

Carlsbad Time Lines

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Carlsbad, California, Historical Society

President's Letter

The older I become, the quicker the years seem to go by. So it was with great surprise that I realized this year that twenty years had passed since I wrote Windows on the Past, an Illustrated History of Carlsbad, CA for our city's 50th incorporation anniversary. With our city celebrating our 70th incorporation anniversary this past July, I decided we needed to update the book's history timeline and our elected officials appendix. In this newsletter you'll find both, and we suggest you add them to your copy of Windows on the Past. If you are unable to print these off let us know, and we can do so for you.

At our August meeting, the board decided to change from bimonthly to quarterly meetings. We will meet February, May, August and November, on the third Mondays, at 4 pm.

Membership Renewal is scheduled for the end of this calendar year, and will run from January 2023 to January 2024. Keep in mind a free t-shirt goes along with a switch to lifetime membership.

Annual Election

You've received an email requesting any nominations for our upcoming annual election. A ballot will be sent out this September, and we ask that you return it by October 20. You can do so by email, or paper mail, or drop it off at Magee House Museum during our regular hours of Saturday and Sunday from 11-3. We've had very light attendance the past 2 years at our Annual Meeting. With this in mind, and due to events in our family and travel plans of other Directors, we will not be holding an annual meeting in October.

Holiday Open House

The Board of Directors have decided to host a Holiday Open House in place of the Annual Meeting. We've set the date for Sunday, December 4, from 2-4 pm. This will be an excellent time to start off the holiday season by renewing friendships, and seeing our new museum displays. The barn will be open and the Twin Inns Chicken wearing its holiday finery. We invite you to bring your camera and take a photo. Light refreshments will be served. We hope you

mark your calendars for this date and we look forward to seeing you in person.



Pat and Jim Hansen

It is with great sadness we mark the passing of two of our long time members and residents of Carlsbad, Pat and Jim Hansen.

Please see the excerpted copy of a letter we received which was written by Taffy Cannon. "Pat Hansen passed on August 4, two and a half weeks after her husband Jim.."

Pat's life was inextricably bound to the Library and the Friends of the Library, for 65 years. I believe that she was the last surviving original member of the Friends of the Library, and somewhere we have the original papers signed by the founders. She is probably called Mrs. James Hansen on them (after all, it **was** 1957).

I'm not sure when Pat began working at the Library, but she was retiring as the head of Programs and Events when we moved here in 1990. Jim was simultaneously retiring from a career teaching history at Oceanside High School.

In short order they formed the Playreaders and Pat began performing in local theaters, a longtime dream. They were deeply involved with the New Village Arts theater. Pat ran the Library's Poetry program for decades and edited the anthologies. (The Friends published this each December.) Jim had dabbled in bookselling previously, but now he made it a full time occupation, and had the time of his

life. The Friends acquired a gazillion good books as he finally began downsizing his collections, which included several storage lockers and two outbuildings at their home on Highland at Chestnut.

"Theirs were full lives, richly lived," wrote Taffy.



Pat and Jim Hansen

T- Shirts on sale

We still have a few Carlsbad Artifact t-shirts and more are being printed in sizes x-large and xx-large. In addition to supporting and promoting our organization, they make a fun gift for any long time resident and generate lots of interesting comments.



Yearbook Donations Requested

A recent inventory of our reference library high school yearbook collection found we are missing Carlsbad High Yearbooks from the years 1990-1994, and all from 2000 onward, and all Sage Creek High yearbooks. If you have any of these years and are considering downsizing, please send them our way.

Ferris Photos Donation

Former Carlsbad police officer Tom Ferris was kind enough to share a few images of the 1970s Carlsbad PD. The first Carlsbad Lagoon Patrol boat, and Community Resource beach jeep were part of this collection. These, along with a few others, will be added to our updated Carlsbad Police Department's Display at the Shipley-Magee House.



One of first vehicles patrolling our beaches



Officer Tom Ferris patrols a lagoon

Painting Donation

We have received from Janet Mohle-Boetani, MD, a painting of the Carlsbad train station done by her late grandmother Hilda Mohler, who was a painter, educator and art organizer in San Bernardino County. Thank you for such a nice addition to our collection.



