



City of Doral Cultural Affairs Advisory Board Minutes

Monday, September 16, 2019
6:00 p.m.

Doral Government Center
3rd Floor Training Room
8401 N.W. 53rd Terrace
Doral, FL 33166

1. **Call to Order**

Meeting was called to order at 6:01 p.m.

2. **Roll Call of Board Members**

Carmen Ramos, Chair	Present
Isabel Del Castillo, Vice Chair	Present
Mariela Kronen, Secretary	Present
Katty Acon, Board Member	Present
Michelle Woodward, Board Member	Absent

Also present were:

Diana Maldonado, Parks & Recreation Department
Laura Medina, Parks & Recreation Department

3. **Pledge of Allegiance**

4. **Public Comments**

There were no comments made during the public comment section.

5. **Approval of Minutes**

Motion to approve the June 3rd, 2019 meeting minutes made by board member Isabel Del Castillo and seconded by board member Mariela Kronen. By consensus, motion passes unanimously.

6. **Discussion Items**

a. **Presentation: Alegria Performance Art Conservatory**

Ms. Marielly Ramirez introduced herself to the board and gave a brief background on what exactly she does. She informed the board that she is trying to develop through dance an awareness of Latin American art & culture, Latin American dances and

Hispanic dances, such as the flamenco. The board agreed on having a dance performance event. **Motion to approve the presentation of a dance event by Alegria Performance Art Conservatory** made by Carmen Ramos and seconded by Mariela Kronen. By consensus, motion passes unanimously. More will be discussed at the next meeting.

b. Discussion: Developing Local Theatre Productions

Ms. Diana Maldonado informed the board that the Parks & Recreation department is currently working on Shakespeare in the Parks and they are working with 'Florida Shakespeare Theatre'. It's going to be a three-day play of the Macbeth, which will take place in January 10-12, 2020 at Downtown Doral Park. Also, there is a going to be an exhibit leading up to Shakespeare in the Parks, which will include costumes from Shakespeare plays.

c. Discussion: Short Film Events

Board member Mariela Kronen updated the board regarding the short film events. She informed the board that she's been in contact with local people that she knows that are in programming, but they haven't been able to offer anything due to them not having rights for that. They did suggest looking into Doral Academy Prep because they have a film department and the students are putting a lot of things together. The board is going to gather more information. More will be discussed at the next meeting.

d. Update: Upcoming Parks & Recreation Events

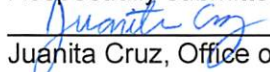
The board discussed the Parks & Recreation events that will be occurring within the next couple of months.

e. Open Discussion

7. Future Meeting Date: Monday, November 4, 2019 at 6:00 p.m.

8. Adjournment: Meeting adjourns at 6:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,




Juanita Cruz, Office of the City Clerk

Motion to approve the minutes of the September 16, 2019 Cultural Affairs Advisory Board Meeting made by Board Member Isabel Del Castillo and seconded by Board Member Michelle Woodward.

Chair Carmen Ramos
Vice Chair Isabel Del Castillo
Secretary Mariela Kronen
Board Member Katty Acon
Board Member Michelle Woodward

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APPROVED and ADOPTED this 4th of November 2019.



Carmen Ramos, Chair