



# CITY OF MERCED

Merced Civic Center  
678 W. 18th Street  
Merced, CA 95340

## Meeting Agenda

### Arts and Culture Advisory Commission

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Thursday, January 16, 2025

4:00 PM

City Council Chamber, 2nd Floor, Merced Civic  
Center, 678 W. 18th Street, Merced, CA 95340

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#### NOTICE TO PUBLIC

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#### **PUBLIC COMMENT: OBTAIN SPEAKER CARD FROM THE BOARD/COMMISSION CLERK**

Members of the audience who wish to address the Board/Commission are requested to complete a speaker card available at the podium against the back of the Council Chamber. Please submit the completed card to the Board/Commission Clerk before the item is called, preferably before the meeting begins.

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#### **A. CALL TO ORDER**

#### **B. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

#### **C. ROLL CALL**

#### **D. PUBLIC COMMENT**

Members of the public who wish to speak on any matter not listed on the agenda may speak during this portion of the meeting and will be allotted 3 minutes. State law prohibits the Board/Commission from acting at this meeting on any matter raised during the public comment period. Members of the public who wish to speak on a matter that is listed on the agenda will be called upon to speak during discussion of that item.

## E. CONSENT CALENDAR

Adoption of the Consent Calendar may be made by one motion of the Board/Commission, provided that any Member, individual, or organization may request removal of an item from the Consent Calendar for separate consideration. If a request for removal of an item from the Consent Calendar has been received, the item will be discussed and voted on separately.

- E.1. [25-083](#)      **SUBJECT:** Arts and Culture Advisory Commission Minutes of July 18, 2024 and November 26, 2024

### REPORT IN BRIEF

Arts and Culture Advisory Commission Minutes from the meeting of July 18, 2024 and November 26, 2024.

### RECOMMENDATION

**Arts and Culture Advisory Commission** - Adopt a motion approving and filing the Arts and Culture Advisory Commission minutes of July 18, 2024 and November 26, 2024.

## F. REPORTS

- F.1. [25-080](#)      **SUBJECT:** Request from Commissioner Camarda for Information on Revitalizing the Merced Art Hop

### REPORT IN BRIEF

Request from Commissioner Camarda for information on revitalizing the Merced Art Hop.

### RECOMMENDATION

Information Only.

- F.2. [25-081](#)      **SUBJECT:** Request from Vice Chair Dennis to Review Next Steps for Creating Arts Districts in the City of Merced

### REPORT IN BRIEF

Discuss Vice Chair Dennis's request to review next steps for creating arts districts in the City of Merced.

### RECOMMENDATION

Information only. Should the Commission want to take further action a separate agenda item will be prepared for consideration and possible action.

F.3. [25-082](#)      **SUBJECT: Report on a Proposed Art Maintenance Plan**

**REPORT IN BRIEF**

Staff to provide a report on a proposed City of Merced sponsored public art maintenance fund.

**RECOMMENDATION**

Information Only.

**G. BUSINESS**

G.1. [24-930](#)      **SUBJECT: Request to Add Item to Future Agenda**

**REPORT IN BRIEF**

Provides members of the Arts and Culture Advisory Commission to request that an item be placed on a future Arts and Culture Advisory Commission agenda for initial consideration by the Boards/Commissions.

G.2. [23-268](#)      **SUBJECT: Commission Comments**

**REPORT IN BRIEF**

Provides an opportunity for the Chair and/or Member(s) to make a brief announcement on any activity(ies) she/he has attended on behalf of the Commission and to make a brief announcement on future community events and/or activities. The Brown Act does not allow discussion or action by the legislative body under this section.

**H. ADJOURNMENT**