

**CITY OF FOLSOM
ARTS AND CULTURE COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING AGENDA
SEPTEMBER 12, 2024
6:45 P.M.
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS
50 NATOMA STREET, FOLSOM, CA 95630
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- 1. CALL TO ORDER:**
- 2. ROLL CALL:** Commission Members: Marc Allaman, Kat Bahry-Vice Chair, Jacob Cantu, Shivesh Sinha, Chad Vander Veen, Lucinda Winward, Maribel Wyatt-Chair
- 3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
- 4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**
 - A. August 15, 2024 Special Meeting
- 5. BUSINESS FROM THE FLOOR:**

Members of the public are entitled to address the Commission concerning any item within the Folsom Commission's subject matter jurisdiction. Public comments are limited to no more than three minutes. Except for certain specific exceptions, the Commission is prohibited from discussing or taking action on any item not appearing on the posted agenda.
- 6. PRESENTATION**
 - A. Introduction of Staff and Art Center Programs and Gallery at 48
- 7. INFORMATIONAL ITEMS:**
 - A. Manager's Report
- 8. COMMISSION MEMBER COMMENTS:**
- 9. ADJOURNMENT:**

Notice: Members of the Public are entitled to directly address the Commission concerning any item that is described in the notice of this meeting, before or during consideration of that item. If you wish to address the Commission on an issue, which is on this agenda, please raise your hand and when your name is called, you may unmute and be recognized by the Chairperson and then proceed to speak. If you wish to address the Commission on any other item of interest to the public, when the

Chairperson asks if there is any “**Business from the Floor**,” follow the same procedure as described above. Please limit your comments to three minutes or less.

As presiding officer, the Chairperson has the authority to preserve order at all Arts & Culture Commission meetings, to remove or cause the removal of any person from any such meeting for disorderly conduct, or for making personal, impertinent, or slanderous remarks, using profanity, or becoming boisterous, threatening or personally abusive while addressing said Commission, and to enforce the rules of the Commission.

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Any documents produced by the city and distributed to the Arts & Culture Commission regarding any item on this agenda will be made available at the Parks & Recreation Department at 50 Natoma Street, Folsom, California during normal business hours.

**CITY OF FOLSOM
ARTS AND CULTURE COMMISSION
AUGUST 15, 2024
SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES**

1. CALL TO ORDER:

The Arts and Culture Commission meeting was called to order at 6:33 p.m. with Chair Maribel Wyatt presiding.

2. ROLL CALL:

Commission Members Present: Marc Allaman, Commissioner
Kat Bahry, Vice-Chair
Jacob Cantu, Commissioner
Shivesh Sinha, Commissioner – Arrived at 6:34
Lucinda Winward, Commissioner – Arrived at 6:35
Maribel Wyatt, Chair

Commission Members Absent: Chad Vander Veen, Commissioner

Staff Present/Speaking: Tom Hellmann, Community & Cultural Services
Manager

3. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE:

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

A. May 9, 2024, Regular Meeting Minutes

Motion by Marc Allaman, second by Jacob Cantu to approve the Meeting Minutes of May 9, 2024. The motion carried with the following vote:

AYES: Commissioner(s): Allaman, Bahry, Cantu, Sinha, Winward, Wyatt
NOES: Commissioner(s): None
ABSENT: Commissioner(s): Vander Veen
ABSTAIN: Commissioner(s): None

5. BUSINESS FROM THE FLOOR:

None

6. ACTION ITEM:

A. Arts Achievement Recognition Award Program Call for Nominations

Community and Cultural Services Manager Tom Hellmann reviewed the Arts and Achievement Awards Program Call for Nominations criteria and opened the discussion to the commissioners to ask questions.

Motion by Kat Bahry, seconded by Marc Allman to move forward with the Arts Achievement Recognition Award Program Call for Nominations.

AYES: Commissioner(s): Allaman, Bahry, Cantu, Sinha, Winward, Wyatt
NOES: Commissioner(s): None
ABSENT: Commissioner(s): Vander Veen
ABSTAIN: Commissioner(s): None

7. INFORMATIONAL ITEMS:

A. Gallery at 48 Natoma Exhibit

Tom Hellmann encouraged commissioners to come visit the “Forest Floor” Exhibit soon as it is coming to an end on August 29. The upcoming show “Tide Pools” opens September 6, and the Gallery Reception is September 6 from 6 p.m.- 9:00 p.m.

B. Manager’s Report

Community and Cultural Services Manager, Tom Hellmann, provided a written report to the commission. Tom reviewed the items on his written report and updated the commission on upcoming events. In addition to reviewing his written report, Tom shared that our fall program registration opened on August 15 and our newly rebranded recreation guides went out to residents this week.

8. COMMISSION MEMBER COMMENTS:

Commissioner Marc Allaman mentioned he took his granddaughters to the aquatic center and that the “Shell” was being enjoyed by the community. It was nice to see the art being enjoyed by everyone, even in a place you wouldn’t expect art to be. Marc noted there were lots of lifeguards on duty and he was impressed by that.

Commissioner Kat Bahry said she appreciated the discussions at tonight's meeting and is looking forward to the recognition awards.

Commissioner Jacob Cantu had no comments.

Commissioner Shivesh Sinha had no comments.

