AGENDA LESBIAN AND GAY ADVISORY BOARD CITY OF WEST HOLLYWOOD THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2021 7:00 PM

TELECONFERENCE MEETING*

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TO PARTICIPATE BY PROVIDING PUBLIC COMMENT BY TELEPHONE: Please note; This option is to provide public comment via phone ONLY.

- 1. You are strongly encouraged to Email or call the Lesbian and Gay Advisory Board Staff Contact at: dcasillas@weho.org or 323-848-6337 no later than 4:00 p.m. on Thursday, February 11, 2021, to be added to the Public Speaker List for the meeting. Please include your name, the phone number from which you will be calling, and which item you would like to speak on.
- 2. Dial-in 10 minutes prior to the start of the meeting (the meeting begins at 7:00 p.m.)

You will be placed on HOLD in the Virtual Meeting Room until it is your turn to speak.

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- 1. CALL TO ORDER
- 2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- 3. ADMINISTRATION OF THE OATH OF OFFICE FOR NEW BOARD MEMBER Renee Sotile will be installed as a member of the Lesbian and Gay Advisory Board.
- 4. ROLL CALL
- 5. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

Recommendation: The Lesbian and Gay Advisory Board is requested to approve the agenda of the February 11, 2021 meeting.

6. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

Recommendation: The Lesbian and Gay Advisory Board is requested to approve the minutes of the January 14, 2021 regular meeting.

7. PUBLIC COMMENT

The public is given the opportunity to address the Lesbian and Gay Advisory Board on any item within its responsibility. At the discretion of the Lesbian and Gay Advisory Board, speakers may be limited to three minutes each. If you would like to present public comment at the meeting, please see the section titled "TO PARTICIPATE BY PROVIDING PUBLIC COMMENT BY TELEPHONE" at the top of the first page of this Meeting Agenda.

Guest Speaker: Eva Angeloff, City of West Hollywood's Arts Division's Grants Coordinator. Ms. Angeloff will be providing information on the City's **Call for Peer Review Panelists.** The peer review panelists are charged with reviewing submissions to the City's Arts Division's grants.

8. BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS

This time is set aside for general comments, requests, memorial adjournments, and other issues of concern from members of the Lesbian and Gay Advisory Board.

9. **NEW BUSINESS**

9.A Government Alliance on Race and Equity (GARE) Program Update and Summary of Social Services Utilization by Service Category

The Lesbian and Gay Advisory Board will receive a report on the City's GARE Program and an in-depth analysis of community members access to Social Services by service category.

Recommendation: Receive report and discuss.

10. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

10.A. Increasing LGAB Visibility

The Lesbian and Gay Advisory Board will continue to discuss opportunities to increase the visibility of its workplan including advocacy efforts on behalf of the LGBTQ community.

Recommendation: Review the City's Social Media Policy and discuss options to increase the visibility of the Board's ongoing work and accomplishments.

10.B. Assistance to Legacy Local Businesses

The Lesbian and Gay Advisory Board will discuss the recent closures of LGBT owned bars, nightclubs, and other businesses, and will review the City's past and recent actions to assist local small businesses.

Recommendation: Review the City's Small Business Assistance program.

11. ITEMS FROM STAFF

This time is set aside for City staff to provide information, provide feedback to the Advisory Board on items of interest to the Board.

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13. ITEMS FROM BOARD MEMBERS

A. LIAISONS REPORTS

The Lesbian and Gay Advisory Board will receive reports from its Liaisons to City Commissions and Advisory Boards.

B. SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS

The Lesbian and Gay Advisory Board will receive reports from a representative of the active subcommittees.

C. OTHER ITEMS FROM BOARD MEMBERS

Members of the Lesbian and Gay Advisory Board may make brief comments, such as proposing items for an upcoming agenda.

14. ADJOURNMENT

The Lesbian and Gay Advisory Board will adjourn to its next regular meeting, which will be held at 7:00 p.m. on Thursday, March 11, 2021, via teleconference.

Notice: Written materials distributed to the Lesbian and Gay Advisory Board within 72 hours of this meeting are available online at www.weho.org

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