



## **AUSTIN ARTS COMMISSION AGENDA**

Regular Meeting – Monday, January 22, 2018, 6:00 P.M.

Cultural Arts Division Training Room

201 E 2<sup>nd</sup> Street, Austin, TX 78701

### **CURRENT BOARD MEMBERS:**

Lulu Flores – Chair, Michelle Polgar–Vice Chair, Brett Barnes, Chris Bryan, Jaime Castillo, Bears Fonte, Felipe Garza, Alissa McCain, Amy Mok, Krissi Reeves

### **CALL TO ORDER – 6:00 P.M.**

#### **1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

- a. Approve the minutes for the Arts Commission Regular Meeting on December 11, 2017

#### **2. CITIZEN COMMUNICATION: GENERAL**

The first 10 speakers signed up prior to the meeting being called to order will each be allowed a three-minute allotment to address their concerns regarding items not posted on the agenda.

#### **3. SPECIAL PRESENTATION**

- a. Michael Anthony Garcia, Artist
- b. Sean Gaulager, Co-Lab Projects
- c. Dimension Gallery – FY17 Capacity Building Award Presentation
- d. allgo – FY17 Capacity Building Award Presentation
- e. Teatro Vivo – FY17 Capacity Building Award Presentation
- f. Matt Steinke – FY17 Capacity Building Award Presentation
- g. Cultural Trust – John Riedie, CEO, Austin Creative Alliance

#### **4. STAFF BRIEFINGS**

- a. Artist Access Program Update – Laura Esparza, Parks and Recreation Department
- b. Capacity Building Applications for January, presented by Laura Odegard, Cultural Funding Program Associate

#### **5. CHAIR'S REPORT**

#### **6. NEW BUSINESS**

- a. Discussion and Action Items
  - i. Approve Selection Process Recommendation for the Dove Springs Recreation Center AIPP project.
  - ii. Discussion and possible action for a letter of support for Austin Veterans Art Festival

- iii. Discuss and Approve agenda items for the Joint Arts and Music Commission Meeting.
- iv. Discuss and Approve December Community Initiative Applications  
Discussion and possible action regarding the City Bond process in relation to the City's cultural facilities

## **7. OLD BUSINESS**

- a. Discussion and Action Items
  - i. Omnibus
    - 1. Update on Marketing Initiative
    - 2. Update from Joint Music/Arts Working Group
  - ii. Working Group Updates
    - 1. Labor Language Working Group – Chair Flores, Vice Chair Polgar, Commissioners Bryan and Barnes
    - 2. Community Outreach and Engagement – Vice Chair Polgar and Commissioners Castillo, Fonte, Mok and Reeves
    - 3. Cultural Funding Program Responsiveness Working Group – Commissioners Willenzik (Mok will be his backup), Vice Chair Polgar, Castillo, McCain and chaired by Commissioner Fonte.
    - 4. Venue Funding/Assistance Program Working Group - Commissioners Polgar, Reeves, Flores
    - 5. City of Austin Artwork Donation and Loan Policy Working Group – Commissioners Barnes, Bryan, Castillo, McCain and representatives from the AIPP Panel
    - 6. FY19 Core Funding Program Guidelines Working Group - Commissioners Polgar, Castillo, Flores, Reeves
    - 7. FY19 Cultural Heritage Festivals Program Guidelines Working Group - Commissioners Fonte, Garza, McCain, Flores

## **8. ITEMS FOR INFORMATION**

Next Joint Meeting of the Arts Commission and Music Commission will be on Monday, January 29<sup>th</sup> @ 6pm – Austin School of Film - 2200 Tillery St, Austin, TX 78723

Next Regular Meeting will be on **Monday, February 26 @ 6pm at Cultural Arts Division Training Room**

## **9. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

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