

**CITY OF WEST HOLLYWOOD
TRANSGENDER ADVISORY BOARD
MINUTES FOR JUNE 19, 2014**

**6:30 p.m., Thursday, June 19, 2014
Plummer Park
7377 Santa Monica Blvd.
West Hollywood, CA 90069**

CALL TO ORDER –Chair Samala called the meeting to order at 6.50 P.M.

- 2 Pledge of Allegiance Led by David Escobedo
3. Roll Call – Board Members present: Carolyn Weiss, Mariana Marroquin, and Karina Samala Erika De La Cruz, Maria Carmen Hinayon*, Drian Juarez, and Maria Roman Also present Bonnie Smith, Public Safety Department and David Escobedo, Public Safety Department. Absent Jaye Johnson, and Coco Lachine.

Report on Posting of Agenda – Staff stated that the agenda was posted on 6/11/14
4. Approval of Agenda – Motion to approve by Member De La Cruz. Seconded by Member Roman Motion approved.
5. Approval of Minutes – Motion to approve by Weiss Seconded by Member Juarez Motion approved

PUBLIC COMMENT

Bambi Salcedo from Coalicion Translation spoke concerning the death of Zoraida “Ale” Reyes of Anaheim, CA. the Coalicion Translation asked for TAB to stand up against the injustice of the killing of the Transgender Community Ms. Salcedo asked that the city council condemn the death of another member of the transgender community

BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS

Member Marroquin spoke about Trans Pride Member Marroquin spoke about the bomb threat made during Trans Pride

Member Juarez spoke concerning Trans Pride Member Juarez thanked Member Samala for her work on Pride weekend Member Juarez congratulated Member Marroquin on her play being viewed during One City One Pride

Member Samala spoke concerning the future of the Transgender community Member Samala spoke concerning the divide between the Transgender Community and the Drag Queen Community Member Samala would like to see a Transgender Community and Drag Queen Community forum

Member Weiss spoke concerning Laverave Cox on the Times magazine and how it is opening up dialog in and outside of the Transgender Community

Member Roman requesting the meeting be adjourned in the memory of Zoraida “Ale” Reyes Member Roman spoke about Christopher Street West Pride weekend Member Roman spoke about Philadelphia Trans Pride event.

Member De La Cruz thanked Bamby for attending the meeting Member De La Cruz spoke about Christopher Street West Pride Weekend

ITEMS FROM STAFF

8A. News from Staff/Calendar of Events
Elections for chair and vice chair July 2014.
June 28, 2014 Healthy Relationship Plummer Park, 11 am to 12.30 p m

9 NEW BUSINESS (7 14)

9A. Business Outreach Member Juarez will speak next month

9B. Trans Experience LA. Member Juarez is working on this project.

10. UNFINISHED BUSINESS (7 18)

10A. Trans Awareness Month/DOR Board spoke concerning DOR. Member Roman made a motion that a subcommittee be formed to handle all 7 events. Member Juarez seconded the motion Discussion took place. 3 yes, 3 opposes Motion fails

August will be meeting to discuss community members and business to consider for Awards

10C. Calendar of Transgender Special Events N/A

10D Transgender News. N/A

11. PUBLIC COMMENTS (7:25)

Bamby Salcedo spoke concerning DOR.

12. ITEMS FROM THE MEMBERS/MEMBER COMMENTS (7.27)

BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS

Member Juarez spoke about the work the board does and thanking her fellow members for the hard work they do

Member Samala presented Member Roman with a proclamation from the City of West Hollywood

Member Marriquinn spoke thanking the City of West Hollywood for forming the board.

Member Weiss spoke concerning her work with the National Muesum of History

Member Roman thanked Ms. Salcedo for attending the meeting

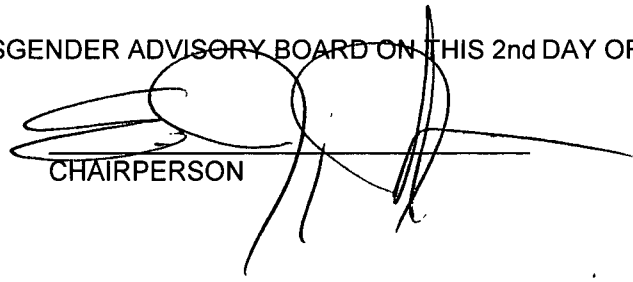
13. REVIEW AGENDA FOR NEXT MEETING (7.29)

1 Elections
Transgender Community and Drag Community Forumn
DOR discussion

14. ADJOURNMENT 7 55 p m

The Transgender Advisory Board will adjourn to their next meeting on July 2, at the West Hollywood Plummer Park, 7377 Santa Monica Blvd, in Rooms 5 and 6 at 7 00 p m

APPROVED BY A MOTION OF THE TRANSGENDER ADVISORY BOARD ON THIS 2nd DAY OF JULY
Meeting adjourned at 7 55 p.m.

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CHAIRPERSON

ATTEST.

STAFF LIAISON