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San Francisco Arts Commission Meeting

May 1, 2023

Item 1: Call to Order, Roll Call, Agenda Changes, Land Acknowledgement

- Call to order
- Roll call / Confirmation of quorum
- Agenda Changes
- Ramaytush Ohlone Land Acknowledgement

Land Acknowledgement

The San Francisco Arts Commission acknowledges that we are on the unceded ancestral homeland of the Ramaytush Ohlone who are the original inhabitants of the San Francisco Peninsula. As the indigenous stewards of this land and in accordance with their traditions, the Ramaytush Ohlone have never ceded, lost nor forgotten their responsibilities as the caretakers of this place, as well as for all peoples who reside in their traditional territory. As guests, we recognize that we benefit from living and working on their traditional homeland. We wish to pay our respects by acknowledging the ancestors, elders and relatives of the Ramaytush Community and by affirming their sovereign rights as First Peoples. As a department dedicated to promoting a diverse and equitable Arts and Culture environment in San Francisco, we are committed to supporting the traditional and contemporary evolution of the American Indian community.



Antone Family (Tohono O'odham), 2019, Photo by Hulleah Tsinhnahjinnie
Left to right: Christine [seated], Melanie, Michelle and Arianna

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Item 2: Approval of Minutes

Discussion and Possible Action

Motion to Approve April 3, 2023 Minutes

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Item 3: General Public Comment

Discussion

(This item is to allow members of the public to comment generally on matters within the Committee's purview as well as to suggest new agenda items for the committee's consideration.)

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Item 4: Director's Report

Discussion

Staff Presenter: Director of Cultural Affairs Ralph Remington

Presentation Time: Approximately 10 minutes



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Recent Highlights



presented by Lorraine Hansberry Theatre & Museum of the African Diaspora

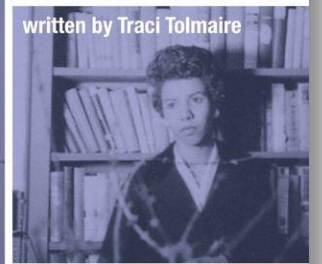


co-created & directed by Margo Hall



In the Evening By the Moonlight

a staged reading



written by Traci Tolmaire



with Q&A from creative team



April 8, 2023



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Community Investments Updates



