1. **Call to Order**

Chair Maestas called the meeting to order. Chair Maestas recognized that the meeting was held on Indigenous land: the traditional homelands of the Puyallup people.

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“We gratefully acknowledge that we rest on the traditional lands of the Puyallup People where they make their home and speak the Lushootseed language.”
2. **Consent Agenda**

Commissioners Neal and Stump had an excused absence.

Vice Chair Maestas asked for a motion to approve the meeting agenda.

Motion: Commissioner Pew  
Second: Commissioner Scott  
Motion: Carried

3. **Public Comment on Agenda Items**

There were no public comments on agenda items.

4. **Introduction**

Chair Maestas and Vice Chair Samuel welcomed everyone and shared that the purpose of the retreat was to team build and to develop a stronger understanding of the Commission’s work.

5. **Icebreaker Discussion**

Each Commissioner and staff took turns sharing an item they would contribute to a pretend welcome packet for people who are new to Tacoma.

6. **Small Group Teambuilding Discussions**

Commissioners and staff broke in to groups to learn more about each other, discover things they have in common and ways in which they are unique, talk about what brings them joy, and share their arts vision for Tacoma.

7. **Discussion Share Out and Closing**

Commissioners shared out some of their arts visions and aspirations for Tacoma.

8. **Adjourn**

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