Commissioner Chad Vander Veen was absent.

Commissioner Lucinda Winward had no comments.

Commissioner Maribel Wyatt encouraged everyone to continue to look for and seek /elevate opportunities to bring Art/Culture to our community and that the commission is in a unique position to point out and call things out in our rich community to do that.

9. ADJOURNMENT:

There being no more business brought before the Folsom Arts and Culture Commission, the meeting was adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED:

ATTEST:

Dawn Klamm,
Administrative Assistant
Parks and Recreation Department

Maribel Wyatt, Chair

INFORMATIONAL ITEM 7A
Arts and Culture Commission
September 12, 2024

TO: Arts and Culture Commission

FROM: Tom Hellmann, Recreation & Community Services Manager

SUBJECT: MANAGER'S REPORT

City Council Recap

September 10:

- The Community Service Day Steering Committee delivered a presentation to City Council on September 10 which highlights the numerous partners as well as the upcoming projects that will take place. To date there are 35 service projects, 79 neighbors helping senior's projects, over 1,900 volunteers, and partner contributions exceeding \$113,000.

- A Presentation of Spirit of Folsom Awards was given before City Council. At the time of writing this no additional information was available. I will provide an update verbally.

- A Presentation of Final Report from Economic Development Consultant Kosmont Companies. At the time of writing this no additional information was available. I will provide an update verbally.

Fiscal Focus Update

- There will be a series of Town Hall meetings held to assist with education regarding Measure G that would affect Folsom. For those interested in attending they will be held on:
 - Thursday, September 26 at Folsom Library from 6:00-8:00pm
 - Thursday, October 10 at Mangini Ranch Elementary from 6:00-8:00pm

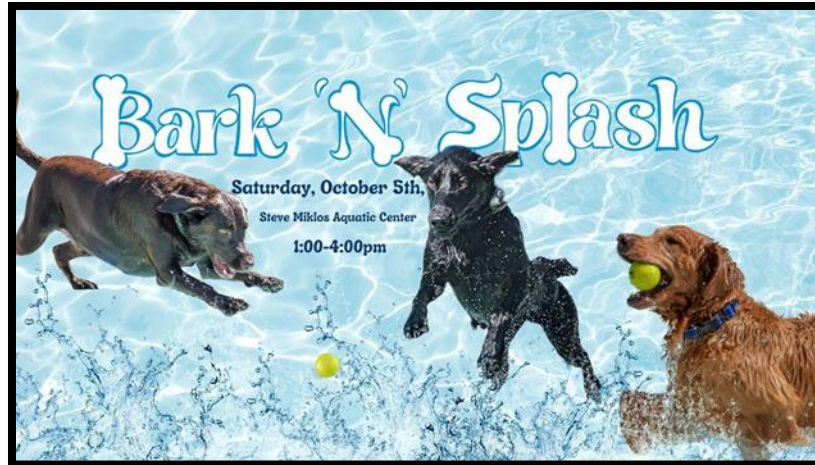
Update

- The draft River District Masterplan is available for public viewing. It is recommended that you review the proposed plan at [River District Master Plan | Folsom, CA](#)

- The Folsom Teen Council received a proclamation from Sacramento County Supervisor, Sue Frost on August 28 for their past year of service, commitment, and volunteerism in the community. Congratulations to the Folsom Teen Council!



- The 11th Annual Folsom Community Service Day will take place on Saturday, September 21. You all should have received your Food Drive bag and you can support Twin Lakes Food Bank by leaving your bag on your doorstep for pick up that morning by 8am.
- The 27th Annual Mayor's Cup Invitation Golf Tournament in support of Folsom Teen's at our CAVE afterschool program is approaching and will be played at Empire Ranch Golf Club on Friday, September 27. For information about player registration please contact Sarah Trobee at strobee@folsom.ca.us.
- The Renaissance Faire returns to Folsom on September 28 and 29 at Rodeo Park and City Lions Park from 10am-5pm. Advanced ticket purchase is required, and tickets are limited each day. For more information, please visit <https://www.facebook.com/FolsomRenFaire>.



- The 20th Annual Bark 'n' Splash will take place on Saturday, October 5 at the Steve Miklos Aquatics Center. All dogs are welcome, and registration is \$15 per dog. Human companions are FREE to enter. All dogs must have a current dog license.
- The Handblown Glass Pumpkin Patch returns on October 12 and 13 from 10am-5pm at 48 Natoma Street in front of the Senior Center and Art Center. Enjoy local handblown glass pumpkins, acorns, gourds and more at this year's event. Entry is free but will be visited by many that enjoy this annual event.



- On October 19 the Steve Miklos Aquatics Center will entertain visitors with the annual Swim with the Pumpkins, a friendly Halloween Spooktacular event from 5:30-8:00pm. Admission is free and there will be carnival games, candy, and of course pumpkins in the pool.

- It will be a Wild Howl-O-Ween at the Folsom City Zoo Sanctuary on Saturday, October 26 from 10am to 2pm. Admission is \$10 per person and costumes are encouraged with fun goodies and treats for all that walk around the zoo.
- Monday, November 11 is Veterans Day, and the annual Folsom Veterans Day Parade will take place beginning at 9:00am along East Bidwell Street. Come enjoy and give thanks to our nation's veterans.