

CITY OF WEST HOLLYWOOD
ARTS AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS COMMISSION
SPECIAL MEETING AGENDA
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19, 2019 – 5:00 P.M.

*Location: Community Meeting Room – West Hollywood City Hall
8300 Santa Monica Boulevard, West Hollywood*

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I. CALL TO ORDER

- A. Pledge of Allegiance
- B. Roll Call
- C. Approval of the Agenda
- D. Approval of the November 21, 2019 Special Meeting Minutes
- E. Public Comment

The public is given the opportunity to address the Commission on any item within its responsibility. At the discretion of the Commission, speakers may be limited to three minutes each.

II. CONSENT CALENDAR

The following routine matters can be acted upon by one motion. Individual items may be removed by the Commission for separate discussion. Items removed for separate discussion will be heard following New Business items.

A. Posting of the Agenda

The agenda was posted per proper noticing procedures at City Hall, Plummer Park, West Hollywood Library and West Hollywood Sheriff's Station.

RECOMMENDATION: Receive and file.

III. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

A. Arts Festival Feasibility Study Update and Report

The Commission will receive a report from Two Tigers consultants Leah Thompson and Jillian Schwartz on their draft report of findings from the survey and community meetings regarding the feasibility of creating an arts festival for West Hollywood.

RECOMMENDATION: Receive and discuss the report and provide direction as applicable.

B. Performing Arts & Cultural Affairs Subcommittee Report

The Commission will receive a report from the Performing Arts & Cultural Affairs Subcommittee on its special meeting held December 5, 2019.

RECOMMENDATION: Receive the Performing Arts & Cultural Affairs Subcommittee Report, provide direction as applicable, and consider ratifying recommendations proposed by the Subcommittee.

C. Urban Art Subcommittee Report

The Urban Art Subcommittee did not meet on December 12, 2019, due to a lack of agenda items. No action required.

D. Art on the Outside Subcommittee Report

The Commission will receive a report from the Art on the Outside Subcommittee on its special meeting held December 19, 2019.

RECOMMENDATION: Receive the Art on the Outside Subcommittee Report, provide direction as applicable, and consider ratifying recommendations proposed by the Subcommittee.

IV. NEW BUSINESS

A. 2020 WeHo Artist Grant Program Funding Recommendations

The Commission will consider ratifying the recommendation proposed by the Performing Arts and Cultural Affairs Subcommittee to award WeHo Artist Grants of \$2,000 each to six (6) West Hollywood Artists.

RECOMMENDATION:

Approve the award of WeHo Artists Grants of \$2,000 each to West Hollywood artists Carolyn Campbell, Ryan McCann, Felice Picano, Don Tinling, Fletcher Crossman, and Carolina Hoyos as recommended by the Performing Arts and Cultural Affairs Subcommittee.

B. Winter Sounds and Summer Sounds Concert Series (2020-21)

The Arts and Cultural Affairs Commission will consider ratifying the recommendation proposed by the Performing Arts and Cultural Affairs Committee's to select a pool of musicians/bands to perform during the City's 2020 Summer Sounds & 2020-21 Winter Sounds Series.

RECOMMENDATION:

Approve the following pool of 16 musicians/bands to select from to perform during the City's 2020 Summer Sounds & 2020-21 Winter Sounds Series. Acoustic Asylum, Black Nile, Cliff Beach, Dirty Cello, Farofa, Hand Drawn Maps, Heartbeat Brazil, Izela, Jessica La Rel, John Tegmeyer, Judy Wexler Quartet, Las Chikas, Murphy's Flaw, Quarteto Nuevo, Rocky Dawuni, Yari More Latin Band.

C. Acceptance of Gift of Collar & Leash Rainbow Neon Dog

The Commission will consider recommending to City Council that the City accept, as a gift from the owners of the Collar & Leash pet store, the Collar & Leash Rainbow Neon Dog sign.

RECOMMENDATION: Recommend acceptance of gift.

V. EXCLUDED CONSENT

VI. PUBLIC COMMENT

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VII. ITEMS FROM COMMISSIONERS

VIII. ITEMS FROM THE STAFF

IX. DEVELOPMENT OF NEXT MEETING AGENDA

The Commission will advise staff on development of the agenda for the meeting on Thursday, January 23, 2020.

X. ADJOURNMENT

The Arts and Cultural Affairs Commission will adjourn to its meeting scheduled January 23, 2020, at 5:00 p.m. in the Community Meeting Room – West Hollywood City Hall, 8300 Santa Monica Boulevard, West Hollywood.

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