



## Reno Arts & Culture Commission Notice and Agenda of Meeting

Date: March 16, 2020

Time: 4:00 p.m.

Place: McKinley Arts & Culture Center  
925 Riverside Drive, Reno, NV 89503

Commission Members
Geralda Miller, Chair
Erik Fong, Vice Chair
Marco Castro-Bojorquez
Bryce Chisholm
Debbi Engebritson
Doug Erwin
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Naomi Duerr, City Council Liaison

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### AGENDA

1. **Call to Order/Roll Call** (For Possible Action)
2. **Public Comment on Agenda Items or Other Matters** – This item will be the public's only opportunity to address items listed on this Agenda before the item is considered by the Committee. Public comment will not be taken when specific items are called. Public comments are not limited to Agenda items. Comment will be limited to 3 minutes per person.
3. **Approval of the Minutes** – Approval of the minutes from the February 11, 2020 Reno Arts & Culture Commission Meeting (For Possible Action)

4. **Approval of the Agenda** – March 16, 2020 (For Possible Action)
5. **City Council Liaison Report** – Council Member Naomi Duerr (Item for general information only. No deliberation or action will be taken on this item).
6. **Discussion and possible approval of a sponsorship of Reno Art Fest 2020 occurring June 5-7, 2020 at the Sands Regency Casino Hotel Outdoor Event Space in an amount not to exceed \$10,000** (For Possible Action). (10 minutes)
7. **Financial Report and Budget Update** (10 minutes)
  - a. **Review and possible acceptance of the FY2019/20 Commission Budget Report** (For Possible Action).
  - b. **Review and possible acceptance of the FY2019/20 Public Art Budget Report** (For Possible Action).
8. **Discussion and possible approval of a new grant and online call for artists system Submittable for an amount not to exceed \$6,000** (For Possible Action).
9. **Project / Special Reports Update (For Possible Approval)** (20 minutes)
  - a. **Public Art Committee Update (For Possible Action)**
    - i. **Presentation from City of Reno Sustainability program and request for funding for Earth Day chalk art mural at City Plaza not to exceed \$1,000** (For Possible Action).
    - ii. **Discussion and possible approval of a public art project at Pat Baker Park not to exceed \$15,000** (For Possible Action).
    - iii. **Discussion and possible approval of a call for artists for E. 4th Street Public Art NEA Our Town Grant in an amount not to exceed \$165,000** (For Possible Action).
    - iv. **Discussion and possible approval of a call for artists for a mural on the 2nd Street bridge along the Truckee River path in an amount not to exceed \$5,000** (For Possible Action).
  - b. **Community Engagement Committee Update (For Possible Action)** (10 minutes)
    - i. Discussion on the “My “I”” videos for social media and other community engagement uses.
  - c. **Grants Committee Update (For Possible Approval)** (30 minutes)
    - i. Discussion and possible approval of a revision request from Nevada Humanities for their FY 19/20 Project Grant (For Possible Action).
    - ii. Scoring, Ranking and Recommendations for Arts & Culture Event and Project Grants in an amount not to exceed \$200,000 (For Possible Action).
      1. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$2,000 from Art Paws Inc., E73, 20th Annual Art Paws on July 19, 2020 (For Possible Action).
      2. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$6,000 from Arts for All Nevada, E75, AFAN's Free Family Art Festival, Lake Mansion Jingles on November 14, 2020 (For Possible Action).
      3. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Artown, E78, Artown 2020 Closing Night Celebration on July 31, 2020 (For Possible Action).
      4. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Artech, E79, Reno Art Fest 2021 during June 4-6, 2021 (For Possible Action).
      5. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Reno Little Theater, E81, One Day Play Festival during October 2-3, 2020 (For Possible Action).
      6. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Classical Gala West, E85, Sierra Nevada Guitar Festival during July 23-24, 2020 (For Possible Action).
      7. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Reno Jazz Orchestra, E89, Jazz in the Schools 2021 on Feb 12, 2021 (For Possible Action).
      8. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Sierra Nevada Ballet, E90, Dancing By the River on July 14, 2020 (For Possible Action).
      9. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Reno Pops Orchestra, E91, Fall Concert: “Night at the Opera” on November 6, 2020 (For Possible Action).
      10. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Reno Philharmonic Association, E92, American Salute – 4th of July Concert on July 4, 2020 (For Possible Action).

11. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Sabbath Celebrations, E93, Pagan Pride Day on July 18, 2020 (For Possible Action).
12. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Notable Music Therapy Services, E94, Summer Sock Hop on July 30, 2020 (For Possible Action).
13. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Board of Regents, Nevada System of Higher Education, on behalf of University of Nevada Reno (Latino Research Center), E95, Dia de los Muertos on November 1, 2020 (For Possible Action).
14. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Nevada Humanities, E97, Nevada Humanities Literary Crawl on September 12, 2020 (For Possible Action).
15. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Word of Life Ministries, E98, Gospel Fest 2020 on July 19, 2020 (For Possible Action).
16. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Sierra Association of Foster Families, E99, National Coloring Festival: Colors of My Imagination during September 15-16, 2020 (For Possible Action).
17. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Boards of Regents, Nevada System of Higher Education, on behalf of University of Nevada Reno (School of the Arts), E100, Reno Jazz Festival Jam Session during April 22-24, 2021 (For Possible Action).
18. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Ballet Folklorico Flor de Castilla, E101, Fiesta Mexicana on July 25, 2020 (For Possible Action).
19. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Nevada Museum of Art, E102, Celebrate Dia de los Muertos and Hispanic Heritage Month on October 10, 2020 (For Possible Action).
20. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$4,500 from Nevada Gay Men's Chorus, E104, A Fabulous Summer Evening with the Nevada Gay Men's Chorus on July 17, 2020 (For Possible Action).
21. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from reNEW Music, E105, reNEW Ensemble in Concert on July 9, 2020 (For Possible Action).
22. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from David J. Drakulich Art Foundation, E106, Quiet Summons on July 20, 2020 (For Possible Action).
23. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Holland Project, E107, Holland's Annual Summer Event on August 8, 2020 (For Possible Action).
24. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$1,920 from Lake Tahoe Shakespeare Festival, E108, D.G. Menchetti Young Shakespeare Program on July 20, 2020 (For Possible Action).
25. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Foundation for the S.T.A.R.S., E109, Singing and Loving with the S.T.A.R.S. July 9-12, 2020 (For Possible Action).
26. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$2,700 from Na Oihi O Hawaii Northern Nevada Hawaiian Civic Club, E111, Prince Kuhio Day Celebration on March 27, 2021 (For Possible Action).
27. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Build Our Center Inc., E112, Northern Nevada Pride on July 25, 2020 (For Possible Action).
28. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Good Luck Macbeth, E113, One Heartbeat Theatre during February 5-7, 2021 (For Possible Action).
29. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Bruka Theatre of the Sierra Inc., E114, Biggest Little Theatre & New Work Festival during November 1-7, 2020 (For Possible Action).
30. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Pioneer Center for the Performing Arts, P90, Pioneer Center Youth Programs during September 1, 2020 – June 30, 2021 (For Possible Action).
31. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from A.V.A. Ballet Theatre, P91, Sleeping Beauty during September 19 -20, 2020 (For Possible Action).

32. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Arts for All Nevada, P92, Artists in Residency during August 15, 2020 – June 30, 2021 (For Possible Action).
33. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Board of Regents, Nevada System of Higher Education, on behalf of University of Nevada, Reno (School of the Arts), P96, Performing Arts Series Community Engagement Programs September 1, 2020 – May 31, 2021 (For Possible Action).
34. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Sierra School of Performing Arts, P97, Youth Musical Production 2020 during August 22, 2020 – December 6, 2020 (For Possible Action).
35. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Reno Philharmonic Association Inc, P98, Young People’s Concerts during October 1, 2020 – May 7, 2021 (For Possible Action).
36. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Reno Little Theater, P100, Reno Little Theater FY21 Education Program during July 1, 2020 – June 30, 2021 (For Possible Action).
37. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$5,000 from Reno Pops Orchestra, P101, Summer Music Camp during June 14, 2021 – June 25, 2021 (For Possible Action).
38. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Reno Jazz Orchestra, P102, RJO Youth Jazz Education during September 1, 2020 – June 1, 2021 (For Possible Action).
39. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Nevada Museum of Art, P103, 2021 Scholastic Art Awards during September 1, 2020 – March 30, 2021 (For Possible Action).
40. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Board of Regents, Nevada System of Higher Education, on behalf of University of Nevada Reno (Lilley Art Gallery), P104, EN MEDIO | Senses of Migrations during October 21, 2020 – January 21, 2021 (For Possible Action).
41. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Note-Able Music Therapy Services, P105, Community-Based Music Programs to Enhance Inclusion of People with Disabilities (Jul 1, 2020 – Jun 30, 2021) (For Possible Action).
42. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Nevada Gay Men’s Chorus, P106, Nevada Gay Men’s Chorus 2020/2021 Season during September 1, 2020 – June 30, 2021 (For Possible Action).
43. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Latino ARTE, P107, Latino Theater Series 2020 during August 6, 2020 – May 18, 2021 (For Possible Action).
44. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$6,100 from High Desert Harmony Chorus, P108, 2020 High Desert Holidays Guest Chorus and Performance during November 2, 2020 – December 20, 2020 (For Possible Action).
45. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Sierra Nevada Ballet, P109, The Peanutracker the Story in a Nutshell during October 1, 2020 – December 31, 2020 (For Possible Action).
46. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Nevada Humanities, P110, The Salon: A Nevada Humanities Conversation Series during July 17, 2020 – May 21, 2021 (For Possible Action).
47. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Sierra Arts Foundation, P111, Elder Care Concert Series during July 1, 2020 – June 30, 2021 (For Possible Action).
48. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from KWNK Reno Community Radio, P112, KWNK Community Radio Programs & Podcasts during July 1, 2020 – May 15, 2021 (For Possible Action).
49. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Lake Tahoe Shakespeare Festival, P113, InterACT Workshop Series during August 31, 2020 – June 4, 2021 (For Possible Action).
50. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$5,750 from Laika Press, P114, Laika Press 2020-21 Workshop Series during July 1, 2020 – June 30, 2021 (For Possible Action).

51. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Good Luck Macbeth, P115, Latinx Bilingual Theatre during October 29, 2020 – June 30, 2021 (For Possible Action).
52. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Holland Project, P116, Holland Workshop Series 2020-2021 during July 1, 2020 – June 30, 2021 (For Possible Action).
53. Discussion and possible approval of a grant request up to an amount of \$7,000 from Reno Chamber Orchestra, P117, Chamber Music Live with the Reno Chamber Orchestra during January 1 – June 30, 2021 (For Possible Action).

- 10. Discussion and possible approval of a recommended budget for FY 20/21** (For Possible Action) (20 minutes)
- 11. Discussion and possible approval of a new member from the Reno Arts & Culture Commission to serve on the Special Events Sponsorship Committee from the following pool of applicants, listed in alphabetical order: Marco Castro-Bojorquez, Bryce Chisholm, Debbi Engebritson, Doug Erwin, Erik Fong, Lisa Genasci, Dana Hatjakes, Sharon Honig-Bear, Geralda Miller, and Shaughn Richardson** (For Possible Action). (5 minutes)
- 12. Parks, Recreation, and Community Services Liaison update** (Item for general information only. No deliberation or action will be taken on this item). (5 minutes)
- 13. Updates on ongoing projects** (Item for general information only. No deliberation or action will be taken on this item).
  - a. East Truckee River Project NEA Grant update
  - b. Creation Award – opened March 4, 2020 DUE May 5, 2020
  - c. Bloomberg Philanthropies Asphalt Art Application / ReTRAC Project Update
- 14. Announcements not anticipated at notice date** (Item for general announcements and information only. No deliberation or action will be taken on this item.).
- 15. Set date, time and agenda for the next meeting** (For Possible Action).
  - a. Discussion and possible approval of a change in meeting date (For Possible Action).
- 16. General Public Comment** – This Item is for either any General Public Comment or any Action Item Comment and is limited to no more than three (3) minutes per person.
- 17. Adjournment** (For Possible Action).