 2020

TO: Grant Selection Committee

As the Superintendent of Lompoc Unified School District, I wish to express my steadfast support for the Cabrillo High School Aquarium's applications to seek grant funds to help finance a new *Coastal Splash Exhibit*! Our school district has maintained a close partnership with the Aquarium since its inception in 1986. This highly successful program is a shining gem in our community and continues to flourish with the much needed support of grant funding.

The Cabrillo High School Aquarium has been operated by dedicated high school students throughout its 34-year history. The program is hands-on learning at its best, integrating curriculum from every academic and technical area. Teachers, students, and the community use this unique marine facility for teaching and the development of hands-on, project-based learning. With twenty-five exhibits, thousands of students and teachers, and the support of leaders from throughout the State, the Cabrillo High School Aquarium has become one of the strongest environmental educational tools in the region. After opening its current facility in 2002, the program is now operated by nearly 200 students each year who maintain the exhibits, care for the animals, and host more than 7,000 visitors annually. During the current COVID-19 closure, Aquarium students are hosting virtual tours for elementary classes from across the United States, free of charge. By the end of 2020 alone, they will have virtually hosted 94 classes, totaling over 2,300 students.

To further promote coastal awareness, Aquarium students and staff are seeking funds to install a powerful new wave display – the *Coastal Splash Exhibit*! This engaging addition will demonstrate the dynamic and dangerous coastal surf zone where irrepressible marine organisms live among waves relentlessly crashing against the shore. The cutting-edge exhibit will model coastal wave action along a 14-foot tank, housing animals specially adapted to thrive in this ever-changing environment. Built low to the ground, the new addition will be accessible to guests of all ages and abilities, providing every visitor with a window to a portion of the coast that is simply too dangerous for most people to experience in person. The exhibit will complement the Aquarium's Interactive Tidepool touch tank, fully demonstrating the dynamic wave action at the coast that ultimately supplies water and nutrients to local tidepools. A tour of the CHS Aquarium, either virtual or in person, is many students' first exposure to the ocean, so Aquarium students and advisors feel responsible to convey the most comprehensive, authentic educational experience possible. This exciting exhibit will be the final piece of that puzzle, allowing the Aquarium to represent the full spectrum of local coastal environments.

Thank you very much for your support of our program and this exciting project! The *Coastal Splash Exhibit*! is an exemplary project and worthy of your consideration.

Sincerely,

Trevor McDonald
Superintendent of Schools



Santa Barbara County Fish and Game Commission

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- Successful grant applicants will be contacted following County Board of Supervisors approval.

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The Santa Barbara Wildlife Care Network provides emergency treatment and care of injured, orphaned, sick, and oiled wildlife 365 days a year in Santa Barbara and Ventura Counties. Every year, SBWCN cares for increasingly more wild animals in desperate need of our services. The local demand for wildlife rehabilitation is only getting more dire as urban development, wildfires, and more continue to impact our wild community. For 33 years, SBWCN managed to care for 4,700+ animals a year out of temporary sheds, trailers, and even tents when over capacity but this is no longer sustainable.

In order to meet present demands, SBWCN is building a state-of-the-art Wildlife Hospital to better fulfill our mission to save and serve wildlife. At 5,400 square feet, this new facility will be the first of its kind in the region and is projected to increase the Network's ability to care for our region's wildlife – from daily treatments to large-scale emergencies. After years of hard work putting together this comprehensive campaign, SBWCN finally broke ground on the building in January 2021 and this multi-year long project started to become a reality. Currently, the building framing is being installed and fundraising is at \$5.2 million of the \$6 million goal.

The Fish & Wildlife Commission's support of this project will help SBWCN:

- Provide life-saving treatment to 4,700+ wild animals and work with 7,000+ citizens annually to save wildlife.
- Maintain and grow SBWCN's new veterinary program to provide surgeries, x-rays, oxygen capabilities, wing repair, ophthalmology, and more to critical patients.
- Upgrade facility conditions for staff, volunteers, and wild animals in need.
- Update present facilities and enclosures to meet the rising needs of current patients.
- Improve care for specialized patients such as oiled wildlife, raptors, and mammals.

