



**CITY OF LYNNWOOD ARTS COMMISSION
AGENDA**

MARCH 17, 2026 6:30PM

PHYSICAL LOCATION: Lynnwood Senior Center

ONLINE: <https://v.ringcentral.com/join/616668943?pw=4fe0f66f34529eb1f29a5b89960f577e>

- 10. CALL TO ORDER / RECORDING (Announce date/time/AC meeting)
- 20. ROLL CALL

	Kalen Knowles		Bryce Owings, Council Liaison
	Tiffany Grunzel, Vice Chair		
	Katie Zeitler, Secretary		Fred Wong, Arts, Culture & Heritage Coord (ACH)
	Robert Gutcheck		Marielle Harrington, Healthy Communities Supervisor
	Rhiannon Kruse, Chair		
	Lynn Hanson		
	Raniere		

- 30. APPROVAL OF MINUTES – February 17, 2026
- 40. COMMISSIONER & AD HOC REPORTS
- 50. CITIZEN COMMENTS
- 60. STAFF REPORT
- 70. BUSINESS ITEMS
 - 70.1 Digital mini art magazine 10 min
 - 70.2 Lynnwood Idol 2026 10 min
 - 70.3 Signal Box – Snohomish Tribe – update 5 min
 - 70.4 New Art projects: Mural / Signal Box / Soccer Balls / Lynnwood Artists Show 10 min
 - 70.5 Community Justice Center Murals – update 5 min
 - 70.6 City Pride (1-4, 6/6/2026) The Art of Food & Wine / Paint & Sip / Gingerbread event. 10 min
- 80. COUNCIL LIAISON REPORT / COMMENTS
- 90. FUTURE BUSINESS
- 100. ADJOURNMENT

Upcoming Meetings:

April 21, 2026, Lynnwood Senior Center & ONLINE, 6:30-8:30pm

The public is invited to attend. Parking and meeting rooms are accessible for persons with disabilities. Contact the City at 670-5502 with 24-hours advance notice for special accommodations.

Land Acknowledgement: "We acknowledge that the City of Lynnwood is located on the traditional lands of the Snohomish Tribe and the confederation of Tulalip Tribes and their families. For generations, these Indigenous communities have lived on this land, and we recognize, support, and advocate alongside them.

We also acknowledge the forced removal of Indigenous communities from their Homelands as a result of the 1855 Treaty of Point Elliott. We understand that Land Acknowledgements are only the first step in our efforts to support Coast Salish tribes and educate non-Natives about their lived history. We strive to achieve this through building relationships with Indigenous communities, supporting Indigenous commerce, government-to-government partnerships, and lifting indigenous voices to create equity for all.

Through these actions, we hope to not only pay respect to the past but also collaborate in creating a sustainable future, hand in hand with the first protectors of our shared environment".

Future Business Items and Events Calendar

Revised 3/11/2026

MEETING DATE (2026)	TIME	ITEM	LOCATION
April 21	6:30-8:30pm		Lynnwood Senior Center
May 19	6:30-8:30pm		Lynnwood Senior Center
June 16	6:30-8:30pm		Lynnwood Senior Center
July 21	6:30-8:30pm		Lynnwood Senior Center
August 18	6:30-8:30pm		Lynnwood Senior Center
September 15	6:30-8:30pm		Lynnwood Senior Center
October 20	6:30-8:30pm		Lynnwood Senior Center
November 17	6:30-8:30pm		Lynnwood Senior Center
December 15	6:30-8:30pm	Election of Officers	Lynnwood Senior Center
March 26	10-11am	2026 State of the City	Lynnwood Neighborhood Center
March 29	1-2pm	Living Voices: Fly For Freedom	Heritage Park
Jan 14 – June 22 Reception: 4/14, 6-8pm	9am-4pm M-F	Art Exhibit: "Flight Patterns"	Lynnwood Event Center
April 23	5-6:30pm	Volunteer Recognition Dinner	Dave and Busters
May 3	1-2:30pm	Living Voices: Winning Her Wings	Heritage Park
May 23	11am-12pm	Before Light Rail: the Seattle-Everett Interurban Story, 1910-1929	Heritage Park
May 25	11am	Memorial Day Ceremony	Veterans Park
May 31	12-4:30pm	Lynnwood Idol - Finals - Live Audition	Edmonds College - Black Box Theatre
June 6	1-4pm	City Pride	Outside City Hall/Senior Center
June 11	5:30-7pm	Lynnwood Artists Show, Reception	City Hall lobby
June 26	6-9pm	Celebrate	Alderwood Mall
July 11	10am – 2pm	History & Heritage Day	Heritage Park
September 12	10am – 2pm	Fair on 44th	
future		Art/Farmers Market	
2027 TBD		The Art of Food & Wine	
		LINKS TO MORE EVENTS	

