# Museum of Riverside Board Memorandum

City of Arts & Innovation

**TO:** **MUSEUM OF RIVERSIDE BOARD** **DATE: SEPTEMBER 27, 2023**

**FROM:** **MUSEUM DEPARTMENT** **WARDS: ALL**

**SUBJECT:** **RECORD THE ABSENCE OF BOARD MEMBER TENNELL FROM THE JULY 26, 2023, MUSEUM BOARD MEETING AS UNEXCUSED**

## ISSUE:

Record the absence of Board Member Sharon Tennell from the July 26, 2023, regular Board meeting as unexcused.

## RECOMMENDATION:

That the Museum of Riverside Board record the absence of Board Member Sharon Tennell from the July 26, 2023, regular meeting as unexcused.

## BACKGROUND:

Pursuant to the Rules of Order and Procedure (Meeting Rules) Resolution No. 23976 (updated April 11, 2023), Board/ Commission Members shall make every effort to notify the administrative staff 24 hours prior to any regular meeting of his/her intent not to attend said meeting. The Board is required to express in its official minutes whether the absence of the Board Member is excused or unexcused.

Pursuant to City Charter Section 805, if a member of a Board or Commission is absent from three consecutive regular meetings unless by permission of the Board or Commission expressed in its official minutes, the City Council shall declare the office vacant.

## DISCUSSION:

Board Member Tennell was not in attendance at the July 26th Museum of Riverside Board meeting. No notice was given.

## FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact associated with this report.

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