**Community Investments
FY23 Cultural Equity Initiatives Grant Program**

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Gallery Updates



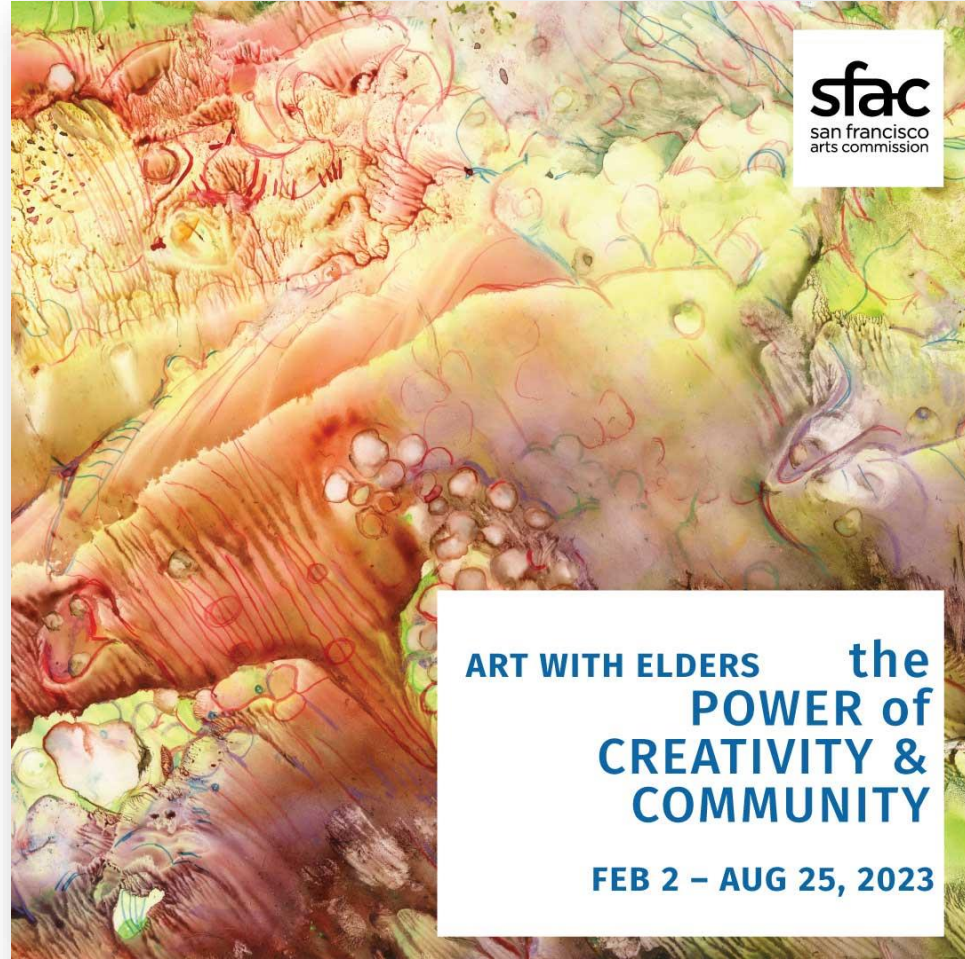
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POWER of
CREATIVITY &
COMMUNITY**

FEB 2 – AUG 25, 2023

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Public Art Updates

Art That Transports:

HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE CENTRAL SUBWAY
PUBLIC ART COLLECTION

AWA

Art Market
San Francisco
April 20–23, 2023

Artists in
Conversation

April 22, 2-3 p.m.