PART 4: BENEFITS TO SANTA BARBARA COUNTY WILDLIFE

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This state-of-the-art facility will have a significant impact on the organization and the wildlife in our care:

- Increased oil spill response abilities will make SBWCN a primary care facility for oiled wildlife, enabling our team to better serve oiled wildlife both on a daily basis and in an emergency.
- Larger aviaries will give the means to care for more raptors from treatment to release. Upgrades to pools will do the same for pelagic bird species.
- The new veterinary program led by Dr. Avery Berkowitz brings entirely new abilities to our Center, including complex surgeries, x-rays, advanced pain control, and intensive care that will all be further enhanced with the upgraded facilities. SBWCN will be able to reduce the impacts of stress and travel on animals for transfers, accelerate treatment times, deliver more professional medical care, and most importantly return more wildlife back to the wild.
- Other improvements include a baby songbird nursery, surgery and radiology rooms, intensive care unit, temperature-controlled facilities, new outdoor mammal enclosure, and much more.

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Print Name



Signature

Title

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Attachment A
FISH AND GAME CODE
SECTION 13100-13104

13100. (a) The amounts paid to and retained in the county treasury pursuant to Sections 12009 and 13003 shall be deposited in a county fish and wildlife propagation fund and expended for the protection, conservation, propagation, and preservation of fish and wildlife, under the direction of the board of supervisors, pursuant to this chapter.

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13103. Expenditures from the fish and wildlife propagation fund of any county may be made only for the following purposes:

(a) Public education relating to the scientific principles of fish and wildlife conservation, consisting of supervised formal instruction carried out pursuant to a planned curriculum and aids to education such as literature, audio and video recordings, training models, and nature study facilities.

(b) Temporary emergency treatment and care of injured or orphaned wildlife.

(c) Temporary treatment and care of wildlife confiscated by the department as evidence.

(d) Breeding, raising, purchasing, or releasing fish or wildlife which are to be released upon approval of the department pursuant to Sections 6400 and 6401 onto land or into waters of local, state, or federal agencies or onto land or into waters open to the public.

(e) Improvement of fish and wildlife habitat, including, but not limited to, construction of fish screens, weirs, and ladders; drainage or other watershed improvements; gravel and rock removal or placement; construction of irrigation and water distribution systems; earthwork and grading; fencing; planting trees and other vegetation management; and removal of barriers to the migration of fish and wildlife.

(f) Construction, maintenance, and operation of public hatchery facilities.

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(i) Scientific fish and wildlife research conducted by institutions of higher learning, qualified researchers, or governmental agencies, if approved by the department.

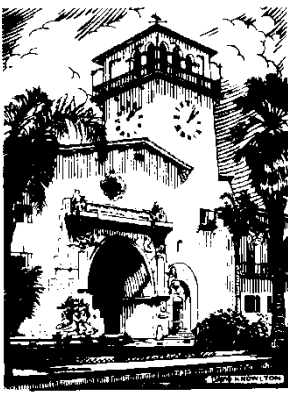
(j) Reasonable administrative costs, excluding the costs of audits required by Section 13104, for secretarial service, travel, and postage by the county fish and wildlife commission when authorized by the county board of supervisors. For purposes of this subdivision, "reasonable cost" means an amount which does not exceed 15 percent of the average amount received by the fund during the previous three-year period, or ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) annually, whichever is greater, excluding any funds carried over from a previous fiscal year.

(k) Contributions to a secret witness program for the purpose of facilitating enforcement of this code and regulations adopted pursuant to this code.

(l) Costs incurred by the district attorney or city attorney in investigating and prosecuting civil and criminal actions for violations of this code, as approved by the department.

(m) Other expenditures, approved by the department, for the purpose of protecting, conserving, propagating, and preserving fish and wildlife.

13104. The department may audit, or require the county to audit, expenditures by the county from its fish and wildlife propagation fund in order to determine compliance with this chapter. If, after reviewing the audit, the department determines that expenditures are not in compliance with this chapter, the department may require that all expenditures from the fund be temporarily suspended, or it may seek reimbursement of funds that the department determines, based on the audit, were expended improperly, or both.



