Torrance Art Museum Board of Directors Meeting Minutes

January 21, 2023 Via Zoom

Call to Order time: 11:34 a.m.

Roll Call - Jeannine Madden [X] Patrice Lefevre [X] Denielle Johnson [X] Cynthia Pallin [X] Max Presneill [X]

Introduction: Monica Harte - Cultural Services Manager, Community Services Department, City of Torrance. Signed off at 11:45 a.m.

Motion to approve BOD Minutes November 19, 2022

Move: Patrice Second: Cynthia Vote: 4:0 - Passes

Motion to Accept and File Treasurer's Report - **Balance**: \$16,105.13 **Move**: Cynthia **Second**: Jeannine **Vote**: **4:0** - **Passes** (discrepancy between bank statement and Treasurer's Report is due to uncashed artist checks. Max/Patrice will follow up.

Curator's Update - Max provided update on happenings at the museum to include new exhibitions and future projects.

Advocacy Update - Upcoming City Council Meeting/Cultural Arts Commission Presentation: Denielle will attend January 23rd and 24th

Membership Report: Filed on Google Drive

Website and Social Media Report: Filed on Google Drive

OLD BUSINESS -

Space @ TAM for TAMA Supplies - there is a drawer for TAMA & some closet space to store artwork

Museum Library Liquidation Process/Progress - books are on a table in the lobby and patrons are invited to take. Books of value require more streamlining by TAM Staff.

Electronic Motion made by Jeannine Madden: "**Move** to accept the attached TAM proposal for ¿Wild? and to fund \$600 per year. This expenditure would require an annual vote by the TAMA Executive Board. **Second**: Patrice Lefevre. Cynthia submitted electronic 'yes' vote on Dec 21, 2022. Patrice submitted electronic 'yes' vote on Dec

22, 2022. Denielle submitted electronic 'yes' vote on January 6, 2023 Vote: 4:0 **Motion Passes**.

NEW BUSINESS -

Winter Opening Reception - Member Walk through 1/27 @ 1:30 p.m.; 1/28 public opening. Monica will research whether liability insurance is needed by TAMA for serving alcohol at Opening Receptions if the TAM is already covered.

1Q Q&A with a Curator - tentative for 3/25 in conjunction with CoLab

TAMA TALKS - Yoshie Sakai and Rochelle Botello scheduled.

Next BOD Meeting: March 25, 2023 @ 11:30 a.m. PDT (in person @ TAM)

Motion to Adjourn: Time: 12:37 p.m. PT

Recorded by Cynthia Pallin, Secretary