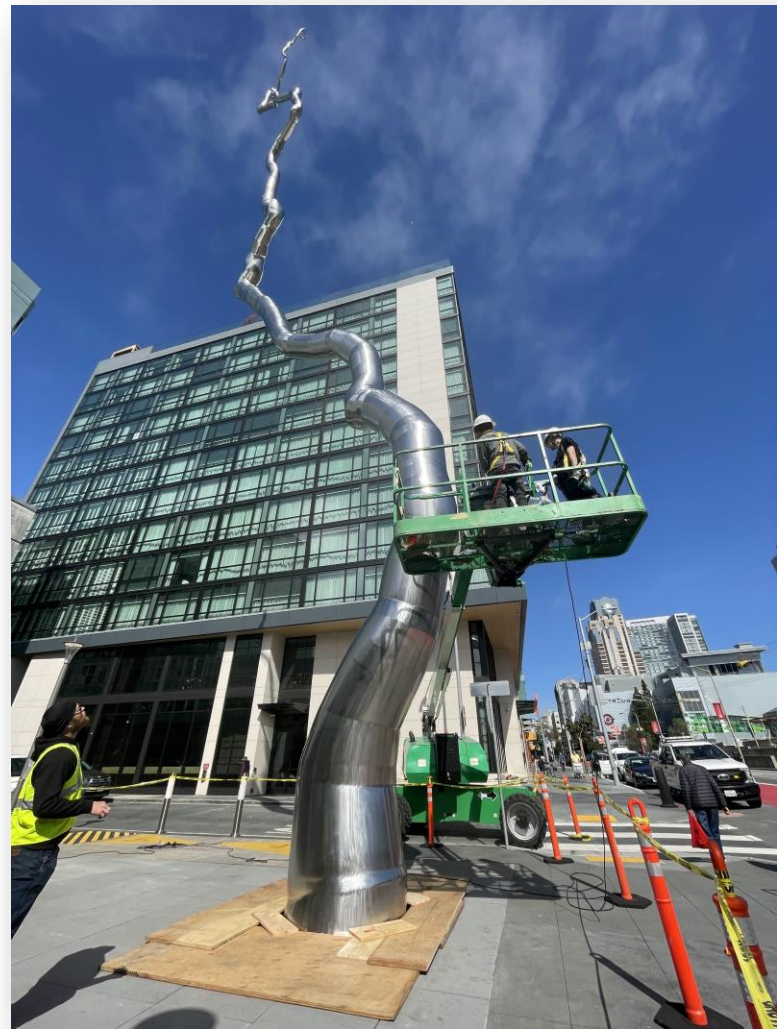
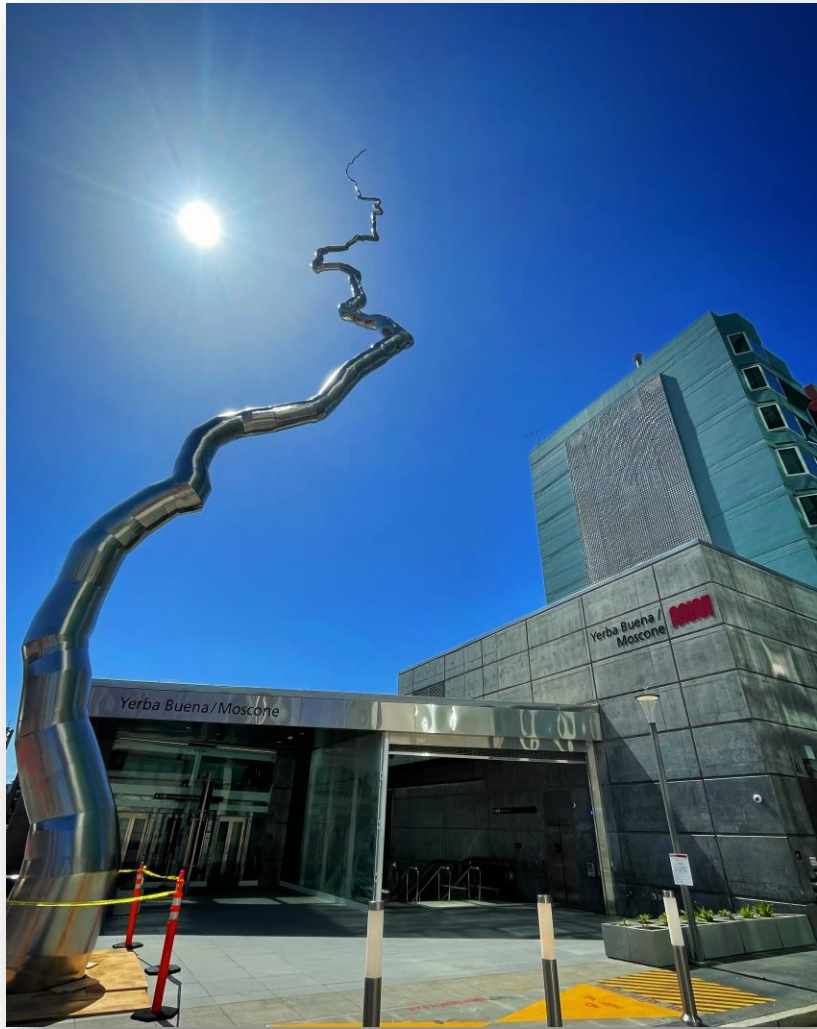
Moderated by:
Mary Chou

Featuring Central
Subway Artists:

