

REGULAR MEETING of the EMMA S. BARRIENTOS MEXICAN AMERICAN CULTURAL CENTER ADVISORY BOARD Wednesday, November 1, 2023, 6:00 PM City Hall – Boards and Commissions Room 301 W. Second St. Austin, TX 78701 Some members of the Emma S. Barrientos Mexican American Cultural Center Advisory Board may be participating by videoconference.

Public comment will be allowed in-person or remotely by telephone. Speakers may only register to speak on an item once either in-person or remotely and will be allowed up to three minutes to provide their comments. To speak in person, registration is required at least 10 min prior to the start of the meeting. Registration no later than noon the day before the meeting is required for remote participation. To register call or email the board liaison at 512-974-3771 or michelle.rojas@austintexas.gov

BOARD MEMBERS

Angelica Navarro, Chair Noemi Castro, Member John Estrada, Member Gerardo Gandy, Member Litza Gonzales, Member Cynthia "Cy" Herrera, Member Hilario "Larry" Amaro, Vice Chair Anthony Martinez, Member Raul "Roy" Reyna, Member Eduardo "Eddie" Rodriguez, Member Lillian "Lily" Zamarripa-Saenz, Member

AGENDA

CALL TO ORDER & READING OF THE MISSION STATEMENT

Mission Statement: The Emma S. Barrientos Mexican American Cultural Center (ESB-MACC) is dedicated to the preservation, creation, presentation, and promotion of the cultural arts of Mexican Americans and Latino cultures.

PUBLIC COMMUNICATION: GENERAL

The first 10 speakers signed up prior to the meeting being called to order will each be allowed a (3) three-minute allotment to address their concerns regarding items not posted on the agenda.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. Approve the minutes of the Emma S. Barrientos Mexican American Cultural Center Regular Meeting of October 4, 2023.

STAFF BRIEFINGS

- 2. Staff Report on ESB-MACC programs during October and upcoming programs in November.
- 3. Staff Report on 64 Rainey.
- 4. Staff Report on Phase 2 Construction Project Updates.

DISCUSSION AND ACTION ITEMS

- 5. Discussion and possible action on Phase 2 Project.
- *Zamarripa-Saenz, Navarro* Discuss and recommend the appointment of one Board member to sit on the Art in Public Places (AIPP) selection panel for the Phase 2 project.

Martinez, Estrada

- 7. Discussion and possible action to support the alley vacation for the 64 Rainey project.
- Zamarripa-Saenz, Estrada
 Discussion and possible action to create a 64 Rainey Working Group as well as updating current ESB-MACC Working Group memberships.

DISCUSSION ITEMS

9. Discussion on the functionality and purpose of Working Groups.

Navarro, Amaro

Zamarripa-Saenz, Navarro

WORKING GROUP UPDATES

- 10. Update from Phase 2 Project Working Group
- 11. Update from Ethnographic Working Group

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

ADJOURNMENT

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