

What's Developing

This column will be highlights from 2010 as we look back over the past 30 years that Eureka Community Development Company has served Eureka and the surrounding area.

That was the year that the Eureka Fitness Center opened its doors to the public. ECDC assisted the fitness center board of directors as they organized, and made a loan to that nonprofit board to purchase the building.

People were interested in forming an investment group. ECDC sought information concerning steps to take in forming that kind of group. They sponsored an informational meeting by Randy Gruenwald from Clark and Jannine Fagerland from Eden. The two speakers were a part of an investment group in their communities and told about how each was set up, funded and operated.

Another training open to the public was a Horizons presentation on Volunteers given to a group of community volunteers.

Link It Software was the company at the call center and ECDC worked with company officials throughout the year.

A Ribbon Cutting ceremony was held for True Paradise Massage.

Jess Witlock began doing annual compilations and Form 990 that year and continues to do them yearly.

Wanda Jundt was enrolled in a course of 8 classes of continuing education online for social media, and attended Nonprofit Day at the Legislature and had a display table set up at the capital.

Grants that year were \$2,745 from SD Nonprofit Enhancement Project through the SD Community Foundation for marketing to educate the public about services available through ECDC. Federal Home Loan grant funds were used to pay 1/3 of the cost of the Chamber float of \$690.

New board members in 2010 were Jaci Eberhart and Marva Dais.

Wanda Jundt