

**AGENDA
CITY OF WEST HOLLYWOOD
RUSSIAN ADVISORY BOARD MEETING**

TUESDAY, JULY 20, 2021

7:00 PM

THE MEETING WILL BE CONDUCTED VIA TELECONFERENCE

IN AN EFFORT TO PROTECT PUBLIC HEALTH AND PREVENT THE SPREAD OF COVID-19 (CORONAVIRUS), THIS PUBLIC MEETING IS HELD PURSUANT TO EXECUTIVE ORDER N-29-20 ISSUED BY CALIFORNIA GOVERNOR GAVIN NEWSOM ON MARCH 17, 2020. THE GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA HAS AUTHORIZED PUBLIC MEETINGS TO TAKE PLACE VIA TELECONFERENCE.

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 trodzinek@weho.org in advance of the meeting, 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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Dial-in: (669) 900-6833

Meeting ID: 974 3124 8845

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1. CALL TO ORDER
2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
3. ROLL CALL
4. ELECTIONS
5. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA
6. APPROVAL OF THE [MINUTES](#)

7. PUBLIC COMMENTS

This time has been set aside for members of the public to address the Russian Advisory Board about any subject within the jurisdiction of the Russian Advisory Board. Although the Russian Advisory Board values your comments, pursuant to the Brown Act, it generally cannot take any action on items not listed on the posted agenda. Three (3) minutes will be assigned for each speaker or five (5) minutes if translation is provided.

8. RUSSIAN ADVISORY BOARD MEMBERS' COMMENTS

This portion of the meeting has been set aside for general comments, announcements, requests, and/or other issues of concern from members of the Russian Advisory Board.

9. NEW BUSINESS

9.A.

**SERVICES PROVIDED BY THE JEWISH FAMILY SERVICES -
INTRODUCTION OF A NEW ACTIVITIES COORDINATOR**

Subject: Alexander Pagan-Mejia, Activity Coordinator with Jewish Family Services LA, will introduce a new activities coordinator and will answer questions.

Recommendation: Receive information and ask questions.

**9.B. INPUT ON THE RENAMING OF THE WEST HOLLYWOOD LIBRARY IN
HONOR OF SUPREME COURT JUSTICE RUTH BADER GINSBURG**

The Russian Advisory Board will discuss the naming request for the West Hollywood Library and will provide input as solicited by the City's Public Facilities Commission (PFC), which will hold a public hearing on the name request at an upcoming public meeting of the PFC in the fall of 2021.

Recommendations

- 1) Receive report (Attachments A, B)
- 2) Discuss
- 3) Provide input to City staff and the PFC

9.C. NATIONAL NIGHT OUT

Subject: The Russian advisory Board members will receive information from staff and discuss possible activities during National Night Out.

Recommendation: Receive information and discuss.

10. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

10.A. FOLLOW UP ON THE ANNUAL CELEBRATION OF THE RUSSIAN ARTS AND CULTURE MONTH AND RUSSIAN-SPEAKING COMMUNITY AWARDS PRESENTATION 2021

Subject: Board members will follow up on the project dedicated to the celebration of Russian cultural heritage and discuss the Russian-speaking Community Awards Presentation 2021 and provide recommendation for the future.

Recommendation: Receive, discuss, and provide input.

10. B. UPCOMING CULTURAL PROJECTS AND EVENTS

Subject: Board members will receive information regarding upcoming events.

Recommendation: Receive and provide input.

11. ITEMS FROM STAFF

12. PUBLIC COMMENTS

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14. ADJOURNMENT

The Russian Advisory Board will adjourn to a regularly scheduled meeting on Tuesday, August 17, 2021, at 7 p.m. to be conducted via teleconference.

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