



Richmond Arts and Culture Commission (RACC)

**SPECIAL MEETING Thursday, September 30, 2021
NPA Mini Grant Interviews 6:00 – 9:00 p.m. via ZOOM**

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You are invited to a Zoom Webinar.

<https://zoom.us/j/96084163039?pwd=T2lLVnNYYkxwTnQ3SHJkNzVHTeImQT09>

ALL COMMISSION MEMBERS WILL PARTICIPATE VIA VIDEO OR TELECONFERENCE

CORONAVIRUS DISEASE (COVID-19) ADVISORY

Due to the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic, Contra Costa County and Governor Gavin Newsom have issued multiple orders requiring sheltering in place, social distancing, and reduction of person-to-person contact. (See, for example, March 31, 2020 County Order extending the shelter-in-place order until May 3, 2020 & March 19, 2020 statewide shelter-in-place order.) Accordingly, Governor Gavin Newsom has issued executive orders that allow cities to hold public meetings via teleconferencing (Executive Order N-29-20). Both <https://www.coronavirus.cchealth.org> and <http://www.ci.richmond.ca.us/3914/Richmond-Coronavirus-Info> provide updated coronavirus information.

DUE TO THE SHELTER IN PLACE ORDERS, participation in the Arts and Culture Commission will be by teleconference only. Public comment will be confined to items appearing on the agenda and will be limited to the method provided below. Consistent with Executive Order N-29-20, this meeting will utilize video/teleconferencing only. The following provides information on how the public can participate in this meeting.

Public comments may be submitted:

1. Via email to winifred_day@ci.richmond.ca.us. Email must contain in the subject line **public comments – Item #**. All comments must be submitted on or before Thursday, September 30, 2021, by 4:30 pm and must include the following:

- a) Your Name
- b) Your Phone Number
- c) The item for which you wish to make a Public Comment.

Requests for comments received via email during the meeting and up until the public comment period on the relevant agenda item is closed, will be accommodated as is reasonably possible and will be limited to a maximum of one to two minutes, depending on the number of commenters.

The City cannot guarantee that its network and/or the site will be uninterrupted.

Record of all public comments:

All public comments will be considered a public record, put into the official meeting record, and considered before Commission action. All public comments will be available after the meeting as supplemental materials and will be posted as an attachment to the meeting minutes when the minutes are posted.

Accessibility for Individuals with Disabilities

Upon request, the City will provide for written agenda materials in appropriate alternative formats, or disability-related modification or accommodation, including auxiliary aids or services and sign language interpreters, to enable individuals with disabilities to participate in and provide comments at/related to public meetings. Please submit a request, including your name, phone number and/or email address, and a description of the modification, accommodation, auxiliary aid, service or alternative format requested at least two days before the meeting. Requests should be emailed to Winifred_Day@ci.richmond.ca.us or submitted by phone at 510-620-6952. Requests will be granted whenever possible and resolved in favor of accessibility.

Effect of Advisory on In-person public participation

During the pendency of the Executive Order N-29-20, the language in this Advisory portion of the agenda supersedes any language below in the meeting procedures contemplating in-person public comment.

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- I. WELCOME/CALL TO ORDER/ ROLL CALL (Chair Wiley) 6:00 p.m.**
- II. ACTION ITEM: APPROVE September 30, 2021 Meeting Agenda 6:03 p.m.**
- III. PUBLIC COMMENTS 6:05 p.m.**

Individuals who would like to address the Richmond Arts and Culture Commission (PAAC) on relevant matters not listed on the agenda may do so under Public Comment. Public comments cannot result in discussion/action at this meeting.

- IV. NPA Mini Grant Interviews 6:06 p.m.**
 - a. 6:05 Doug Harris
 - b. 6:30 Dejeana Burkes
 - c. 7:00 Robin Lopez
 - d. 7:30 Hanna Hamilton
 - e. 8:00 Tiffany Conway
 - f. 8:30 Frederick Franklin

- VII. Adjourn until October 21, 2021 9:00 p.m.**

Attachment:

Artist Registry online now

City of Richmond Artist Database Form

The City of Richmond Artist Database Form is an opportunity for local artists from all media and genres available for art projects in Richmond to provide their information to the City. If you are a local artist, please fill out this form: [City of Richmond Artist Database Form](#).