

**CITY OF WEST HOLLYWOOD
WOMEN'S ADVISORY BOARD
SPECIAL MEETING**

AGENDA

THURSDAY, May 22, 2008 at 7:00 p.m.

Location: Community Conference Room
West Hollywood City Hall
8300 Santa Monica Blvd.
West Hollywood, CA 90069

I. CALL TO ORDER:

- A. Roll Call
- B. Introductions

II. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

Meeting of April 24, 2008

III. ITEMS FROM THE PUBLIC:

Members of the public will have the opportunity to address the Board for two(2) minutes on any issue of interest.

IV. NEW BUSINESS

A. 2008 LA Pride Parade & Festival

(5 min)

Staff will provide information for the WAB about ways they can participate in the upcoming LA Pride Parade and Festival as well as other related events.

Recommendation: Review and Discuss.

V. SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS

(20-30 Min)

Brief updates from Board's standing and ad hoc subcommittees.

A. Until the Violence Stops Festival, UTVS: LA 2008

Update report regarding the Until the Violence Stops Festival, Los Angeles, which will be held in September 2008, presented by V-Day, the global movement to end violence against women and girls founded by playwright/performer/activist Eve Ensler.

B. Legislative & Policy Issues

Report and recommendations from the subcommittee regarding various state and federal legislative issues and policies.

1. Propositions 98 & 99
2. Recent federal involvement in domestic violence issues
3. AB2018 (Chu) re: civil damages for Domestic Violence offenders
4. Janice Hahn & Wendy Greuel's Mothers Against Gang Violence Efforts
5. California Supreme Court decision in favor of same-sex marriages
6. P AB2716 re: Paid Sick Day
7. Fair Pay Restoration Act, S1843 (Ledbetter Equal Pay Act)
8. Reproductive Justice, SB 1770 (Padilla)
9. ERA Update
10. Federal Child Welfare legislation, HR 5466
11. International Protecting Girls by Preventing Child Marriage Act (July) & International Child Marriage Prevention and Protection Act (August)
12. Review a list of positions/recommendations from California NOW's Legislative Action Committee as they pertain to West Hollywood and women's issues.

C. West Hollywood Book Fair, September 28, 2008

Subcommittee report regarding the Board's participation in the 7th annual book fair.

Recommendation: Receive and File. Consider recommendations as needed.

VI. ITEMS FROM THE BOARD:

Brief remarks from Advisory Board members

VII. ITEMS FROM THE STAFF:

Staff will update the Women's Advisory Board on issues within the Board's purview.

VIII. ADJOURNMENT:

The Women's Advisory Board will adjourn to their next regularly scheduled meeting at 7pm on **June 26, 2008** the Community Conference Room at City Hall, 8300 Santa Monica Blvd., West Hollywood, CA 90069.