

CITY OF OXNARD
CULTURAL ARTS COMMISSION
MINUTES - DRAFT
Cultural & Community Services Office (Virtual Meetings)
305 West Third Street, Oxnard, CA 93030
Wednesday, October 6, 2021 4:30 pm

A. ROLL CALL/POSTING OF THE AGENDA

At 4:41 p.m., the meeting of the Cultural Arts Commission convened via Zoom. Chair Michelle Ascencion, Vice Chair Sandra Diaz, Commissioner Vincent Stewart, and Commissioner Javier Gomez, and Commissioner Margaret Cortese were present. Commissioner Laura Gallardo was absent, one vacancy. The meeting opened with the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag of the United States. Staff members present were Julie Estrada, Recreation Coordinator, and Adriana Britt, Recreation Leader III.

B. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Commissioner Cortese led the Pledge of Allegiance

C. PUBLIC COMMENTS

No public comments

D. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. SUBJECT: The Minutes of the Cultural Arts Commission September 1, 2021 Regular Meeting were submitted for approval.

ACTION: That the Commission approved the minutes from the September 1, 2021 Regular Meeting. (Commissioner Stuart/Diaz) Unanimous 5/0

E. REPORT OF THE COMMISSION SECRETARY

The Commission Secretary shall report on items of interest to the Commission occurring since the last meeting. The Commission cannot enter into detailed discussion or take action on any item presented during this report. Such items may only be referred to the Secretary for administrative action or scheduled on a subsequent agenda for discussion.

1. SUBJECT: DIF Report

ACTION: That staff updated the commission on status for the DIF Report.

F. COMMISSION BUSINESS

1. SUBJECT: Downtown Mural Project

ACTION: That the commission discussed the next steps for the third Downtown Mural and assigned Commissioners Cortese and Stuart to work with staff on the project.

G. COMMISSION COMMENTS

Commissioner Cortese - Commented on new murals within the city.

Commissioner Gomez - Would like to see timelines put on future agenda items.

Chair Ascencion - Commented on current staffing of the City.

Commissioner Stuart - Commented on timelines for future agenda items and the extension of the Brown Act.

Commissioner Gomez - Commented on the productivity of his program and upcoming show , The Wrench Play, and Open Door Studio.

H. ITEMS OF FUTURE CONSIDERATION

1. Status of AIPP Fund - November
2. RFP Status
3. Poet Laureate Status

I. ADJOURNMENT

With no further business the Commission adjourned at 5:19 p.m.

The next scheduled regular meeting is for Wednesday, November 3, 2021, at 4:30 p.m. via Zoom.

Michelle Ascencion, Chair

Adriana Britt, Recording Secretary