



**AFRICAN AMERICAN RESOURCE ADVISORY COMMISSION
NOTICE OF COMMISSION MEETING**

Wednesday, September 12, 2012 at 5:30 p.m.

**Street-Jones Building
1000 E. 11th Street, Room 400-A
Austin, Texas 78702**

CURRENT COMMISSION MEMBERS:

Dr. Chiquita Eugene, Chair
Sherry Cherry
Wayne Cook
Clifford Gillard

Daryl Horton
Nelson Linder, Co-Chair
Greg Smith

CALL TO ORDER—5:30 P.M.

1. CITIZEN COMMUNICATION

Any speakers signed up prior to the meeting being called to order will each be allowed a three-minute allotment to address their concerns regarding items not posted on the agenda.

2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM THE MAY 2, 2012 AND THE JULY 11, 2012 REGULAR MEETING.

3. OLD BUSINESS:

- a. Update on African American Cultural & Heritage Facility (Sandra Harkins, Neighborhood Housing & Community Development)
- b. Update on the Art in Public Places Project for the African American Cultural & Heritage Facility (Carrie Brown, Art in Public Places Program, Economic Growth & Redevelopment Services Office)
- c. Report from Working Group concerning the information request to Austin Convention and Visitor's Bureau
- d. Follow up on Presentation on work with African American health and mental health issues (Rev. Joseph Collins)
- e. Follow up on Presentation on Khan Academy (Commissioner Sherry Cherry)
- f. Reports from Commissioners on attending meetings of other City Boards and Commissions

4. NEW BUSINESS:

- a. Set agenda items for future meetings, including non-substantive housekeeping matters (such as meeting dates, potential topics, and information and research requests for staff)

5. ADJOURNMENT

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For additional information on the African American Resource Advisory Commission, contact Melodye Foust, Economic Growth and Redevelopment Services Office, (512)974-7819.