



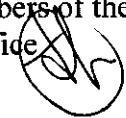
GRAPHIC DESIGN

CITY HALL • ONE FRANK H. OGAWA PLAZA • OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA 94612

JANE BRUNNER
Councilmember
District 1

(510) 238-7001
FAX (510) 238-6910
TTD (510) 238-7413

To: Council President Ignacio De La Fuente and Members of the City Council
From: Justin Horner, Councilmember Jane Brunner's Office
Date: March 29, 2007



Re: Use of \$250,000 Priority Project Funds for City Council District 1

SUMMARY

Each Councilmember has been allocated Priority Funds as part of the Fiscal Year 2006-07 Mid-Cycle Budget. We wish to allocate District 1 Priority funds to Studio One Art Center for the purchase of furniture and equipment in the amount of \$250,000.

FISCAL IMPACT

The aforementioned \$250,000 is already in the Mid-Cycle Budget. Releasing these funds will have no negative impact on this Budget, but will immeasurably aid Studio One Art Center

BACKGROUND

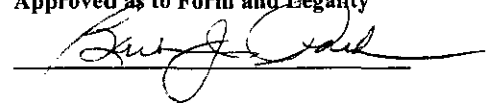
During discussions of the 2006-2007 Mid-Cycle Budget, Council allocated \$2 million, or \$250,000 to each Council District plus the At Large seat, to fund priority projects. The allocation of these funds would be at the discretion of each individual Councilmember, subject to overall Council approval.

DISCUSSION

Studio One Arts Center offers more than 100 hands-on art classes, monitor-assisted labs and activities for children, teens, adults and seniors from all over Oakland. Built in 1894, Studio One is currently undergoing \$10 million worth of upgrades to meet seismic, electrical, mechanical and accessibility codes, funded by the voters of the City of Oakland through Measure DD. New equipment, furniture and furnishings will be needed to adequately operate Studio One as a true citywide cultural resources upon the completion of its renovation in the summer of 2007.

ACTION REQUESTED

We are requesting that the City Council approve the use of Priority Project Funds for the Studio One Arts Center in the amount of \$250,000.



07 APR 2006 PM 4:05

OAKLAND CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. _____ C.M.S.

Introduced by Councilmember Brunner

Resolution Authorizing a Grant of Two Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$250,000) from Councilmember Brunner's Priority Project Funds to Studio One Arts Center to Purchase Furniture, Furnishings and Equipment to Complete the Facility's Renovation Project

WHEREAS, on June 8, 2006 the City Council did amend the 2005-2007 Policy Budget for the City of Oakland to include \$250,000 each a piece for the Mayor and each Councilmember to use as priority funds for projects at each Councilmember's discretion but in the City of Oakland or in Councilmembers' districts subject to City Council approval; and

WHEREAS, Studio One Arts Center offers more than 100 hands-on art classes, monitor-assisted labs and activities for children, teens, adults and seniors at all skill levels for a moderate fee; and

WHEREAS, Studio One was built in 1894 and is currently undergoing much needed upgrades to meet seismic, electrical, mechanical and accessibility codes; and

WHEREAS, new equipment, furniture and furnishings will be needed to adequately operate Studio One upon the completion of its renovation in the summer of 2007; and

WHEREAS, Councilmember Brunner wishes to grant her priority project funds to Studio One Arts Center to be used to purchase furniture, furnishings and equipment to complete the facility's renovation project; and

WHEREAS, the City will require that Studio One Arts Center provide documentation for use of the Councilmember's priority project funds; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED: that the City Council authorizes the grant of two hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000) to Studio One Arts Center for the purchase of furniture, furnishings and equipment to complete the facility's renovation project.

FURTHER RESOLVED: that the City Administrator is authorized to execute an appropriate grant agreement with Studio One Art Center consistent with the purposes of the grant, subject to approval as to form and legality by the City Attorney.

IN COUNCIL, OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA, _____, 20____

PASSED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES- BROOKS, BRUNNER, CHANG, NADEL, REID, QUAN, KERNIGHAN and PRESIDENT DE LA FUENTE

NOES-

ABSENT-

ABSTENTION-

ATTEST:

LATONDA SIMMONS
City Clerk and Clerk of the Council
of the City of Oakland, California