



**REGULAR MEETING of the EMMA S. BARRIENTOS MEXICAN AMERICAN  
CULTURAL CENTER ADVISORY BOARD**

**Wednesday, December 6, 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](mailto:michelle.rojas@austintexas.gov)**

**BOARD MEMBERS**

*Angelica Navarro, Chair*  
*Noemi Castro, Member*  
*John Estrada, Member*  
*Gerardo Gandy, 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,*

**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 November 1, 2023.

## **STAFF BRIEFINGS**

2. Staff Report on ESB-MACC programs during November and upcoming programs in December.

## **DISCUSSION AND ACTION ITEMS**

3. Presentation, discussion, and possible action on the Phase 2 project.  
*Navarro, Amaro*
4. Presentation, discussion, and possible action on the Music Creative Hubs.  
*Estrada, Zamarripa-Saenz*
5. Discussion and possible action to create a 64 Rainey Working Group and its scope of work.  
*Zamarripa-Saenz, Navarro*
6. Discussion and possible action to reestablish a Budget Working Group.  
*Navarro, Amaro*

## **WORKING GROUP UPDATES**

7. Update from Phase 2 Project Working Group
8. Update from Ethnographic Working Group

## **FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

## **ADJOURNMENT**

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