

MINUTES

CITY OF DORAL

CULTURAL AFFAIRS ADVISORY BOARD MEETING

The Mission of the Cultural Affairs Advisory Board is to effectively create and promote cultural opportunities by providing programs, activities, and events that will reflect the rich, cultural diversity of the Doral Community.

Tuesday, July 5th, 2012

Conference Room 8300 N.W. 53RD Street, DORAL, FL 33166

1. Call to Order/ Roll Call of Members Time 6:15 pm

Board Members

Carmen Johnson, Chair - Absent Dr. Toni Bilbao, Vice Chair - PRESENT Rene Negron, Secretary - PRESENT May Garcia-Clissent, Member – PRESENT

Staff Liaisons:

Maggie Santos

Public:

Aguasanta Erminy – Fundacion Artistas Unidos/FAU
Cesar Murillo – Fundacion Artistas Unidos/FAU
Frank Siberio – Doral Business Council Committee Chair
Bettina Rodriguez Aguilera
Marta Pabon - El Nuevo Teatro
Coco Mata – El Nuevo Teatro
Mariela Romero – El Nuevo Teatro

2. Agenda/Order of Business

a. Approval of Minutes – 06/26/2012

No minutes were provided to be approved..

b. Topics of Discussion

Agenda Item i: Nuevo Teatro presentation- Mariela Romero approval of budget and dates for presentations at Doral Ronald Reagan Sr. High.

After dedicating extensive time to understand the project a motion was presented bty May Garcia-Clissent, and second by Dr. Toni Bilbao: "Instead of one single project/presentation two days, el Nuevo Teatro will present to the Board an option to have a two different projects/plays, and approval to move forward is contingent to a presentation to the City Manager due to the size of the investment"

Agenda Item ii: City Hall inaugural day July 27. Final displays and floor plan by Fundacion Artistas Unidos and curator Ibrahim Guerra.

Board reviewed final details about the Art Display for the Inaugural day. Board is very pleased with the efforts and coordination executed by FAU. In order to have Children Art presented at the Third Floor, Board consulted with City if possible to invest additional US\$2,000 (up to). Since the project is within budget parameters, is considered possible.

c. Discussion open to the public - NONE

d. New Business -

Hispanic Art Expressions/Maria Lazo/Miami-Dade Cultural Affairs.

CAAB liaison wil contact Maria Lazo to define available dates and venue, and will find the possibility of using this year's budget, even though is October.

e. Future Meeting Date- Our next meeting - August 28, 2012

f. Adjournment

Motion to adjourn meeting at 7.32PM by Rene Negron, seconded by Dr. Toni Bilbao

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Chair Carmen Johnson

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