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Members of Orinda's first City Council riding in the 4th of July parade in 1955. Seated in back (L to R) Aldo Guidotti, Bobbie Landers, Dick Haggie (the first Mayor); in front, Bill Dabal and Joe Huth (Editors). Photo courtesy of the Orinda Historical Society.

Orinda Turns 25—The Story of Incorporation

Two earlier attempts had failed miserably—in the mid-1950's there was insufficient support to get the option on the ballot, and in 1967 it was voted down two to one. But by the early 1980's, the mood locally had changed, and it seemed possible, an active group of residents believed putting the question to the voters again might just work, so they went to work.
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 Events compiled by Sophie Braccini, Andrea Firth and Cathy Tyson

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