Leslie Shows
Amanda Hughen
- (Hughen/Starkweather)
Yumei Hou

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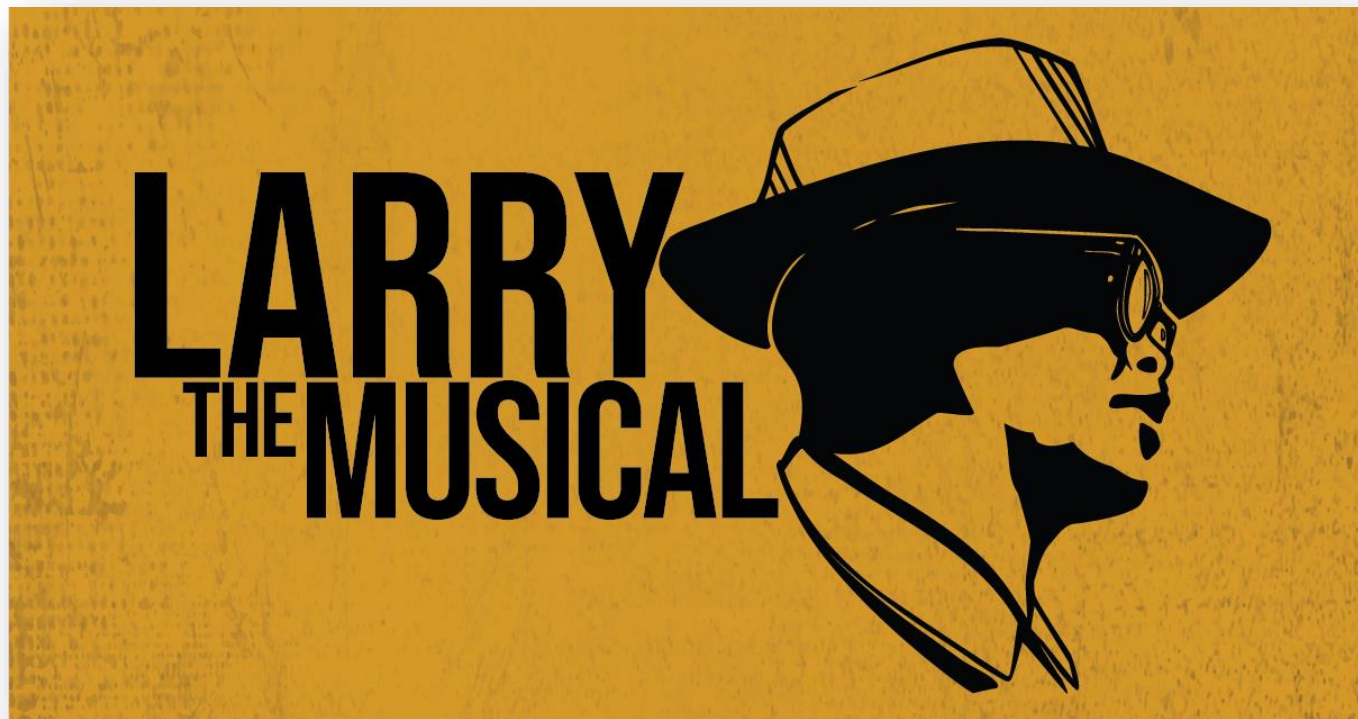






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Other Announcements





Linda Cheu
Project Director/Manager
AECOM



Martin Cohen
Planning Process Leader
CPG



Lisa Abboud
Facilitation & Engagement
InterEthnica



Francisco Refuerzo
Deputy Project Manager
AECOM



Sean Tapia
Research, Data & Equity
AECOM

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Questions & Public Comments

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Item 5: Committee Reports and Committee Matters

Discussion

Item 5, Subitem 1

Community Investments Committee Report

Discussion

Report from the Community Investments Committee regarding activities and updates of the committee.

