

**MINUTES  
TRANSGENDER ADVISORY BOARD  
MEETING  
WEDNESDAY, June 1, 2022  
6:00 PM  
TELECONFERENCE MEETING**

1. **CALL TO ORDER** – Vice Chair Robinson called the meeting to order at 6:05pm.

**A. LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

- B. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE** – Vice Chair Robinson led the Pledge of Allegiance.

**C. ROLL CALL**

**PRESENT:** Vice-Chair Robinson, Board Member Gray, Board Member Nash, Board Member Kacy, Board Member Luna, Board Member Samala, Board Member Ruiz

**ABSENT:** Chair Alexander, Board Member Brown

**ALSO PRESENT:** Moya Marquez, Community Programs Coordinator and TAB Liaison, Yvonne Quarker, Community Services Director, Andi Lovano, Community and Legislative Affairs Manager, Eva Angeloff, Grants Coordinator for the City of West Hollywood, and Tatyana Rodzinek, Acting Recording Secretary.

**D. APPROVAL OF THE JUNE 1, 2022, MEETING AGENDA**

**ACTION:** Motion to move by Board Member Ruiz, seconded by Member Kacy, and approved 7 to 0 by roll call vote.

**E. APPROVAL OF THE MAY 4, 2022, MINUTES**

**ACTION:** Motion to move by Board Member Kacy, seconded by Board Member Ruiz, and approved 7 to 0 by roll call vote.

**F. PUBLIC COMMENT**

**Lindsey Deaton**, Arts and Cultural Affairs Commissioner, talked about opportunities for art organizations and individual artists, especially about the opportunities for Transgender Community. Lindsey also talked about the programming for the Pride Month.

2. **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

- A. WeHo Pride**

Moya Marquez talked about the booth for the Pride Celebration and informed the board that the Social Services Guide will be ready for distribution at the TAB booth during Pride. Moya also asked the board members to review the volunteer shifts to staff the booth.

**ACTION:**

Discussed the individual Board members roles, schedules and responsibilities. No action taken.

**3. NEW BUSINESS**

**A. 2023 Arts Grant Program**

Eva Angeloff asked the board to appoint a member to participate on the Arts Project Grant Peer Review Panel and attend the August 11, 2022, meeting of the Performing Arts and Cultural Affairs Subcommittee. That person is going to oversee reviewing applications from artists and arts organizations who are applying specifically for the transgender Arts Initiative Grant and Organizational Development Grant.

**ACTION:** Member Kacy self-nominated themselves, member Ruiz seconded the motion for the self-nomination of board member Kacy to the Arts Commission Peer Review Panel. Motion passed.

**B. Pronoun Policy Discussion**

The Board discussed and made recommendations on a potential City Policy to recommend that appointed officials have name plates at public meetings that list their pronouns. Staff liaison Marquez clarified that the City Council wanted to ask for feedback from TAB and from some other social services agencies that work with the transgender community to give feedback on the idea for a new policy, which would be that appointed officials such as members of the TAB, and every single board and commission and Task Force will be required to list their pronouns.

**ACTION:** Following the discussion, the board members did not take an action but expressed their opinion and wanted to recommend the usage of pronouns with additional educational component, so that people would understand why it is being recommended.

**C. Status Report On Board Recommendations**

The Board received updates from staff regarding the status of their recent recommendations regarding the Town Hall and TAB's presence at the Pride Parade.

**ACTION:** Staff took notes on the recommendations. No Action taken.

**4. PUBLIC COMMENT**

There were no public comments.

**5. ITEMS FROM THE BOARD**

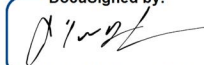
There were no items from the board.

**6. ITEMS FROM THE STAFF**

There were no additional items from staff

**7. ADJOURNMENT**

8. The Transgender Advisory Board adjourned at 6:58 PM to its regularly scheduled meeting on Wednesday, July 6, 2022, at 6:00 p.m. to be held at rooms 5 & 6 at West Hollywood Plummer Park.

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Tatyana Rodzinek, Acting Recording Secretary