Denver Commission on Cultural Affairs Monthly Meeting
November 10, 2026, 4:00 – 6:00pm
Champa Arts Building – 1st Floor Community Room
1245 Champa St., Denver, 80204

4:00	Call to Order	Nikki Swarn
4:05	Approval of October 6, 2026, Minutes	Nikki Swarn

COMMISSION BUSINESS

4:10	Legal Review of Panel Participation Presentations	Gretchen Hollrah

PUBLIC ART VOTING ITEMS

4:20	VOTE: Consent Agenda Items Proposed Motion: To recommend consent agenda selection panels for November 2026: Santa Fe, Harvey Park, Stanford and Balsam Park, Washington Street, Globeville, Sloan's Lake Boathouse, DPD District 6, Eugene Field Library, DEN-PATH, Hampden Library	Jeannene Bragg
4:35	VOTE: Bridge of Recycling Fountain Proposed Motion: To recommend the work for Deaccession	Meg Pursell
4:50	VOTE: *Flourishing Community*, Emanuel Martinez Proposed Motion: To recommend Deaccession Stipulation proposal Budget: $90,000	Meg Pursell

DIVISION UPDATES

5:05	Public Art Update – Public Art Process	Jeannene Bragg
5:15	Cultural Affairs Updates	Megan Gilby/Anna Ghublikian

COMMISSION UPDATES

5:20	Agenda Items for Retreat	Nikki Swarn
5:30	Share Outs Through Chairs	Rachel Garcia
5:40	Commissioner Shout Outs	Rachel Garcia
5:50	Adjourn	Rachel Garcia

Next Meeting: December 8, 2026 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM
Location: VIRTUAL

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DCCA GOALS

DCCA RESPONSIBILITIES	2026 - 2027 GOALS
Community Representation	Serve on grant selection panels
Representing EDI Values & All Residents	Share grant and commission opportunities
Annual Goal Setting	Set annual goals
1% for Public Art	Serve on 1% PA selection panels and vote on 1% related motions
Stewards of the City's Cultural Plan	Support implementation of DENVER CREATES, Denver's Cultural Plan

MINUTES ASSIGNMENTS

If you are unable to make your assigned date, please let Georgina know.

~~September 1, 2026~~	~~Matt Tebo~~
~~October 6, 2026 (Virtual)~~	~~Buba Bashishvili~~
November 10, 2026	Jada Suzanne Dixon
December 8, 2025 (Virtual)	Marisa Hollingsworth
January 12, 2027	Sarah Hogan
February 19, 2027 (Retreat)	Will Holden / tara jae
March 2, 2027	Elizabeth Macy
April 6, 2027 (Virtual)	Daisy Fodness-McGowan
May 4, 2027	Dan Manzanares
June 1, 2027	Joshua Margolin
July 13, 2027 (Virtual)	Tran Nguyen-Wills
August 3, 2027	David Olguin

Backups minute takers: Such Charles, Alicia Sweeney, Bruce Trujillo

Upcoming Events
All events can be found online on the Events Calendar.

Ticket requests can be made for the following productions:
Broadway
Colorado Symphony
Opera Colorado
Colorado Ballet

Denver Arts & Venues continues to be able to offer a limited selection of complementary tickets to our venues. Due to the success of sponsorships and an increase of requests from the Mayor's Office (who also fulfill community requests), we can continue to accept ticket requests for performances by the Colorado Symphony, Opera Colorado and Colorado Ballet, but no longer have capacity to fulfill ticket requests at our other venues. As always, ticket requests will be filled on a space available basis.