Presenter: Commissioner Shiota

Presentation Time: Approximately 10 minutes

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Item 5, Subitem 2

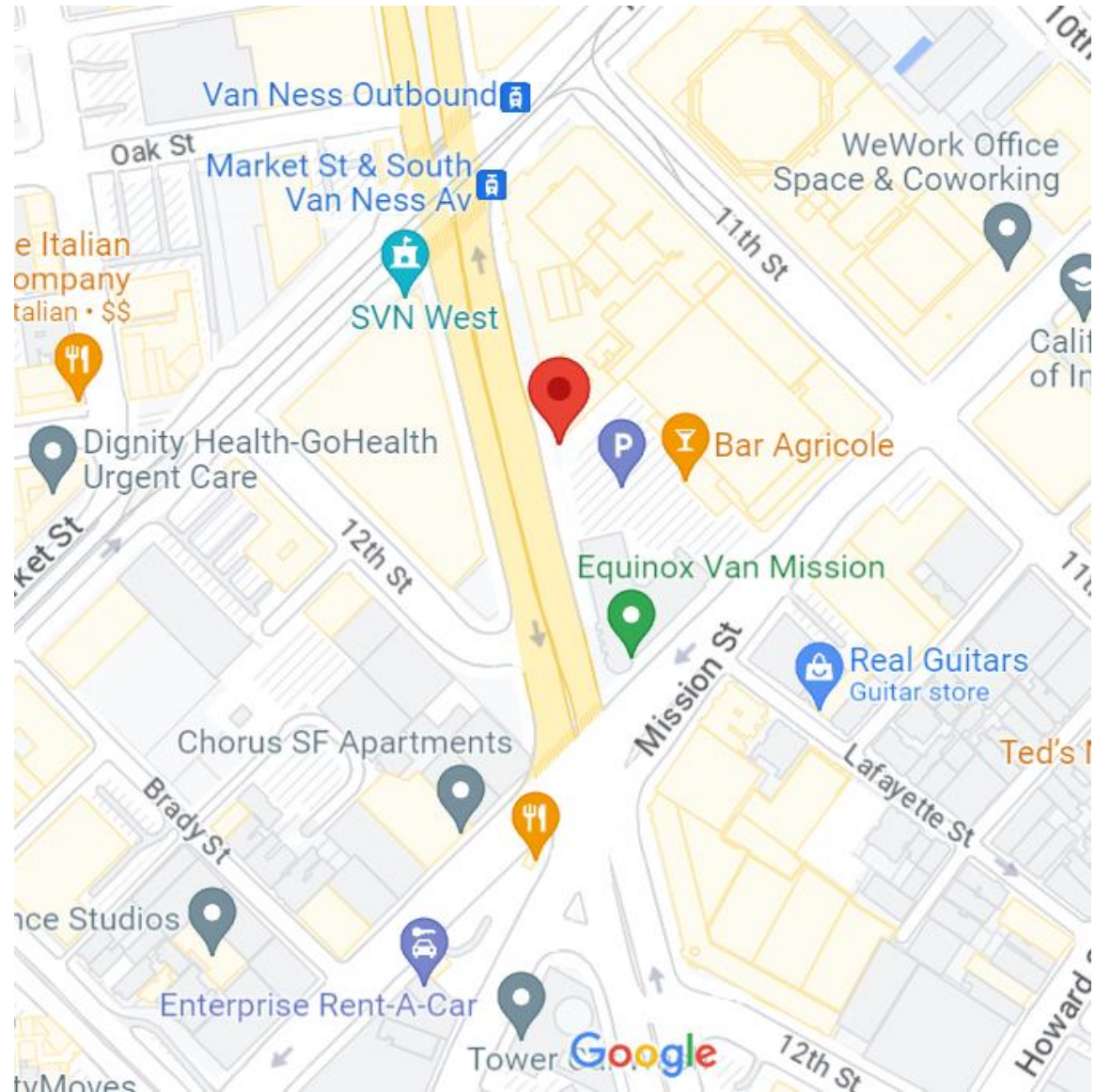
Visual Arts Committee Report

Discussion

Report from the Visual Arts Committee regarding activities of the Committee and the Program.

