

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: **Monday, June 15, 2015, 7:00 p.m.**
(or as soon thereafter as possible)

Location: **Grand Theatre Center for the Arts, GWF Energy Gallery**
715 Central Avenue, Tracy, CA 95376

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 2015-052, 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. Correspondence
5. New Business
 - A. Review and Approve Headliner Acts, Community Collaborators and Hospitality Vendors Recommendations for Tracy Arts and Cultural Festival
6. Items from the Commission
7. Items from Staff
8. Adjournment

POSTED: June 11, 2015

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**CITY OF TRACY
TRACY ARTS COMMISSION MEETING
June 15, 2015**

AGENDA ITEM 5.a.

REQUEST

**REVIEW AND APPROVE HEADLINER ACTS, COMMUNITY COLLABORATORS
AND HOSPITALITY VENDORS RECOMMENDATIONS FOR TRACY ARTS AND
CULTURAL FESTIVAL**

DISCUSSION

The Commission will present the Tracy Arts and Cultural Festival as the final event of the 2015 Music in the Park summer concert series to be held on Saturday, August 1st from 10 AM to 2 PM in Lincoln Park. The Tracy Arts and Cultural Festival pilot event will present three invited headlining acts to perform on stage for 40 to 45 minutes each.

At the Commission meeting on May 12th, Commissioners voiced support for a Latin Band, high-energy dance act, and a popular performer from a past Music in the Park concert. The Commission requested that the SES recommend three acts for discussion at the meeting on June 9th. At the Commission meeting on June 9th, Commissioners agreed to hold a Special Meeting on June 15th to finalize the Headlining Acts, invited Community Groups and Vendors to provide food and beverage services at the event.

The Commission has approved a \$6,000 budget for the 2015 Festival with an appropriation of \$3,000 from the anticipated FY15-16 budget and a \$3,000 fundraising goal. Staff has estimated expenses as such:

\$2,500	Main Stage/Headliner Talent Fees
\$2,000	Tents/Booths/Tables/Chairs/Etc.
\$1,000	Marketing/Promotions
\$500	Insurance/Hospitality/Labor/Misc.

FISCAL IMPACT

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

RECOMENDATION

Review and Approve Headliner Acts, Community Collaborators and Hospitality Vendors
Recommendations for Tracy Arts and Cultural Festival

Prepared By: William Wilson, Cultural Arts Manager – Visual Arts

Reviewed By: Kim Scarlata, Division Manager II

Approved By: Kim Scarlata, Division Manager II

ATTACHMENT: Exhibit A

**Exhibit A:
Tracy Arts and Cultural Festival Recommendations Worksheet**

Headliner Acts:

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| 1. | Ruckatan (Bay Area Latin & Reggae Band) | SES Recommendation 5/19/15 |
| 2. | Kukoo G. Singh (Bay Area Indian Band) | SES Recommendation 5/19/15 |
| 3. | | |
| Alt 1. | Andre Theirry (Bay Area Zydeco/Blues Band) | SES Recommendation 5/19/15 |
| Alt 2. | | |

Potential performers include:

Tracy Performing Arts Foundation
Tracy Reparatory Theatre
Academy of Performing Arts
Children's Dance Theatre
Siva Polynesian
Khemya MitRahina African Drum & Dance

Community Collaborators:

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| 1. | West Side Pioneers/Tracy Historical Museum
- artifacts/objects display
- historical labor presentation | TAC Recommendation 6/9/15 |
| 2. | Tracy Art League & Tracy Camera Club
- visual art exhibit
- photography exhibit | TAC Recommendation 6/9/15 |
| 3. | Tracy Sister City Association
- artifacts/objects/memorabilia display
- Memuro, Japan and the Portuguese community
- student ambassador program | TAC Recommendation 6/9/15 |
| 4. | TBD | |
| 5. | TBD | |
| 6. | TBD | |

Alt 1.

Alt 2.

Potential collaborators include:

Mountain House Asian-American Association

South Side Community Organization

Tracy Friends of the Library / Mountain House Friends of the Library

Tracy Animal Shelter

Tracy United to Make a Difference

Tracy African-American Association

Tracy Indian Women's Association

Hospitality Vendors:

1. Volcano Drinks

TAC Recommendation 6/9/15

2. TBD

3. TBD

4. TBD

Alt 1.

Alt 2.