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REGULAR MEETING OF THE
MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. CELEBRATION AND
JUNETEENTH CELEBRATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE
CULVER CITY, CALIFORNIA

July 16, 2025 6:30 P.M.

#### Call to Order and Roll Call

Chair Hearns called the regular meeting of the Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration and Juneteenth Celebration Advisory Committee to order at 6:44 P.M. at the Culver City Senior Center.

Present: LaToya Hearns, Chair

Karena Bibbins-McKeever, Member

Lisa Gordon Cain, Member Anasia Obioha, Member\* Curtis Raynor, Member Andrew Weiss, Member

\*Member Obioha joined the meeting at 6:45 P.M.

Absent: Amber Kearney, Vice Chair

Christian Green, Member Carissa Joy Smith, Member

Staff: Edgar Varela, Special Events Manager

Adam Ferguson, Senior Management Analyst

Dorian Jackson, Associate Analyst

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# Pledge of Allegiance

Member Cain led the Pledge of Allegiance.

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## Public Comment for Items NOT On the Agenda

Dorian Jackson, Associate Analyst, reported that no public comment had been received for Items NOT On the Agenda.

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# Receipt of Correspondence

Dorian Jackson, Associate Analyst, reported that no correspondence had been received.

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#### Consent Calendar

Item C-1

Approval of the Minutes for the Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration and Juneteenth Celebration Advisory Committee Meeting of June 18, 2025

MOVED BY MEMBER WEISS AND SECONDED BY MEMBER RAYNOR THAT THE MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. CELEBRATION AND JUNETEENTH CELEBRATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE APPROVE MINUTES FOR THE MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. CELEBRATION AND JUNETEENTH CELEBRATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING OF JUNE 18, 2025.

THE MOTION CARRIED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: BIBBINS-MCKEEVER, CAIN, HEARNS, RAYNOR, WEISS

NOES: NONE

ABSENT: GREEN, KEARNEY, SMITH

ABSTAIN: OBIOHA

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# Order of the Agenda

No changes were made.

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Action Items

Item A-1

MLKJCC - Election of the Chair and Vice Chair of the Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration & Juneteenth Celebration Advisory Committee

Adam Ferguson, Senior Management Analyst, provided a summary of the material of record.

The fire alarm went off and the meeting attendees evacuated the building at 7:35 P.M.

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Item A-2

MLKJCC - Introduction of the Newly Appointed Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration & Juneteenth Celebration Advisory Member

Deferred to the next meeting.

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Item A-3

MLKJCC - Receipt and Filing of a Presentation on City Council Policy Statement No. 3002, the Martin Luther King, Jr. Celebration and Juneteenth Celebration Advisory Committee's Bylaws, the Brown Act, and Rules of Order

Deferred to the next meeting.

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Item A-4

MLKJCC - Receipt and Filing of an Evaluation from the Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration & Juneteenth Celebration Advisory Committee Members Concerning the Juneteenth Event that took Place on June 21, 2025

Deferred to the next meeting.

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Item A-5

MLKJCC - Receipt and Filing of the Report Regarding the 2026 Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration Budget

Deferred to the next meeting.

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Item A-6

MLKJCC - (1) Approval of a Venue for the 2026 Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration; and (2) Approval of the date and time for the 2026 Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration

Deferred to the next meeting.

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Item A-7

MLKJCC - Adoption of Motions to (1) Appoint/Reappoint Members to Serve on Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration & Juneteenth Celebration Ad Hoc Subcommittees; and (2) Provide Updates, if any

Deferred to the next meeting.

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Item A-8

MLKJCC - Receipt and Filing of the Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration and Juneteenth Celebration Advisory Committee 2025 Meeting Calendar and the Upcoming Agenda Items List, With Adjustments, If Any

Deferred to the next meeting.

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# Public Comment - Items NOT On the Agenda (Continued)

None.

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Items from Members/Staff

None.

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## Adjournment

There being no further business, at 7:40 P.M., the Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration and Juneteenth Celebration Advisory Committee adjourned to a meeting to be held on July 23, 2025.

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Dorian Jackson

SECRETARY of the Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration and Juneteenth Celebration Advisory Committee

APPROVED		

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#### LATOYA HEARNS

CITY CLERK

CHAIR of the Culver City Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration and Juneteenth Celebration Advisory Committee 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, Culver City, California and constitute the Official Minutes of said meeting.

Jeremy Bocc	hino	Date