Presenter: Commissioner Ferras

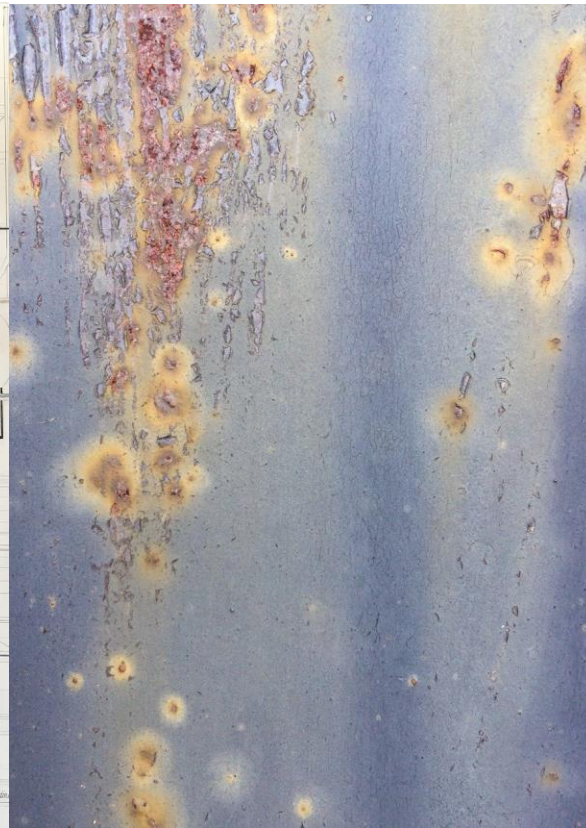
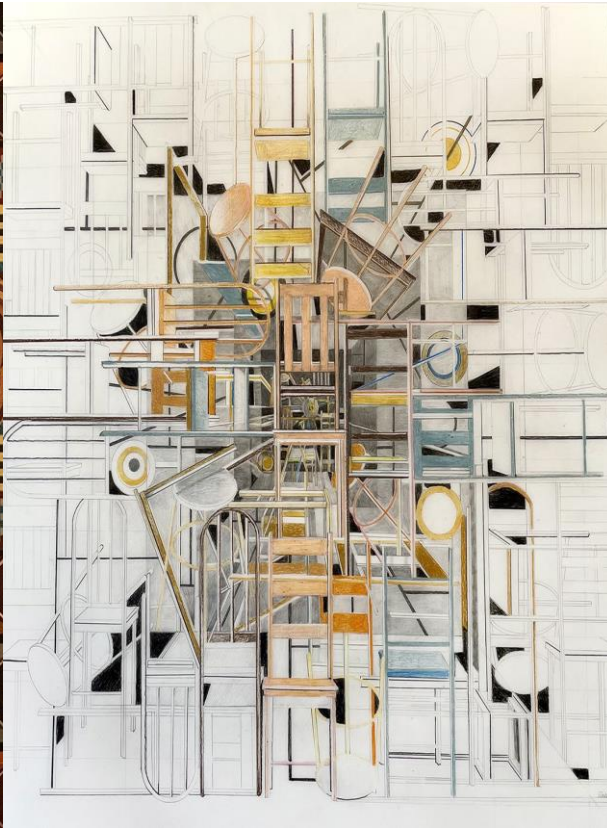
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**Zeina Barakeh
Video Artwork
Concept**

Sample of 49SVN 2D Purchases



Vincent Escareno, *The Basketmaker*, 2018, Oil on canvas, 30 in x 30 in,

Sheila Ghidini, *Shelter in Place 20*, 2021, Graphite and colored pencil drawing, 29 in x 26 in

Victoria Heilweil *Mariposa Street, San Francisco*, 2018, Archival Pigment Print on Watercolor Paper, 36 in x 24 in

William Rhodes & Emory Douglas, *African American Solidarity Quilt*, 2021, Paint, pencil, pen and fabric, 60 in x 72 in x .5 in,

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Item 6: Consent Calendar

Action

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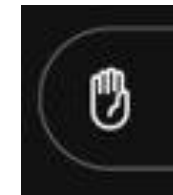
Item 7: New Business and Announcements

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(This item is to allow Commissioners to introduce new agenda items for consideration.)

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Item 8: Adjournment

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