

AGENDA

SAN DIEGO COUNTY HISTORIC SITE BOARD REGULAR MEETING

Monday, November 17, 2014, 6:30 P.M.

COC Conference Center Hearing Room

5520 Overland Avenue, San Diego, California

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ADMINISTRATIVE ITEMS

ITEM 1 – ADMINISTRATIVE

A. Board Administrative Matters and General Information

Excused Absences

B. Conflict of Interest Declaration

C. Reports

D. Announcements

E. Formation of Consent Calendar

ITEM 2 – PUBLIC COMMENTS/PRESENTATIONS

A. Public Comment: Non-agenda items

B. Presentations

None

ACTION ITEMS

No action items.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

ITEM 3 – CHAPMAN GRANT HOUSE; 1114 IDAHO AVENUE, ESCONDIDO, CA

Property Owners: Robert & Ildiko Gullotta

Location: 1114 Idaho Avenue, Escondido, CA
(APN#234-220-19); Supervisor District 3 – Dave Roberts

Description: The applicant would like input from the Historic Site Board related to a possible historic site nomination for 1114 Idaho Avenue, Escondido (APN 234-220-19). There are several building additions and interior modifications that impact the house's overall integrity. The house is associated with an important person, Chapman Grant. Chapman Grant is President Ulysses S. Grant's grandson, who made significant contributions to the field of Herpetology (study of amphibians and reptiles). He is the originator of *Herpetologica*, the first journal in the nation that focused on amphibians and reptiles in c. 1936 when he was living at 2970 6th Avenue at Quince in San Diego across from Balboa Park (recently demolished). It appears that 1114 Idaho Ave. is the only other place where he resided while heavily involved with the Journal and the associated professional society. He and his wife Mabel Hazard purchased the property in 1952.

Grant is recognized at San Diego's Natural History Museum at the Hall of Desert Ecology, and there are other U.S. museums and institutions that have Grant's herpetological specimen collections.

ITEM 4 – FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

- Next meeting will take place on Monday, January 26, 2015.

ITEM 5 – ADJOURNMENT