MEETING AGENDA WOMEN'S ADVISORY BOARD CITY OF WEST HOLLYWOOD

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 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 February 22, 2024.
- 6. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES: Meeting minutes for January 25, 2024.

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. BOARD MEETING SCHEDULE

The Board will confirm their monthly meeting schedule for 2024.

RECOMMENDATION: Review and Discuss. Take action to confirm the meeting calendar.

B. SACRAMENTO LEGISLATIVE ACTION DAY FOR APPOINTED OFFICIALS

The Women's Advisory Board will consider electing a representative to attend and represent the Board on the City Council-approved Sacramento Legislative Action Day for Appointed Officials to be held Tuesday, April 16, 2024.

RECOMMENDATION: Review and discuss. Elect a representative.

C. NATIONAL SEXUAL ASSAULT AWARENESS AND PREVENTION MONTH

The Board will receive a report from staff regarding the City's annual recognition of National Sexual Assault Awareness and Prevention Month during the month of April 2024 and opportunities for the Board's participation.

RECOMMENDATION: Review and discuss. Provide feedback and consider forming subcommittee if appropriate.

9. UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

A. NATIONAL WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH 2024

The Board will review upcoming plans for the City's annual celebration of National Women's History Month held during the month of March. Discussion of boardmember participation and roles.

RECOMMENDATION: Review and Discuss. Take action regarding next steps.

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

Brief wrap up report regarding "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 held on January 28, 2024.

RECOMMENDATION: Review and Discuss.

C. V-DAY GLOBAL ANTI-VIOLENCE MOVEMENT

Update from staff regarding 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.

10. 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:** Receive and File

11. **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.

12. ITEMS FROM THE BOARD:

13. **ITEMS FROM STAFF:**

14. **ADJOURNMENT:**

The Women's Advisory Board will adjourn to their next regular monthly meeting, which will be on March 28, 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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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

I posted this agenda on: Date: February 16, 2024

Melissa Crowder Signature:___