



**AGENDA OF THE  
MEETING OF THE  
Arts and Culture Commission  
Monday, August 22, 2016 at 7:00 p.m.**

**El Cerrito City Hall – Council Chambers  
10890 San Pablo Avenue, El Cerrito**

**Roll Call of Commissioners:**

Ruth Cazden, Paul Fadelli, George Gager, Mollie Hazen, Heidi Rand, Christopher Sterba, Nga Trinh.

**1. Commissioners Reports & Liaison Reports**

- Including update by Iarla on contract for Maw Shein Win to serve as Poet Laureate.

**2. Comments from the Public**

Comments from the public on non-agenda items may be limited to three (3) minutes each.

**3. Approval of Minutes**

Consider approval of the minutes of the special meeting of July 25, 2016.

**4. El Cerrito Historical Society Film Showing on October 15**

Barbara Hill of the ECHS will discuss the society's showing of the film "This Ain't No Mouse Music" (about Down Home Records and Arhoolie Records) at the Cerrito Theater on October 15. Discussion and possible action on if the Arts and Culture Commission would be interested in being co-sponsors.

**5. October's Arts Day Festival**

Continued discussion on the 2016 Arts Day Celebration event on Saturday, Oct 1, 2016, followed by possible action related to planning and carrying out the event.

**6. Centennial Celebration Planning Update**

Update from Cazden on the efforts of the Centennial Celebration Task Force, followed by discussion and possible action on creating a subcommittee to work on arts-related Centennial Celebration ideas

**7. Discussion on Exhibit Spaces in El Cerrito**

Update from exhibit spaces subcommittee, followed by discussion and possible action.

**8. Discussion on Gallery Space Call to Artists**

Discussion about a possible theme for the next call for exhibits in the City Hall Gallery Space, as well as which month the Commission would like to review proposals, followed by possible action.

**9. Items for Next Meeting**

*Pending Topics:* BART pylons mural proposal; Presentation by Down Home Music; Hazen to lead discussion on Gallery Space Support; Development of Policies/Procedures for the Commission; Rand to give presentation on "Little Free Libraries"; Discussion of hosting film series or film festival

**Adjourn**

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