

# News Advisory



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**California Office of Historic Preservation Announces  
\$143,000 in Grants to Eight Cities and Counties**

**SACRAMENTO** – California’s Office of Historic Preservation (OHP) today announced that eight cities and counties will receive \$143,000 in grants to help them identify and preserve historic properties. The 2008-2009 Certified Local Government Grants will be awarded to the cities of Los Angeles, Napa, Richmond, Riverside, Sacramento, San Clemente, the City and County of San Francisco and Monterey County.

**City of Los Angeles:** \$20,000 to develop “MYhistoricLA: A Guide to Neighborhood Participation in SurveyLA”. (Total project cost: \$56,052)

**County of Monterey:** \$25,000 to survey the South County’s historical agricultural resources. (Total project cost: \$41,771)

**City of Napa:** \$25,000 to develop a citywide historic context as part of its ongoing historic properties survey program. (Total project cost: \$43,553)

**City of Richmond:** \$25,000 to develop a historic structure report/historic preservation plan for Atchison Village. (Total project cost: \$59,971)

**City of Riverside:** \$25,000 to develop a citywide modernism historic context statement as part of its ongoing historic properties survey program. (Total project cost: \$52,390)

**City of Sacramento:** \$12,000 to survey downtown Sacramento’s raised streets and hollow sidewalks, built in the 19<sup>th</sup> century in response to flooding. (Total project cost: \$20,000)

**City of San Clemente:** \$6,000 to put on five community works and to publish a brochure about city historic preservation incentives and programs,

**City and County of San Francisco:** \$5,000 to input data from past historic resources surveys into a new California Historic Resources Inventory Database. (Total project cost: \$81,986)

A total of 14 applications for \$302,900 were submitted this year under the Certified Local Government (CLG) Program that is administered by OHP to promote partnerships among local governments, the State of California, and the National Park Service (NPS).

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At least 10 percent of California's yearly share of federal funds received through the NPS's Historic Preservation Fund Grants Program must be allocated to certified local governments.

California's CLG grants are awarded on a competitive basis and require a 40 percent local government match that can be provided using a combination of public funds, private funds, and allowable in-kind donations.

OHP, a division of California State Parks, preserves and enhances California's irreplaceable historic heritage for cultural, educational, recreational, aesthetic, economic, social, and environmental benefit for present and future generations.

Additional information about the CLG Program is available online at [www.ohp.parks.ca.gov](http://www.ohp.parks.ca.gov).

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