

City of Culver City

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Staff Report

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CAC - 1) Update from Culver City Artist Laureate Katy Krantz on Projects and Activities for 2024; and, 2) Provide Comments as Appropriate

Meeting Date: January 16, 2024

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Fiscal Impact: Yes [] No [X] General Fund: Yes [] No []

Public Hearing: [] Action Item: [X] Attachments: Yes [X] No []

Public Notification: Meetings and Agendas - Cultural Affairs Commission (01/11/24); Culver City

Arts Foundation (01/11/24)

Department Approval: Jeremy Bocchino, City Clerk (01/11/24)

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends the Cultural Affairs Commission (CAC) receive the presentation and make comments as appropriate.

BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION

Katy Krantz was appointed Culver City Artist Laureate by the City Council on January 9, 2023 for a two-year term ending December 31, 2024. The Ad Hoc Artist Laureate Subcommittee (Chair Fleischer and Commissioner Wisnosky Stehlin) have conducted regular meetings with Ms. Krantz and staff to discuss the role of Artist Laureate as cultural ambassador, current community projects, future activities, and collaboration opportunities with Culver City Arts Foundation (Culver Arts).

The Subcommittee requested that Ms. Krantz prepare status reports and make verbal presentations to the Cultural Affairs Commission on a semi-annual basis. Ms. Krantz will present a verbal update during the Commission meeting.

FISCAL ANALYSIS

Other than staff time, there are no additional costs associated with this agenda item.

ATTACHMENTS

None.

RECOMMENDED MOTIONS

That the Cultural Affairs Commission:

Receive the information and make comments as appropriate.