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CITY OF CHICO ARTS COMMISSION ANNOUNCES COBA BOARD ART AUCTION

CHICO, CA — Join us for an evening celebrating Chico's vibrant arts, culture, food, and beverage community. Presented in partnership between The Barn at Meriam Park and the Chico Arts Commission, this unique event brings together local artists, musicians, and community members for a memorable night benefiting the Chico Arts Commission and Chico Arts and Culture Foundation.

Admission is free and open to the public.

Enjoy live music from local bands as you explore the vendors and browse a special collection of artwork, including the iconic City of Chico COBA boards that were once displayed throughout Downtown. The evening culminates with the COBA Board Art Auction, where attendees can bid on these one-of-a-kind works while supporting local arts and culture initiatives.

Come raise a glass, enjoy great food and music, and help support the arts in Chico.

Date: Saturday, August 22, 2026

Time: 5pm-10pm

Location: The Barn at Meriam Park, 1930 Market Place

Admission: Free to the Public

Located in Butte County, California, Chico is the cultural and economic center of the northern Sacramento Valley and the largest city north of Sacramento. Known as a college town, the home of California State University, Chico and for Bidwell Park, one of the largest urban parks in the United States. For more information, visit www.chicoca.gov.

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