

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE
DISABILITY ADVISORY COMMITTEE
CITY OF CULVER CITY,
CALIFORNIA

March 13, 2013
6:30 P.M.

FINAL

Call to Order & Roll Call

The special meeting of the Disability Advisory Committee was called to order at 6:35 P.M. in the Senior Center Conference Room.

Members Present:

DR. JAY SHERY, Chair
ROBYN TENENSAP, Vice Chair
BARBARA EFFROS-SCHWARTZ, Member
GRACE ELLIOTT, Member
ALEXANDER LEE, Member
DR. ROBERT MONTGOMERY, Member
MARCY SOOKNE, Member
SEAN YEE, Member
RHONDA WOLF, Member
Darren Uhl, *Disability Services Specialist*
Armando Abrego, *Seniors & Social Services Manager*

Absent Excused

Staff Present:

No action taken at the Special Meeting regarding Minutes of the February 13, 2013 Regular DAC Meeting.

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Receipt of Correspondence:

An e-mail from member Rhonda Wolf informed that she was unable to attend today's meeting.

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Public Comment For Items Not On the Agenda & Audience Participation For Items On the Agenda.

None.

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ACTION ITEMS

Item A

Discussion and Motion as to How Best Coordinate the Disability Film Series.

Sean Yee reported that the ad hoc subcommittee had met last week, and they are fully prepared to move forward taking the lead in planning and coordination of the event. There was consensus from the group to continue in this manner.

Armando Abrego reminded that staff would support the DAC in reserving the facility and with coordination of event publicity--adding that all press releases and marketing material must be approved by city staff prior to distribution.

Darren Uhl reported that he had met with Cultural Events Supervisor Susan Obrow, and she had clarified that written permission must be provided by the owner of any film that is to be screened as part of the Disability Film Series.

Item B

Screening and Discussion of Films and/or Film Clips for Potential Inclusion in Future Disability Film Series Events.

Barbara Effros-Schwartz supplied the DVD of the 23 minute version of the documentary Phoenix Dance and this was played. Provided by Marcy Sookne and also viewed was a short promotional video from American DanceWheels Foundation (*couples dancing with one partner using a wheelchair*).

There was positive discussion regarding merits of Phoenix Dance. DAC members also liked the idea of showing a wheelchair dance video if a more polished, complete film could be acquired. Armando Abrego encouraged the group to continue the practice of including a Q & A panel discussion with experts to follow up the film screenings. DAC members also discussed the possibility of adding a live dance performance to the event.

A motion was made by Sean Yee and seconded by Grace Elliott stating that the next Disability Film Series event will take place on Sunday, July 21 and include a presentation of Phoenix Dance with the pending addition of a DanceWheels film, if it is found to be available. Motion Carries.

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Items from Staff:

None.

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Future Agenda Items

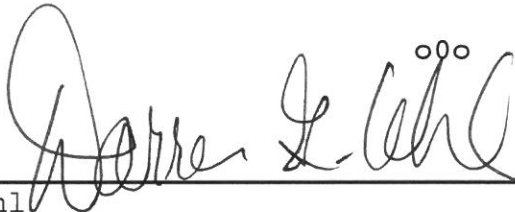
The following suggestions were made at the previous regular DAC meeting: 1) Ad Hoc Subcommittee Report Regarding Disability Film Series Event; 2) Report on Potential

Collaboration with PRCS Commission on Community Conversation Event; 3) Disability Awareness Month Discussion and Event Planning; 4) Discussion Regarding 2015 City of Los Angeles Special Olympics

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Adjournment

There being no further business, at 7:24 p.m., the DAC adjourned to the next regular meeting to be held on Wednesday, April 11, 2013 at 6:30 pm.



Darren Uhl

Staff SECRETARY of the Disability Advisory Committee

APPROVED

4-10-13



Dr. Jay Shery

CHAIR of the Disability Advisory Committee
City of Culver City, California

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that, on the date below written, these minutes were filed in the Office of the City Clerk, City of Culver City, California and constitute the Official Minutes of said meeting.

Martin R. Cole
CITY CLERK

Date

By:

Assistant City Clerk