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- Successful grant applicants will be contacted following County Board of Supervisors approval.

GRANT APPLICATION

Please complete each section of this application. Incomplete applications may be rejected.

PART 1: PROJECT TITLE

Project Title:
Amount Requesting:

PART 2: GENERAL INFORMATION

Organization:		
Contact Person:		
Address		
City	State	Zip
Phone	Fax	Email (most communication will be by email)

PART 3: PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Note: Please state how the program or project complies with FG Code 13103 (Attachment A) and which provisions apply. If the project is for educational purposes (FG Code 13103 a.), attach a curriculum and examples of any teaching aids to be used.

PART 4: BENEFITS TO SANTA BARBARA COUNTY WILDLIFE

Please describe how this project would directly or indirectly benefit Santa Barbara County's wildlife.

PART 5: TIMELINE. For large, multi-year projects, the SBCF&GC may ask for this section to be filled out. For smaller yearly projects or where an item or items are being purchased one time or the project is one event, this section does not apply.

Please provide an outline of your project including the milestones and anticipated achievement dates.

Project Milestones Provide description of milestone Add additional lines if needed.	Date
Project Start Date:	
Milestone:	
Milestone:	
Milestone:	
Milestone:	
Anticipated Completion Date:	

PART 6: BUDGET

Please use the form below to list the summary of your budget and other funding sources. Attach a detailed list of items such as equipment, supplies, and other tangible items to be purchased. Receipts must be supplied for all expenditures. The Fish and Game Commission traditionally does not fund administration costs, such as labor, overhead and travel.

\$ Amount Requested from the Fish and Game Commission:	\$
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Budget Breakdown:

Item Description	Per Unit Cost	Quantity	Total
1.	\$		\$
2.	\$		\$
3.	\$		\$
4.	\$		\$
5.	\$		\$
6.	\$		\$
Total			

Please add additional lines as needed

Other Funding Sources

In-kind or Other Funding Sources:	
1.	\$
2	\$
3.	\$
Total Cost of project	

Please add additional lines as needed

PART 7: QUALIFICATIONS (optional)

Please describe the personnel who will be working on this project and their background and pertinent qualifications. Name	Background/Qualifications

Please add additional lines as needed

PART 8: PROJECT PARTNERS (optional)

The Commission strongly encourages prospective grantees to seek partnerships in completing projects. Please list any organizations, groups or agencies that have agreed to participate in your project. Give a brief description of each organization's role in your project. Include any monetary contribution to the project, if any. Please attach a letter of support from each organization. If this is not possible, please include a name and phone number of a person from each organization who can be contacted to verify participation.

Participating Organization	Role	Monetary Contributions	Letter of Support Attached	Name	Phone Number
1.		\$			
2.		\$			
3.		\$			

Please add additional lines as needed

PART 10: MANDATORY REPORTING

A final report demonstrating how the objective of the grant was achieved is due 60 days from the completion of all projects. On longer term, more complex projects, once those projects are initiated, a progress report is required every 90 days until the project is completed unless the SBCF&GC decides due to the nature of the project, progress reports are not needed.

	Date	Actual Date Submitted (Do not write here)
Progress Report		
Progress Report		
Final Report to SBCFGC		

NOTE: Receipts for expenditures to date must be submitted with each progress report as applicable.

PART 12: AGREEMENT

If awarded funds from the Santa Barbara County Fish and Game Commission, I agree to:

- Complete the project as indicated and provide all reports and products as indicated in this application; including any amendments requested by the SBCFGC.
- Spend funds as outlined in this application and/or as voted upon by the SBCFGC. Any request to change how funds are spent must be approved by Santa Barbara County prior to the actual expenditure.

I understand that failure to do so may void this contract with the SBCFGC. Failure to provide such reports and products or use of funds other than voted upon, may result in the loss of granted funds and exclusion from future grant opportunities.



