



**REGULAR MEETING AGENDA  
AFRICAN AMERICAN RESOURCE ADVISORY COMMISSION  
THURSDAY, JUNE 1, 2016 at 5:30 P.M.  
Street-Jones Building  
1000 East 11<sup>th</sup> Street, Room 400-A  
Austin, Texas 78702**

**BOARD MEMBERS:**

Daryl Horton, Chair, Doctor Chiquita Eugene, Vice-Chair, Garfield Landry, Michael Lee, LaTisha Anderson, Ruthie Redmond, Jessica Faith Carter, Greg Smith, Aaron Demerson, Nelson Linder, Clifford Gillard, Kenneth Thompson, Marissa Jones, Aaron Whatley, Tam Hawkins

**AGENDA**

Citizens wishing to speak on agenda and none-agenda related items must sign up at least ten minutes before the meeting is called to order. Citizens may speak on none-agenda items under the Citizens Communications section of the agenda. Citizens may on agenda related item after a presentation on the item has been made. Citizens might not speak after City staff presentations. Speakers signed up prior to the meeting being called to order will each be allowed a three-minute allotment to address their concerns. Boards and Commissions follow the same rules as City Council meetings.

**CALL TO ORDER.**

**1. CITIZEN COMMUNICATION: GENERAL**

**2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

- a. May 4, 2016 Meeting
- b. May 26, 2016 Meeting

**3. INTRODUCTION – New Member Lisa Fritsch**

**4. SPECIAL PRESENTATION – DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION**

- a. African American Cultural Heritage District Annual Report - Lisa Byrd, Executive Director African American Cultural Heritage District
- b. Greater Austin Black Chamber Annual Report – Tam Hawkins, Executive Director Greater Austin Black Chamber
- c. Building Austin's Creative Capacity Needs Assessment – Janet Seibert, Civic Arts Consultant, City of Austin Economic Development Department

- d. Music Census Report – Don Pitts, Manager, Music and Entertainment Division,  
Economic Development Department

**5. OLD BUSINESS – DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION**

- a. Budget Recommendations

**6. STAFFING BRIEFINGS**

- a. Elect Joint Inclusion Officer and a back up

**7. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

- a. My Brother's Keeper – Kazique Prince –July Meeting

**ADJOURNMENT**

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