

**CITY OF WEST HOLLYWOOD  
WOMEN'S ADVISORY BOARD**

**SPECIAL TELEVISED MEETING AGENDA**

**MONDAY**, November 10, 2014 at 7:00 p.m.

*Location: Public Meeting Room, City Council Chambers  
West Hollywood Library  
625 N. San Vicente Blvd  
West Hollywood, CA 90069*

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**I. CALL TO ORDER:**

- A. Roll Call
- B. Short Introduction of the Board

**II. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES:**

**III. ITEMS FROM THE PUBLIC:**

Members of the public are invited to address the Board on any subject for 2 minutes.

**IV. SPECIAL PRESENTATION: (10-15 min)**

In honor of Veteran's Day, Erin Huey, United States Army Veteran, will give a presentation regarding the needs of women and LGBT veterans and discuss ways to assist all veterans locally.

**V. UNFINISHED BUSINESS:**

**A. West Hollywood Report on the Status of Women (5-10 min)**

Update regarding the Board's review of the *West Hollywood Report on the Status of Women*.

**Recommendation:** Review and Discuss.

**B. National Women's History Month 2015 (10 – 15 min)**

Updates regarding program development for the City's annual National Women's History Month celebration during the month of March 2015.

**Recommendation:** Review and Discuss.

**VI. NEW BUSINESS**

**A. One Billion Rising Campaign 2015 (5-10 min)**

Presentation from Lindsey Horvath, Regional Coordinator, One Billions Rising –Los Angeles, regarding the 2015 global campaign to end violence against

women. Discussion of ways the Board can participate and support the campaign.

**Recommendation:** Review and Discuss.

**B. SUPPORT FOR THE US NATIONAL COMMITTEE FOR UN WOMEN (15-20 min)**

Cathy Hillman, Founder/President, Greater Los Angeles Chapter of the US National Committee for UN Women will discuss their work that supports the mission of UN Women, the United Nations entity responsible for promoting women's empowerment and gender equality-- the social, political, and economic equality for women and girls around the world. Presentation regarding the Safe Cities LA Campaign, HeForShe Campaign and the United Nations Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination Against Women, (CEDAW). Discussion of ways to support these efforts.

**Recommendation:** Review and Discuss.

**C. Women's Advisory Board Annual Report (5-min)**

Presentation of the Board's annual report highlighting the Boards activities and accomplishments from June 2013 – June 2014.

**Recommendation:** Receive and file.

**D. Upcoming Board Meeting Schedule ( 5 – 10 min)**

The Board will discuss their upcoming meeting schedule and agendas. Specifically the December 11, 2014 and rescheduling their January 22, 2015.

**Recommendation:** Review and Discuss.

**VII. LEGISLATION & ADVOCACY DISCUSSION: (5-10 min)**

Board discussion of Legislative and policy issues affecting women.

**A. CITIES FOR CEDAW AND THE LOCAL IMPLEMENTATION OF THE UNITED NATIONS CONVENTION ON THE ELIMINATION OF ALL FORMS OF DISCRIMINATION AGAINST WOMEN (CEDAW)**

The Board will consider a recommendation in support of the Cities for CEDAW Campaign.

**Recommendation:** Review and Discuss.

**VIII. BOARD AND COMMISSION LIAISON REPORTS: (5 min)**

Brief reports from board members who serve as liaisons to other city Boards and Commissions and other recognized bodies. Designation of new liaisons as needed.

**Recommendation:** Receive and file.

**IX. MONTHLY REPORTS TO CITY COUNCIL: (2 min)**

The Board will designate a member to report back to the City Council each month.

**X. SUBCOMMITTEE REPORTS: (5 – 10 min)**

**A. Feedback and updates regarding the following co-sponsored activities:**

1. Co-sponsorship of NCJW/LA's Roe v Wade Event- January 22, 2015

**Recommendation:** Receive and File. Take action as needed.

**XI. ITEMS FROM THE PUBLIC:**

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**XII. ITEMS FROM THE BOARD:**

**(5 min)**

Brief remarks from Advisory Board members.

**XIII. ITEMS FROM STAFF:**

**(2 min)**

Brief remarks from Staff

**XIV. ADJOURNMENT:**

The Women's Advisory Board will adjourn to their next regularly scheduled meeting on Thursday, December 11, 2014 at the Art Room 1, Plummer Park Comprehensive Services Center, 7377 Santa Monica Blvd, West Hollywood, CA 90046.