

ORANGE COUNTY HISTORICAL COMMISSION

STAFF REPORT

FROM: Dennis Shaffer, Executive Officer

DATE: October 4, 2022

SUBJECT: Proposed 2023 OC Historical Commission Field Trip Locations

The Orange County Historical Commission (“Commission”) generally holds its regular meetings on the first Tuesday of each month at the Irvine Ranch Historic Park’s Mess Hall. A few times a year, the Commission attends field trips to various historical sites. These field trips provide the Commission with valuable onsite experiences at various historical facilities within Orange County.

In 2021, the Commission held field trips at the County of Orange’s Cooper Center on June 1, 2021, George Key Ranch Historic Park on November 2, 2021, and Mission San Juan Capistrano on December 7, 2021. In 2022, the Commission held a field trip at Historic Yorba Cemetery on May 3, 2022.

Consistent with prior years, it is recommended that the Commission select four locations to hold field trips for the Commission’s 2023 meeting schedule. Staff propose the following field trip locations and dates for incorporation into the Commission’s 2023 meeting schedule.

- February 7, 2023 Arden: Helena Modjeska Historic House and Gardens
- April 4, 2023 Ramon Peralta Adobe Historic Site
- June 6, 2023 TBD
- October 3, 2023 Heritage Hill Historical Park (5:00 p.m.)

RECOMMENDED ACTION:

Provide feedback to staff on field trip locations and dates for incorporation into the Orange County Historical Commission 2023 Meeting Schedule.


Dennis Shaffer