Carlsbad train station by Hilda Mohler



Final explosion of the remaining structures of the power plant

Very Last Power Plant Photos

After many months of dismantling, the last part of the Encina Power Station, which operated from 1954 to 2018, was collapsed by an explosion, on May 16.

Link to power plant going down on May 16, 2022:

<https://fb.watch/d2MUcq0o-s/>



Original magnolia tree in front of Magnolia Elementary

Magnolia Tree Replaced

Magnolia Elementary School was the third opened in Carlsbad in March of 1957. Carlsbad Public Works moved a 30 foot high magnolia tree to the school site from nearby Roosevelt Street. This was the first magnolia tree on Magnolia Street. The tree was planted in the memory of Billy C. Fry, a Carlsbad Union School Board member. In 2022, the original tree was replaced by a much smaller magnolia tree after the original tree didn't survive all of the

remodel construction on the 50-plus-year-old school.
(Unfortunately this new tree has died too.)



Encina Power Station switching yard

SDG&E Nixes Plan for a Maintenance Yard at Carlsbad Shopping Mall

"San Diego Gas & Electric officials said this week they have eliminated The Shoppes at Carlsbad mall from their list of potential new sites for a regional maintenance yard.

Studies show the proposed location on the city-owned parking lot at the northwestern end of the mall "has significant flooding risk," SDG&E Public Affairs Manager Joe Gabaldon told the Carlsbad City Council last week.

'This would greatly impact our ability to serve our customers,' Gabaldon said, asking for more time to relocate the yard. 'We remain committed to finding a new location.'

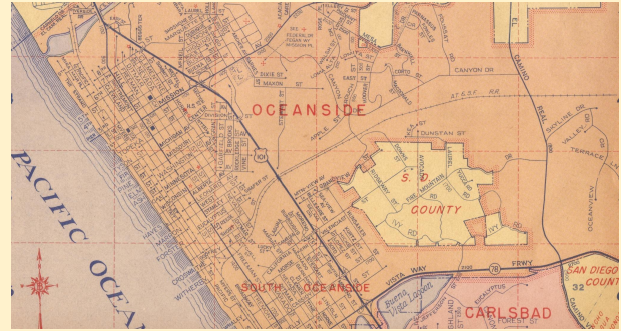
More than 11 sites have been examined so far as a possible replacement for the existing North Coast Service Center at Carlsbad Boulevard and Cannon Road. The City Council agreed to add the shopping mall location to the mix last year in an effort to facilitate the relocation process.

City officials expressed frustration again Wednesday at the length of time SDG&E has taken to choose a new site.

... 'That piece of real estate is not at its highest and best use with what's on it today,' Mayor Matt Hall said. 'Anything else is not in the best interest of all parties.'

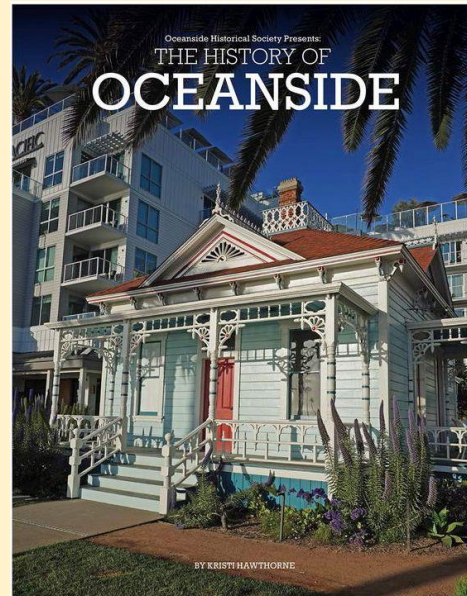
....City officials emphasized that Carlsbad will not be responsible for any construction costs to build the replacement yard. The maintenance yard serves 250,000 customers from Camp Pendleton to Del Mar and inland to Fallbrook, Vista and Rancho Santa Fe." By Phil Diehl 7/31/22

