

**AGENDA
LESBIAN AND GAY ADVISORY BOARD
CITY OF WEST HOLLYWOOD**

THURSDAY, MAY 13, 2021

7:00 PM

TELECONFERENCE MEETING*

***IN AN EFFORT TO PROTECT PUBLIC HEALTH AND PREVENT THE SPREAD OF COVID-19 (CORONAVIRUS), THE GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA HAS ORDERED ALL CALIFORNIANS TO STAY HOME AND AUTHORIZED PUBLIC MEETINGS TO TAKE PLACE VIA TELECONFERENCE.**

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

TELECONFERENCE AUDIO MEETING & PROVIDING PUBLIC COMMENT BY TELEPHONE OR VIA THE ZOOM PLATFORM:

You are strongly encouraged to email Danny Casillas at dcasillas@weho.org no later than May 10th at 5:00 p.m. to be added to the Public Speaker List for the meeting. Please include your name, the phone number from which you will be calling if applicable, and which item you would like to speak on.

To provide public comment via the Zoom Platform – When you enter the meeting, please make sure to turn off your video and mute your audio.

- If you wish to make a public comment, please use the ‘raised hand’ feature in the Zoom application. You will be called at the appropriate time. Please turn on your video and audio to make your public comment.
- Meeting ID: 987 3637 9401
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- Dial-in phone number: (669) 900-6833
- Meeting ID: 987 3637 9401 then press #
- Dial-in 10 minutes before the meeting starts.

1. CALL TO ORDER
2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
3. ROLL CALL

4. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

RECOMMENDATION: The Lesbian and Gay Advisory Board is requested to approve the agenda of the May 13, 2021 regular meeting.

5. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

RECOMMENDATION: The Lesbian and Gay Advisory Board is requested to approve the minutes of the April 8, 2021 regular meeting.

6. 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.

7. 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.

8. CONSENT CALENDAR

None.

9. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

9.A. RAINBOW KEY AND ETHERIDGE AWARDS.

The Lesbian and Gay Advisory Board (LGAB) will receive a report and recommendations from its Rainbow Key Awards (RKA) Subcommittee regarding possible dates/times for the Rainbow Key and Etheridge awards. The Board will also receive information on other production elements for this virtual event.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- 1) Receive a report from the Rainbow Key Award Subcommittee with suggestions for date/time of the virtual event and different elements that will be included as part of the production/content of the event.
- 2) Provide additional direction to the Subcommittee to continue working on the development of this event.

9.B. SPECIAL JOINT MEETING OF LGAB AND TAB

The Lesbian and Gay Advisory Board will consider setting up a date and time for a joint special meeting of LGAB and the Transgender Advisory Board (TAB). The special meeting will be held in-lieu of the regularly scheduled meeting.

RECOMMENDATION

Provide direction to the members of LGAB's Ad-Hoc Working Group on the format of the joint meeting and possible dates/times.

10. NEW BUSINESS

10.A. Domestic Violence in the LGBTQIA+ Community in West Hollywood

The Lesbian and Gay Advisory Board will receive a set of recommendations from its Domestic Violence (DV) Subcommittee on ways to enhance the City's efforts to increase awareness about existing resources for victims of DV in West Hollywood.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- 1) Receive an update from LGAB's DV Subcommittee.
- 2) Provide additional direction to the DV Subcommittee.

10.B. Ivy Bottini Day

The Lesbian & Gay Advisory Board will consider appointing two (2) members to the Ad-Hoc Working Group comprised of members from the Women's Advisory Board and the Transgender Advisory Board, which will meet to plan for a celebration of life of the late lesbian activist and community leader Ivy Bottini who has recently passed at age 94.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- 1) Appoint two (2) members to the Ad-Hoc Working Group that has been formed by members of the Women's Advisory Board and the Lesbian & Gay Advisory Board to celebrate the life of lesbian community member Ivy Bottini.
- 2) Appointed LGAB members to report back on any discussions and deliberations at the next Board meeting.

10.C. June Pride

The Lesbian and Gay Advisory Board will consider appointing two (2) members of the Board to join in the West Hollywood Chamber of Commerce and local businesses as this group develops, in conjunction with the City's Communications Department on a marketing strategy to promote local businesses' Pride-related activities in West Hollywood, June 26-27, 2021.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- 1) Appoint two (2) Board members to join in the West Hollywood Chamber of Commerce and local businesses as this group, in conjunction with the City's Communications Department, develops a marketing strategy to promote local businesses' Pride-related activities in West Hollywood, June 26-27, 2021.
- 2) Appointed LGAB members to report back at the next Board meeting.

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.

12. PUBLIC COMMENT

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13. ITEMS FROM BOARD MEMBERS

A. LIAISON 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*¹.

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, June 10, 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

*¹ LGAB’s Subcommittees - Roster of Members as of April 28, 2021

- Bi Visibility Subcommittee: Frazier, Gamboa, Whitaker, Steele, Francesca.
- DV Subcommittee: Deitch, Gamboa, Sotile.
- Dyke March: Deitch, Whitaker, Wright, Sotile.
- Legislative Subcommittee Members: Deitch, Gamboa, Wright.
- Rainbow Key: Frazier, Sotile, Francesca, Deitch, Paris.
- Futures: Wright, Gamboa, Frazier.
- LGAB Make-Up and Purview Subcommittee: Paris, Steele, Whitaker, Wright, Frazier.

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