

**MEETING AGENDA**  
**CITY OF WEST HOLLYWOOD**  
**ARTS AND CULTURAL AFFAIRS COMMISSION**

**THURSDAY, APRIL 27, 2023**  
**5:00 P.M.**

**WEST HOLLYWOOD PLUMMER PARK COMMUNITY CENTER**  
**ROOMS 5 & 6**  
**7377 SANTA MONICA BLVD.**

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**1. CALL TO ORDER**

- A. Land Acknowledgement
- B. Pledge of Allegiance
- C. Roll Call
- D. Approval of the Agenda
- E. Approval of the March 23, 2023 Meeting Minutes
- F. Public Comment

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**2. 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

**3. UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

**A. Art on the Outside Subcommittee Report**

The Commission will receive a report from the Art on the Outside Subcommittee on its meeting held April 27, 2023, and consider ratifying recommendations proposed by the Subcommittee.

RECOMMENDATION:

Receive and file the Art on the Outside Subcommittee Report, and consider ratifying recommendations proposed by the Subcommittee.

**B. Performing Arts and Cultural Affairs Subcommittee Report**

The Commission will receive a report from the Performing Arts and Cultural Affairs Subcommittee on its meeting held April 13, 2023, and consider ratifying recommendations proposed by the Subcommittee.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

- 1) Receive and file the Performing Art Subcommittee Report, and consider ratifying recommendations proposed by the Subcommittee.
- 2) Recommend that the Arts and Cultural Affairs Commission approve the four (4) finalists and two (2) alternate artists selected by the Subcommittee to create proposal artworks for the City's 2023 winter/holiday street pole banner display.
- 3) Recommend the Arts and Cultural Affairs Commission approve the draft Laurel House Artist Residence Program document.
- 4) Recommend the Arts and Cultural Affairs Commission approve the 2023-24 Musicians and Performers Roster and approve the short list of twenty (20) artists to be considered for the 2023 Summer Sounds and 2024 Winter Sounds Concert Series.

**C. 2023 WeHo Pride Arts Festival Update**

The Commission will receive a presentation from Sean Knapp/HIT about the 2023 WeHo Pride Arts Festival.

RECOMMENDATION:

Receive and file or provide feedback as desired.

**D. City Playhouse Mission and Goals**

The Commission will review the proposed mission and goals and provide feedback and guidance to staff.

RECOMMENDATION:

Recommend that the Arts and Cultural Affairs Commission approve the mission and goals for the City Playhouse.

**E. Library Cultural Programming Committee Report**

The Commission will receive a report from the Library Cultural Programming Committee on its meeting held April 18, 2023, and consider ratifying recommendations proposed by the Committee.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

- 1) Receive and file the report from the Library Cultural Programming Committee and consider ratifying recommendations proposed by the Committee.
- 2) Recommend that the Arts and Cultural Affairs Commission approve the selection of Jennifer Y. Cheng as the 2023-26 West Hollywood City Poet Laureate and forward the recommendation to City Council for their approval.
- 3) Recommend that the Arts and Cultural Affairs Commission approve the denial of the application from Richard Tucci to present an exhibition titled 'End of Pandemic.'

**4. NEW BUSINESS** None.

**5. EXCLUDED CONSENT**

**6. PUBLIC COMMENT**

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**7. ITEMS FROM COMMISSIONERS**

**8. ITEMS FROM THE STAFF**

**9. DEVELOPMENT OF NEXT MEETING AGENDA**

The Commission will advise staff on development of the agenda for the meeting on Thursday, May 25, 2023.

**10. ADJOURNMENT**

The Arts and Cultural Affairs Commission will adjourn to its **meeting on Thursday, May 25, 2023, at 5:00 p.m.** to be held at the West Hollywood City Hall Community Meeting Room located at 8300 Santa Monica Boulevard.

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I declare under penalty of perjury that I am employed by the City of West Hollywood in the Office of the City Clerk, and that this document was posted on:

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