



## Occidental Community Council Minutes, August 20, 2016

**PRESENT:** Diane Masura, Carolyn Neiman, Candi Penn, Mary Szecsey, Donald True.

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES:** Yes.

**MEMBERSHIP:** No new members.

### **PUBLIC SERVICE ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

Occidental Health Center's 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary: Saturday, August 27<sup>th</sup> 12 to 2pm

Occidental Community Center Advisory Committee: Thursday, Sept. 1 at 6:30pm

OCA Gallery: Leaf and Petal, Root and Seed – Thru Sept. 10<sup>th</sup>, Fri/Sat. 11am - 4pm & during events.

OAEC Chautauqua – Sept. 15-17 – North Garden Theater.

**TREASURER'S REPORTS:** Carolyn Neiman reported our Balance: \$12,116.70

**CRAFTS FAIRE: 2016** Applications coming in. Deadline for Judging September 15<sup>th</sup>.

Notices went out to past vendors and those on the waiting list, as well as OCC Members.

PR went out to Media.

Judging Applications: Sept. 17<sup>th</sup> after our regular meeting. Fawn, Diane, Carolyn, & Candi.

**WEBSITE:** Traffic Report: 6251 hits

Picture of Crafts Faire with "Applications Open for 2016" highlighted...Sept. 15<sup>th</sup> Deadline.

Nadja has promised to do some design revisions on the website, with Candi consulting.

We discussed finding a new website designer who has more time and local interest.

(It is the only paid position on the Council, at \$50 per month.)

### **CORRESPONDING SECRETARY:**

Senior Resource Center Newsletter – August Scoop

Events posted on the OCC Calendar (Google).

**RESOURCE COMMITTEE:** Mary shared a model form with the school for recording disbursements.

### **NEW BUSINESS:**

Grant Funding Program – Fawn report tabled.

Redesign of Kiosk on the median in front of the Union Cafe. Someone will need to ask Barbara Gonnella for the key and present some ideas.

OCA made a request for funds for the proposed Lobby build. We approved a \$500 payment.

The Occidental Health Center Open House seeks Sponsorships and we approved a \$500 donation, which will offer OCC some good press and recognition in the community.

**OLD BUSINESS:**

Public Bathroom – tabled.

Mural on Bohemian Market Wall – Work will begin in the fall when school resumes.

Mural on Union Motel /Occidental Rd. Wall – Barbara Gonnella said they will work on it.

**SCHOOLS:** School started August 18<sup>th</sup>. Back to School Night is Sept. 8<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm.

The new website design is beautiful and useful: <http://www.harmonyusd.org>

**THE “Y”:** There is a Women’s Health Class thru the SRJC Adult Education Program being offered at the Occidental Community Center. <http://www.scfymca.com> for more information.

There is a Survey online to get community input re: membership and programs.

New: Sports Boot Camp – Tues. 7am, Wed. 8am, Fri. 7am & 9am, Sat. 8am

**HEALTH CENTER:** 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary – Saturday, August 27<sup>th</sup> 12 -2pm

<http://www.wchealth.org>

**COMMUNITY:** Community Notes by Diane Masura features what’s happening with all the local non-profit groups.

**KOWS:** Nothing new to report.

**Next Meeting: Saturday, September 17th, 10:30 am - Occidental Community Center**