



MINUTES

Richland Arts Commission Workshop

Richland Community Center

500 Amon Park Drive

Wednesday, February 19, 2025 ~ 6:00 p.m.

CALL TO ORDER:

Chair Richardson called the meeting to order at 6:02 p.m.

ATTENDANCE:

Chair Richardson	Present
Vice Chair Rice	Present
Commissioners Reyna	Present
Commissioner Forbes	Present
Commissioner Ponte	Not Present
Commissioner Reynolds	Present
Commissioner Staven	Not Present

Council Liaison Whitten, Recreation Manager Piper, and Administrative Assistant II Roe also attended.

DISCUSSION ITEMS:

1. STAR Awards for 2024

The Commission reviewed the STAR (Support the Arts Recognition) Awards program for 2024, discussing the timeline, nomination criteria, and possible award categories. Commissioners brainstormed potential honorees and discussed whether to host an in-person ceremony or announce recipients through a virtual platform or City Council presentation. Staff will develop a timeline and nomination form for further review at the next meeting.

2. Upcoming Arts Commission Vacancies

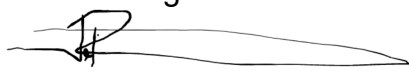
Staff informed the Commission of upcoming vacancies due to term expirations. Commissioners discussed potential outreach strategies to encourage applications from diverse community members passionate about the arts. Suggestions included promoting the opportunity through the City's website, social media, local arts organizations, and community events.

ADJOURNMENT:

The meeting adjourned at 6:23 PM

Prepared by: 
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Reviewed by: 
Julie Piper, Recreation Manager

Approved by: 
Jet Richardson, Arts Commission Chair