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ARTS DISTRICT LOS ANGELES

ADLA MINUTES

Wednesday, July 17, 2024, 1:30 p.m.

Art Share LA
801 E. 4th Place
Los Angeles, CA 90013

- I. **Call to Order**
Chairman Frank Gallo welcomed everyone and called the meeting to order at 1:38 p.m.
- II. **Public Comment**
Gallo asked for public comment and/or Board comment, seeing none he moved on.
- III. **Approval of ADLA Board Meeting Minutes**
Gallo called for approval of the minutes from May 2024. Bhavnani motioned to approve the minutes, which were seconded by Phillips. The minutes were approved unanimously.
- IV. **Public Safety Report**
Gallo asked for the public safety report, but seeing as the Senior Lead Officer was not present, Gallo moved on.
- V. **Presentations**
Gallo asked for presentations. Danielle Valentino from Metro introduced herself and presented the proposed Link Union Station (Link US). In the presentation, she explained the project's new proposed tracks and the locations it will impact, including parts of the Arts District by the riverbank. The project is currently in its environmental study phase. She encouraged the group to submit public comments, preferably by August 9 for input to be reflected in the draft document. Gallo thanked Valentino.
- VI. **Artist Report**
Gallo asked for an artist report. Mitchell updated the group that there are discussions about the beginnings of a mural. She also proposed taking a few minutes in future meetings to speak about issues related to the cultural space in the neighborhood. She expressed that artists are trickling away and that the Board should do more to support artists in these spaces. Rothenberg suggested hosting a chalk art festival and promoting similar events in the neighborhood.
- VII. **LARABA Update**
Gallo asked for a LARABA update, but seeing as there was not a LARABA representative present, he moved on.

VIII. New Business

Gallo asked for new business, but seeing as there were no comments, he moved on.

IX. Meeting Adjourn

Gallo concluded the meeting at 1:58 p.m.

Board Member Attendance

BOARD OF DIRECTORS	PRESENT	ABSENT	BOARD OF DIRECTORS	PRESENT	ABSENT
Pouya Abdi		X	Chris Pearson		X
Yuval Bar-Zemer		X	Lauren Phillips	X	
Dilip Bhavnani	X		Matthew Quiat	X	
Frank Gallo	X		Mark Rothenberg	X	
David Greenberg	X		Cindy Schwarzstein		X
Paul Holliday	X		Michael Soroudi		X
Dennis Kim	X		David Stahl	X	
Matt Klein	X		Beth Stryker	X	
Rebecca Liu-Morales	X		Lisa Vacca-Brown		X
Matthew Marquez	X		Shep Wainwright		X
Valerie Mitchell	X		Thomas Wulf		X
Adam Normandin		X			