

STATE BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING  
CALIFORNIA AFRICAN AMERICAN MUSEUM

APRIL 18, 2014, FRIDAY

8:30 AM – 10:45 AM

600 STATE DRIVE, EXPOSITION PARK, LOS ANGELES, CA, 90037

AGENDA

STATE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

FRANCILLE RUSAN WILSON, PRESIDENT      DIRECTOR ZNA PORTLOCK HOUSTON  
KIMBERLY FREEMAN, VICE PRESIDENT      DIRECTOR JOSEPH C. PHILLIPS  
DIRECTOR REV. CECIL MURRAY              DIRECTOR TODD HAWKINS  
DIRECTOR ERIC L. FRAZIER

**\*\*Any Board Members listed above with an asterisk (\*) denotes meeting attendance via telephone conference. Only those addressed shall be counted toward quorum.**

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EX-OFFICIO

STATE SENATOR 26<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT, HOLLY MITCHELL  
ASSEMBLYMAN 59<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT, REGINALD BYRON JONES-SAWYER, SR.

NATURAL RESOURCES AGENCY

JOHN LAIRD, SECRETARY

COUNSEL TO THE MUSEUM

HELEN ARENS, DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL

STAFF

CHARMAINE JEFFERSON, Executive Director  
WOODBURN SCHOFIELD, Deputy Director Operations & Special Programs  
DEBRA HARRIS, Fiscal Officer  
MAR HOLLINGSWORTH, Visual Arts Curator & Conservator/Program Manager  
VIDA BROWN, Visual Arts Curator/Program Manager  
ELISE WOODSON, Education Curator/Gallery Services Program Manager  
TIFFINI BOWERS, Associate History Curator/Museum Curator I (Education)  
SUSAN GUADAMUZ, Registrar  
DENISE MCIVER, Librarian  
SHERYL MELINE, Executive Administrative Assistant

GUESTS

UNKNOWN

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- I. CALL TO ORDER & INTRODUCTION OF GUESTS** **President Francille Rusan Wilson**
- II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FOR FEBRUARY 28, 2014, MARCH 14, 2014 AND MARCH 27, 2014.** **President Francille Rusan Wilson**
- III. BOARD PRESIDENT’S REPORT** **President Francille Rusan Wilson**
- CSC Phase III Building
  - Resolution to approve voting rules for the Collections Review Committee\*
  - Resolution adding a Community-at-Large Seat to Collections Review Committee\*  
(\*Resolutions attached)
- IV. FINANCIAL REPORT** **Debra Harris, CAAM Fiscal Officer**
- Review FY13-14 – Pre-submitted Report
  - Review FY14-15 Proposed Budget
- V. EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR’S REPORT** **Charmaine Jefferson, Exec. Dir.**
- Exhibition & Programming Schedule
  - Golden State Mutual Life Insurance Art Collection – acquisition vs. long term loan
- VI. PUBLIC COMMENT**
- VII. CLOSED SESSION**
- Pursuant to Government Code Sections 11126(a)(1) and 11126(b) to consider the appointment, employment, evaluation of performance, disciplinary action and/or dismissal of Executive Director.
  - Consultation with counsel as authorized by Government Code section 11126(e)(2)(B) about a matter that, based on existing facts and circumstances, presents significant exposure to litigation against CAAM.
  - Consultation with counsel as authorized by Government Code section 11126(e)(2)(C) about a matter that, based on existing facts and circumstances, the Board of Directors is deciding whether to initiate litigation
  - Pursuant to Government Code section 11126(e)(2)(A) to discuss with counsel pending litigation, *Toni Scott v. California African American Museum, et. al.*, (U.S. District Court Case No. 2:14-cv-02273-ABC-PJW).
- VIII. RECONVENE INTO REGULAR SESSION** **President Francille Rusan Wilson**
- IX. ADJOURNMENT** **President Francille Rusan Wilson**
- At the discretion of the Board of Directors, all items appearing on the Agenda, whether or not expressly listed for action, may be discussed and may be subject to action by the Board of Directors. Agenda items may be taken out of order. The Board may convene to executive session pursuant to Government Code 11126(e).

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RESOLUTIONS for State Board of Directors

- A. Discussion and possible action regarding approval for the California African American Museum to promulgate new voting rules for the Collections Review Committee.
- B. Discussion and possible action regarding approval for the California African American Museum to add a Community-at-Large Seat to Collections Review Committee.