

From: The Chinese Pavilion Project Fund Raising Committee

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After three years of effort and dedication, the Monterey Bay Chinese Association (MBCA) has received approval from the Pacific Grove City Council to build a Chinese Pavilion to recognize the long and rich history of the Chinese community in the city. The pavilion will be located in the center of the business district next to Chautauqua Hall in Pacific Grove.

The Chinese Pavilion will not only be a visually striking landmark, but it will also provide a space for future community events. It has been designed by a local Chinese landscape architect who specializes in blending traditional Chinese architecture with contemporary elements. This harmonious structure will perfectly represent our diverse community.

We are now officially kicking off the fundraising events to finance the construction. Our goal is to raise \$200,000 by the end of 2024 and complete the project by 2025. By making a tax deductible donation to the Chinese Pavilion, a special project under MBCA, an IRS approved 501 C(3) non-profit organization, you will help preserve history and create an enduring legacy for future generations. A brief history of the Chinese community in Monterey County is attached for your information.

All donations are welcome and each donation regardless of size is a step to making this dream become a reality. There are two ways to donate:

- You can make your check payable to **MBCA**, write "Chinese Pavilion" **on the memo line**, and mail it to **P.O. Box 5792, Monterey, CA 93944**, along with the Donor's Info (attached). A receipt will be sent to you at the address printed on the check.
- You can also donate via *Zelle*. After logging into your bank account, choose the QR Code option when asked to select the recipient of your donation. When you scan the QR Code, it should link you to the **Monterey Bay Chinese Association** account as shown below:



After your donation, please email us at [ccha888@gmail.com](mailto:ccha888@gmail.com) with the Donor's Info (attached) so that we can forward a receipt to you.

Together, we can celebrate milestones and foster closer connections within our community. On behalf of everyone involved in realizing the Chinese Pavilion, we sincerely thank you for joining us in this remarkable venture.

Warm regards,  
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