

CONSENT CALENDAR January 22, 2019

To: Honorable Mayor and Members of the City Council

From: Civic Arts Commission

Submitted by: Kim Anno, Chairperson, Civic Arts Commission

Subject: Authorization for Additional Civic Arts Commission Meeting in 2019

### RECOMMENDATION

Adopt a Resolution authorizing one additional meeting of the Civic Arts Commission in 2019.

### FISCAL IMPACTS OF RECOMMENDATION

None.

### **CURRENT SITUATION AND ITS EFFECTS**

The Civic Arts Commission requests approval to hold a Special Meeting on February 9, 2019 as a retreat in order to have dedicated time to review progress on the *City of Berkeley Arts & Culture Plan 2018-2027 Update* and the *Civic Arts Commission 2018-2019 Work Plan.* Submission of this report for authorization of the additional meeting was approved by the Civic Arts Commission at its November 28, 2018 meeting (M/S Blecher / Passmore; Yes: Anno, Blecher, Bullwinkel, Ozol, Passmore, Slattery, Tamano; No: none; Absent: Jackson, Ross).

### **BACKGROUND**

Resolution No. 68,705–N.S. governs the number of meetings for boards and commissions and authorizes the Civic Arts Commission to meet ten times per year. In 2019, the Civic Arts Commission plans to hold its ten regular meetings in addition to this Special Meeting.

### **ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY**

There are no identifiable environmental impacts or opportunities associated with this report.

### RATIONALE FOR RECOMMENDATION

The additional meeting requested for February 2019 will provide an opportunity for the Commission to have uninterrupted time to focus on the review of progress on the previously approved *Arts and Culture Plan* and *Annual Work Plan* and to discuss activities for 2019 in furtherance of the goals and objectives outlined in these plans.

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## ALTERNATIVE ACTIONS CONSIDERED

None.

# **CITY MANAGER**

The City Manager concurs with the content and recommendations of the Commission's Report.

# **CONTACT PERSON**

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## Attachments:

1: Resolution

## RESOLUTION NO. ##,###-N.S.

### AUTHORIZING ADDITIONAL MEETING FOR THE CIVIC ARTS COMMISSION

WHEREAS, Resolution No. 68,705–N.S. stipulates how many annual meetings are allowed for Berkeley's commissions and authorizes the Civic Arts Commission to meet ten times per year.; and

WHEREAS, the Civic Arts Commission plans to hold an additional meeting in February 2019 to review progress on the *City of Berkeley Arts & Culture Plan 2018-2027 Update* and the *Civic Arts Commission 2018-2019 Work Plan*.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Berkeley that the Civic Arts Commission is authorized to hold one additional meeting in 2019.