Print Name

Signature

Title

Date

Please Return Grant Applications (13 copies) to:

**Santa Barbara County Planning and Development
Attn. Fish and Game Commission
123 E. Anapamu St.
Santa Barbara, CA 93101**

Attachment A
FISH AND GAME CODE
SECTION 13100-13104

13100. (a) The amounts paid to and retained in the county treasury pursuant to Sections 12009 and 13003 shall be deposited in a county fish and wildlife propagation fund and expended for the protection, conservation, propagation, and preservation of fish and wildlife, under the direction of the board of supervisors, pursuant to this chapter.

(b) All proposed expenditures from a county fish and wildlife propagation fund shall be reviewed first at a regular meeting of the county board of supervisors or its designated county fish and game commission to ensure compliance with Section 13103.

13101. (a) The board of supervisors of any county may enter into a written agreement with the board of supervisors of one or more counties for the expenditure of any funds deposited in its fish and wildlife propagation fund pursuant to Section 13100 for any purpose authorized by Section 13103 in either, or any, of the counties for the joint benefit of both, or all, of the counties as the judgment of the boards of supervisors may direct. The purchase of real property necessary for that purpose is lawful and title thereto shall be taken in the joint names of each county which contributes funds therefor. The property may be deeded to the state upon the express condition that it shall be employed for the purposes of this chapter within the counties.

(b) The board of supervisors of one or more counties may enter into a written agreement with the department for the expenditure of any funds deposited in its fish and wildlife propagation fund pursuant to Section 13100 for any purpose authorized by Section 13103.

13102. Expenditures from the fish and game propagation fund of any county shall be subject to the provisions of Division 3 (commencing with Section 29000) of Title 3 of the Government Code.

13103. Expenditures from the fish and wildlife propagation fund of any county may be made only for the following purposes:

(a) Public education relating to the scientific principles of fish and wildlife conservation, consisting of supervised formal instruction carried out pursuant to a planned curriculum and aids to education such as literature, audio and video recordings, training models, and nature study facilities.

(b) Temporary emergency treatment and care of injured or orphaned wildlife.

(c) Temporary treatment and care of wildlife confiscated by the department as evidence.

(d) Breeding, raising, purchasing, or releasing fish or wildlife which are to be released upon approval of the department pursuant to Sections 6400 and 6401 onto land or into waters of local, state, or federal agencies or onto land or into waters open to the public.

(e) Improvement of fish and wildlife habitat, including, but not limited to, construction of fish screens, weirs, and ladders; drainage or other watershed improvements; gravel and rock removal or placement; construction of irrigation and water distribution systems; earthwork and grading; fencing; planting trees and other vegetation management; and removal of barriers to the migration of fish and wildlife.

(f) Construction, maintenance, and operation of public hatchery facilities.

(g) Purchase and maintain materials, supplies, or equipment for either the department's ownership and use or the department's use in the normal performance of the department's responsibilities.

(h) Predator control actions for the benefit of fish or wildlife following certification in writing by the department that the proposed actions will significantly benefit a particular wildlife species.

(i) Scientific fish and wildlife research conducted by institutions of higher learning, qualified researchers, or governmental agencies, if approved by the department.

(j) Reasonable administrative costs, excluding the costs of audits required by Section 13104, for secretarial service, travel, and postage by the county fish and wildlife commission when authorized by the county board of supervisors. For purposes of this subdivision, "reasonable cost" means an amount which does not exceed 15 percent of the average amount received by the fund during the previous three-year period, or ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) annually, whichever is greater, excluding any funds carried over from a previous fiscal year.

(k) Contributions to a secret witness program for the purpose of facilitating enforcement of this code and regulations adopted pursuant to this code.

(l) Costs incurred by the district attorney or city attorney in investigating and prosecuting civil and criminal actions for violations of this code, as approved by the department.

(m) Other expenditures, approved by the department, for the purpose of protecting, conserving, propagating, and preserving fish and wildlife.

13104. The department may audit, or require the county to audit, expenditures by the county from its fish and wildlife propagation fund in order to determine compliance with this chapter. If, after reviewing the audit, the department determines that expenditures are not in compliance with this chapter, the department may require that all expenditures from the fund be temporarily suspended, or it may seek reimbursement of funds that the department determines, based on the audit, were expended improperly, or both.