S.D. County Land was known as North Carlsbad



According to Oceanside historian Kristie Hawthorne, the land marked "S. D. County", on the map above, was known at one time as North Carlsbad. It was actually a subdivision filed in 1924 by that name

New Book on the History of Oceanside -by Historian Kristie Hawthorne



"The Oceanside Historical Society's newest book is simply titled "The History of Oceanside". With so many changes in Oceanside over the last few years, it felt like an opportunity to take another look back at our history. While this is our third published history in 34 years, there is always a different perspective from which to tell our story, another opportunity to include more accounts of our residents, of yesterday and today. This new 240-page book is softbound and includes in-depth accounts of some of our iconic landmarks and historic buildings, as well as a

concerted effort to share the diversity of peoples that make Oceanside what it is today."

Appendix I - Carlsbad TimeLine 2002-2022

2002 City of Carlsbad Celebrates the 50th Anniversary of incorporation
2003 Carrillo Ranch Opens to the Public
2004 Magee Park Barn Restored
2005 50th anniversary of Voters approved a 1.25 million construction bond that funded building Carlsbad High School- the first high school ever built in Carlsbad
2006 Prop D- Strawberry Fields Trails voted in, and California State Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger appears at Carlsbad High School and announces plans for education funding
2007 Ray Pachett, City Manager for 20 years retires
2008 Learning Center Opens, and Carlsbad changes from a General Law Municipality to a Charter City
2009 New Village Arts opens at Foundry and Carlsbad High School Renovated
2010 Kelly Elementary School Shooting
2011 Twentieth Carlsbad Annual Marathon
2012 Bud Lewis DeSal Plant Construction begins
2013 Sage Creek High School Opens
2014 Poinsettia Fire and Alga Norte Park opened
2015 No On A Ballot and Bud Lewis DeSal Plant opens
2016 Carlsbad City libraries; Dove and Cole renovated
2017 City transitions to District specific voting for City Council Members
2018 Carlsbad Small Stack Energy Center goes online
2019 Carlsbad's first church St. Michael's Celebrates its 125th anniversary
2020 Global Pandemic Covid 19
2021 Fire Station #2 razed
2022 Encina Power Plant /smokestack razed
2022 Interstate I-5 lane widening

Appendix II- Elected Officials

Election of Mayors by Electors- 2002

Mayor Claude " Bud" Lewis 2002-2010
Matt Hall 2010-2022

Council Members

2002-2004 Mark Packard and Matt Hall
2004-2008 Ann Kulchin and Norine Sigafoose
2006 Norine Sigafoose resigns
2006-2008 City Council Appoints Julie Nygaard to fulfill Sigafoose's term
2006-2010 Matt Hall and Mark Packard

2008- 2012 Ann Kulchin and Keith Blackburn
2010-2014 Farah Douglas and Mark Packard
2014 Farah Douglas Resigns
2014 March- City Council Appoints Michael Schumacher to fulfill 8 months of Farah Douglas's term
2012-2016 Keith Blackburn and Lorraine Wood
2014-2018 Mark Packard and Michael Schumacher
2016- 2020 Keith Blackburn and Cori Schumacher
2018-2022 First District Elections
District 1- Barbara Hamilton; District 3 Priya Bhat- Patel
2019 Barbara Hamilton resigns
2020 Special Election Cori Schumacher District 1 to fulfill Barbara Hamilton's term
2020 -2024 Nov. Election District 2 Keith Blackburn; District 4 Teresa Acosta
2021- Cori Schumacher Resigns; District 1- City Council appoints Peder Norby

2002 City Clerk – Lorraine Wood; City Treasurer- Jim Stanton
2006 City Clerk – Lorraine Wood; City Treasurer- Harold Mc Sherry
2010 City Clerk- Lorraine Wood; City Treasurer- Jim Comstock
2014 City Clerk- Barbara Engleson; City Treasurer Craig Lindholm
2018 Barbara Engleson; City Treasurer- Craig Lindholm

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