



FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: Humboldt Arts Council Advisory Board Convenes

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Cherie Arkley, Chair of the Humboldt Arts Council Advisory Board welcomed fellow Advisory Board Members Martha Clague, Peggy Schmidbauer, Karen Sullivan, Melvin Schuler, Lane Strobe, Floyd Bettiga, James Anderson and Tony Ghera to a luncheon meeting hosted by Board President Sally Arnot and Board Vice President Betty Osborne. Advisory Members not able to attend were Kathrin Burleson and Glenn Berry.

President Sally Arnot addressed the newly formed Advisory Board with the current programs and fundraising activities of the Humboldt Arts Council. Jemima Harr, Museum Director/Curator of the Morris Graves Museum of Art outlined the exhibition schedule for 2007 and the Adopt a Masterpiece program that is being formed to support the conservation program of the Museum's Permanent Art Collection.

The Advisory Board has been formed with community leaders who have agreed to work with the Humboldt Arts Council's Board of Directors and staff to provide leadership in support of the rich heritage of North Coast arts and to bringing this legacy fully into community life.

The Morris Graves Museum of Art, located at 636 F Street, Eureka is open to the public Noon-5p.m., Thursday through Sunday. Museum admission is by donation: \$4 for adults, \$1 for seniors age 55 and older; HAC Members and children age 12 and under are admitted free. Admission is always free for everyone during each First Saturday Arts Alive!, 6-9 p.m.

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