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Rebecca Solverson, Public Art Specialist  
Naomi Strom-Avila, Funding & Cultural Programs Manager

# Agenda

## Tacoma Arts Commission

Office of Arts & Cultural Vitality  
Community & Economic Development Dept.

**Date: March 13, 2023**

**Time: 5:00 pm**

**Location: Virtual and in-person (see below)**



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### INFORMATION ABOUT VIRTUAL AND IN-PERSON LOCATIONS

**Virtual** - The meeting can be attended at

<https://zoom.us/j/98169721348?pwd=aU91ZEdLZExzU2tuS2dZVUF5R3cvUT09>, Passcode: 299982, or by dialing (253) 215-8782 and entering the webinar ID 981 6972 1348 when prompted. Microphones will be muted and cameras turned off for all meeting attendees, except for the Commissioners, staff, and presenters.

**In-person** - The meeting can be attended at the Tacoma Municipal Building, 747 Market Street, Room 248

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*Assigned times are approximate. The Chair reserves the right to alter the order of the agenda.*

<b>1. Call to Order</b>	Chair Kula	5:00
Land acknowledgement		
<b>2. Consent Agenda</b>	Chair Kula	5:01
Excusal of Absences, Meeting Agenda 03/13/23, Meeting Minutes 02/13/23		
<b>3. Chair's Report/Housekeeping</b>	Chair Kula	5:02
<b>4. Public Comment on Agenda Items</b>	Attendees	5:15
<b>5. Action Items</b>		
2023-25 Tacoma Poet Laureate Recommendation	Chevi Chung	5:20
Mural Artist Roster Artist Selection		5:35
	Rebecca Solverson & Commissioners Brown and Hoppe	
2023-24 Tacoma Artists Initiative Program Funding Recommendations		5:50
	Naomi Strom-Avila & Commissioner Neal	

## 6. Discussion/Updates

Council Coffee – Role Playing and Sign-ups 6:05  
Staff & Commissioners Scott and Stump

Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Subcommittee Staff & Commissioners 6:35

## 7. Staff Check-In

Staff 6:45

Staff Projects Overview and Updates

Public Art Updates

Tacoma Creates

## 8. Report Back

Commissioners 6:55

Advocacy Reports

Funded Project Updates/Arts Events Attended

Future Agenda Items for Consideration

## 9. Adjourn

7:00

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### INFORMATION ABOUT PUBLIC COMMENT

The public may give oral comments related to agenda items at the beginning of the meeting. Speakers will have anywhere from 90 seconds to three minutes to provide comment, depending on the available time on the agenda. Or, the public may submit general comments in writing by 5:00 pm one day prior to the meeting. Written comments should be emailed to [nstrom-avila@cityoftacoma.org](mailto:nstrom-avila@cityoftacoma.org) and include “TAC Meeting 03/13/23” in the subject line.

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