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Fresno Cultural Arts District Association

August 2008

Promoting the vitality of the Cultural Arts District

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Groundbreaking for Fulton Plaza at Fulton and Divisadero



New Neighbors on Van Ness

- 1743 Motorcycle Church
- 1747 Robert Arreola's Recording Studio
- 1753 Glen Delpit Studio
- 1810 Fortune Associates (for lease)

Progress Photos by Bill Bruce

Coming Up: District Calendar of Events



Arte Américas Plaza Nights

- August 22 40 Watt Hype
- August 29 Battle of the Bands
- September 5 Mariachi Night
- September 12 Trio Los Panchos
- Aerosol Art Exhibit "Remainders"

10th Annual

Downtown

Art Gala

Sept. 17

Fulton Mall

490-9966



Cultural Arts District Participates in Downtown Activities

Join DTA's Friday Lunch Program

Check out the DTA's new program of \$5 Friday lunches, launched to encourage downtown workers to walk to lunch and spare the air.

For participating restaurants
www.downtownfresno.org



District Real Estate

(Cultural Arts Please)

Office space at 1810 Van Ness,
Corner of Van Ness and Amador.
The building houses 5,000 sq. ft.
with available parking. Phone
Victoria Gonzalez, 490-2500.

Save the Date: OCT. 17

Fresno Coalition for Arts, Science and History
**FCASH 2nd Annual
Cultural Arts Conference**

"Cultural Leadership"

Downtown Holiday, Inn Van Ness

*Congratulation to our Cultural Arts
Neighbors who were awarded grants
from the Fresno Arts Council's
Community Enrichment Program*

EOC Sanctuary Youth Services \$13,500

Arte Americas \$7,500

Fresno Metropolitan Museum \$8,730

Valley Public Television \$9,000

Warnors Ctr for Performing Arts \$9,900

The Billion Dollar Tour September 27

The second annual tour of progress and investment in the Downtown area is being set by the Economic Development Corporation for Saturday, September 27.

Look for the Cultural Arts District to be a part of the event and show off progress in our area. To participate as a volunteer with the tours and activities, contact us.



Met plans the Grand Reopening weekend events beginning November 13

Planning Now for Christmas at Warnors

Our Annual Fundraising Event

To announce District activities,
become involved in our organization,
or volunteer for events,
contact:

Nancy Márquez, Secretary
marqueznancy@aol.com or 431-2186

MONTHLY MEETINGS CADA

Tuesday, August 19, 3:30-5:00

Trade Center 9th Floor Meeting Room

Next Meeting

Tuesday, September 16

Historic Designation Proposed for the Fulton Mall

A national historic designation application has been prepared for the Fulton Mall by the Downtown Fresno Coalition and we are in a period of public comment before it moves on to the state level in October. Many interested persons would like to know about the ramifications, pro and con.

The Downtown Association is responding with Education Forums:

Wednesday September 3

History and "Sense of Place"

Tour Fulton Mall with an expert guide, exploring the designs, sculptures and buildings. Then join a discussion of the history and significance of the Mall, the Mall Art, and Garrett Eckbo, the designer.

Fulton Mall Clock Tower, 5 pm

Monday September 22

What does National Historic Designation Mean?

What does it allow? Not Allow? Questions will be compiled with public input and addressed by persons knowledgeable in historic preservation and CEQA.

Fresno Council Chambers, 5 pm

Wednesday, October 1

Sustainability: Way Forward

Either with designation or without, what is the next step? Imagine a vibrant Fulton Mall District? How do we define success?

Bankers Ballroom on Mall, 5 pm

For more info about the meetings,
contact the DTA or go to
www.downtownfresno.org.