MEETING AGENDA WOMEN'S ADVISORY BOARD CITY OF WEST HOLLYWOOD

THURSDAY, JANUARY 25, 2024 7:00 PM

WEST HOLLYWOOD CITY HALL 1ST FLOOR COMMUNITY CONFERENCE ROOM 8300 SANTA MONICA BOULEVARD WEST HOLLYWOOD, CALIFORNIA 90069

LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT:

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- 1. CALL TO ORDER:
- 2. LAND ACKNOWLEDGMENT:
- 3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:
- 4. ROLL CALL:
- 5. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA: Meeting agenda for January 25, 2024.
- 6. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES:

Meeting minutes for December 6, 2023.

7. PUBLIC COMMENT:

The Women's Advisory Board values your comments; however, pursuant to the Ralph M. Brown Act, the Advisory Board cannot take action on items not listed on the posted agenda. The Public Comment period is three (3) minutes per speaker, to address the Advisory Board on agenda items or items of general interest within the Advisory Board's jurisdiction.

8. NEW BUSINESS:

A. V-DAY GLOBAL ANTI VIOLENCE MOVEMENT

The Board will discuss the City's annual commemoration and participation in V-Day, the global activist movement to end violence against all women (cisgender and transgender), those who hold fluid identities, nonbinary people, girls, and the planet, founded by V (formerly Eve Ensler), activist and author of the *The Vagina Monologues*.

RECOMMENDATION: Review and Discuss.

B. HOLLYWOOD NOW HERSTORY AWARDS 2024

The Board will consider official endorsement of the annual Herstory Awards honoring a local women leader, presented by the Hollywood Chapter of the National Organization for Women during the month of March as part of National Women's History Month.

RECOMMENDATION: Review and Discuss. Take action to endorse the event and add to the calendar for National Women's History Month

9. UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

A. NATIONAL WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH 2024

The Board will review the proposed calendar of events and continue the planning process for the City's annual celebration of National Women's History Month held during the month of March.

RECOMMENDATION: Review and Discuss. Take action regarding next steps. Approve the calendar of events.

B. BEYOND ROE: INTERSECTION OF ABORTION ACCESS, ECONOMIC JUSTICE AND RELIGIOUS LIBERTY

The Board will briefly discuss their participation in "BEYOND ROE: Intersection of Abortion Access, Economic Justice and Religious Liberty", an event presented by NCJW|LA in partnership with the City about reproductive rights and abortion access, to be held January 28, 2024.

RECOMMENDATION: Review and Discuss.

10. BOARD RETREAT DISCUSSION CONTINUATION

The Board will segue to an interactive retreat format for in-depth discussion regarding workplan priorities and implementation.

RECOMMENDATION: Continue workplan discussion.

11. SUBCOMMITTEE AND LIAISON REPORTS:

1.The Board will receive brief reports from WAB liaisons to other City Advisory Boards and Commissions as appropriate.

RECOMMENDATION: Receive and File

2. Association of California Commissions for Women (ACCW) Meetings **RECOMMENDATION:** Designate liaisons as appropriate.

12. PUBLIC COMMENT:

This time is set aside for the public to address the Women's Advisory Board on any item of interest within the subject matter jurisdiction of the Board that could not be heard under Item 7 at the beginning of the meeting. The Public Comment period is three (3) minutes per speaker.

13. ITEMS FROM THE BOARD:

14. ITEMS FROM STAFF:

15. ADJOURNMENT:

The Women's Advisory Board will adjourn to their next regular monthly meeting, which will be on February 22, 2024, at 7:00 pm at West Hollywood City Hall, 1st Floor Community Conference Room at 8300 Santa Monica Blvd., West Hollywood, CA 90069.

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