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International Festival 2024

A project of the City of Lawton and the McMahon Memorial Auditorium



Agenda
Regular Monthly Meeting
International Festival Committee
October 8, 2024—4:30PM
McMahon Memorial Auditorium, Lobby



Call Meeting to Order:

1. Action: Roll Call

Verify positing of meeting:

2. Action: Verification of posting time, place, and date.

Consent Agenda: The following items are considered to be routine by the International Festival Committee and will be enacted with one motion. Should discussion be desired on an item, that item will be removed from the Consent Agenda prior to action and considered separately.

3. Approve minutes from meeting on September 3, 2024
4. Approve September Financials

Chair Report & Vice Chair's Report:

- Updates

Committee Reports:

5. Vendors – (Subcommittee/COL Staff)
6. Sponsorships/Brochure Ads – (COL Staff)
7. Marketing / Publicity / Social Media – (COL Staff)
8. Parade of Nations / Opening Ceremony – (Charlotte Kealii Thompson)
9. Entertainment
 - a. South Stage – (Dinah Lazarte, Taron Epps)
 - b. North Stage – (Jerson and Myrna Romero)
 - c. Interactive Area –
 - d. Children's Area – (Kathy Sauders & Molly Buckley)
 - e. Performer Selection – (Subcommittee, A&H Office)
10. Volunteers – (Dory Thomas)
11. Decorations – (All Members)
12. Beer Booth – (Page Smith - Knights of Columbus)
13. Drink Booths – (Renata Rudd, Kathy Rogers)
14. Information Booth – (Dory Thomas, Angel and Mike Howell, Mylene McManus)

Staff Reports:

15. A&H Administrator: City of Lawton Collaboration and Assistance. Grant submission update.

Business Items:

16. Hold an after-action review and discuss the 2024 International Festival and take action as necessary.
17. Consider canceling the November and December International Festival Committee meetings and take action as necessary.
18. Discuss the 2025 Annual Meeting Notice for the International Festival Committee and take action as necessary.

Old Business:

New Business:

Announcements:

Adjournment:

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