

NOTICE OF SPECIAL MEETING

Pursuant to Section 54956 of the Government Code of the State of California, a Special Meeting of the **TRACY ARTS COMMISSION** is hereby called for:

Date/Time: **Saturday, September 6, 2014 at 9:00 a.m.**
(or as soon thereafter as possible)

Location: **Grand Theatre Center for the Arts, 2nd Floor Lobby**
715 Central Ave., Tracy, CA

Government Code Section 54954.3 states that every public meeting shall provide an opportunity for the public to address the Tracy Arts Commission on any item, before or during consideration of the item, however no action shall be taken on any item not on the agenda.

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Items from the Audience - *In accordance with Procedures for Preparation, Posting and Distribution of Agendas and the Conduct of Public Meetings, adopted by Resolution 2008-140 any item not on the agenda brought up by the public at a meeting, shall be automatically referred to staff. If staff is not able to resolve the matter satisfactorily, the member of the public may request a **Tracy Arts Commission Member** to sponsor the item for discussion at a future meeting.*
4. Conduct Awards Judging Process of the Youth Arts Exhibition/Competition
5. Adjournment

POSTED: August 29, 2014

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CITY OF TRACY
TRACY ARTS COMMISSION - SPECIAL MEETING
September 6, 2014

AGENDA ITEM 4.

REQUEST

**CONDUCT AWARDS JUDGING PROCESS OF THE YOUTH ARTS
EXHIBITION/COMPETITION**

DISCUSSION

The Tracy Chamber of Commerce is presenting the Taste of the Valley Art and Food Festival in downtown Tracy on September 6th and 7th, 2014. Commissioner Paget has introduced the festival to the Commission and other community groups as a planner of this new event. The festival is being designed to include visual and performing arts components, and local artists and organizations are being encouraged to participate.

In June, Chamber representatives requested that the TAC support the festival and serve as Judges for the associated Youth Art Exhibit/Competition, entitled Visions of Tracy, being presented in collaboration with the Grand Theatre Center for the Arts. In July the TAC nominated four Commissioners to serve as awards judges at the event on September 6th. The judging process will begin at 9 am and awards will be announced to the public at 1 pm.

FISCAL IMPACT

There is no fiscal impact to the General Fund for this item at this time.

RECOMMENDATION

Conduct Awards Judging Process of the Youth Arts Exhibition/Competition

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Reviewed By: Kim Scarlata, Recreation Services Program Manager

Approved By: Kim Scarlata, Recreation Services Program Manager