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## MINUTES

### MEETING OF THE Arts and Culture Commission

**Monday, February 24, 2020 at 7 p.m.**  
El Cerrito City Hall – Council Chambers  
10890 San Pablo Avenue, El Cerrito

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**CONVENE REGULAR MEETING** Chair Cazden called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

**1. ROLL CALL – Present:** Chair Ruth Cazden; Members George Gager, Courtney Helion, Bill Nichols, Blake Washington. **Absent:** Allison Cooper (excused).

#### **2. COMMISSIONERS REPORTS AND COUNCIL LIAISON REPORTS**

Council Liaison Paul Fadelli reported on budget issues that the City is faced with.

Member Nichols reported on attempts to establish liaison with the Design Review Board.

Staff Liaison Maya Williams reported on various upcoming events. She also mentioned that a new ACC commissioner will join as of the March meeting. She also informed the commissioners that a Power Point presentation on the current El Cerrito budget situation is available on the City website.

#### **3. COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC**

None.

#### **4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

**Moved/Second:** Member (Nichols/Gager) **Action:** Passed a motion to approve the minutes of the January 27, 2020 meeting as submitted. **Ayes:** Chair Ruth Cazden; Members George Gager, Courtney Helion, Bill Nichols, Blake Washington. **Notes:** None. Passed unanimously.

#### **5. FISCAL UPDATE**

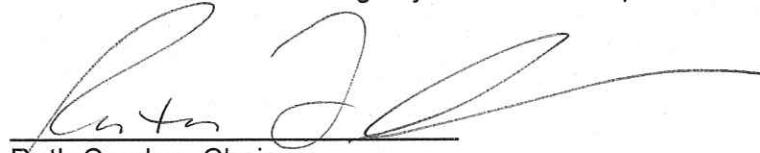
Staff Liaison Williams provided an update on the balance in the 1% for Public Art fund. Comments and discussion followed.

#### **6. REQUEST FOR SUPPORT**

Kathy Doan, of the El Cerrito Community Orchestra, presented a proposal for ACC support in the amount of \$300 for an event in April at the Community Center.

Possible methods of eliciting community input regarding ACC Master Plan.  
Further information/discussion about possible mural project on Ohlone Greenway  
at Centennial Park wall.  
Discussion of possible ACC liaison with Planning Department and Design  
Review Board.


**15. ADJOURNMENT** The meeting adjourned at 9:22 p.m.



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Ruth Cazden, Chair

This is to certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the minutes of the  
regular Arts and Culture Commission meeting of February 24, 2020 as approved  
by the Arts and Culture Commission.



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