Galleries schedules

City Hall	Monday, 9:30AM
Blaine Amidon	1/5/2026
J. Dario Pinto	1/5/2026
WA Chinese Painting and Calligraphy Art Research Association	2/9/2026
Gale Johansen	3/16/2026
Marcus Shriver	3/16/2026
Christopher Mitchell	4/20/2026
Laurie Miller	4/20/2026
Lynnwood Artists	6/1/2026
Melynda Hayes	7/13/2026
Susan Akers-Smith	7/13/2026
Cooper Miller	8/24/2026
JOSE CASTRO	8/24/2026
Brazen Bradazzle (Decorate Event at Library on 9/26)	9/28/2026
Elaine Woodhouse	11/2/2026
Mike Hipple	11/2/2026
Suze Woolf	12/7/2026
Tracy Wallschlaeger	12/7/2026

Rec Center	Monday, 9:30AM
Daniel Lee	1/12/2026
Sharan Grewal	2/23/2026
Wei-Ning Huang	4/6/2026
Josephine Olivia Lohn-Thomas	5/18/2026
Amelia Wang	6/29/2026
Erin Li	8/10/2026
Kaylee Hu	9/21/2026
Cynthia Gao	11/16/2026

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10. CALL TO ORDER at 6:38pm

20. ROLL CALL

X	Kalen Knowles	E	Bryce Owings, Council Liaison
X	Tiffany Grunzel, Vice Chair		
X	Katie Zeitler, Secretary	X	Fred Wong, Arts, Cultural & Heritage Coordinator (ACHC)
X	Robert Gutcheck		
X	Rhiannon Kruse, Chair		
X	Lynn Hanson		
X	Raniere		

30. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

R. Gutcheck motioned, T. Grunzel seconded; January 20, 2026 minutes unanimously approved.

40. COMMISSIONER & AD HOC REPORTS

- Whale tail sculpture “Memories” by artist Ken Barnes to be unveiled in Edmonds at the Waterfront Center, on February 19 at 5:30pm – refreshments to be served. All invited.
- L. Hanson said that the Lynnwood Hygiene center is looking for muralists for their garage doors. City can offer expertise, pool of muralists to choose from, but not funding
- T. Grunzel went to Neighborhood Center opening, and saw possible spaces for Art of Food and Wine. They are also looking for art to exhibit on their walls.
- K. Knowles said that 2/18 is the 2nd year anniversary of Lynnwood Drink and Draw. Everyone welcome! Bring a snack! Wednesday 6-9 pm

50. CITIZEN COMMENTS - None

60. STAFF REPORT

F Wong reported:

- Upcoming events including Lynnwood Event Center Art Exhibit “Flight Patterns”, Jan 14-June 22, Reception April 14, 6-8 pm
- Thanks to L. Hanson and R. Gutcheck for helping hang the new exhibit at City Hall.

70. BUSINESS ITEM

70.1 Annual Report 2025 - Approval

R. Gutcheck motioned. L. Hanson seconded. Report approved with minor edits.

70.2 Lynnwood Idol 2026

- We need to find two new judges for this year. School of Rock judge is coming.
- Find other avenues for outreach: FB ads to targets parents, Edmonds SD area, Post on FB groups, Word of mouth from last year, PTAs.
- Add "How did you hear about us?" on applications.
- Staff will reach out to Conor to see if he would be guest performer at finals.

70.3 Digital mini art magazine

- K. Zeitler is working on reviewing each section.
- Still need: Letter from mayor (staff), Drink and Draw flyer (Knowles), edits in Lynnwood Idol section, headshots from Arts Commissioners, find chickens game, new logo for Lynnwood Parks and Rec Foundation, artist spotlight from L. Hanson
- Consider potential opportunity for ads

70.4 Signal Box – Snohomish People – update

Staff has arranged for the removal of the old wrap. We are planning to meet with Tulalip Tribe on 3/12.

70.5 New Art projects: Mural / Signal Box / Soccer Balls / Lynnwood Artists Show

Calls for artists are on the web, and announced. AC looked at potential soccer balls.

70.6 Community Justice Center Murals – update

One more mural in the mental health exam room to be painted.

70.7 City Pride (1-4, 6/6/2026) The Art of Food & Wine / Paint & Sip / Gingerbread event.10 min

Arts Commissioners chose their flag colors for Pride event: red (T Grunzel), orange (Raniere), yellow (K Knowles), green (K Zeitler), blue (R Gutcheck), and violet (F Wong).

80. COUNCIL LIAISON REPORT

None

90. FUTURE BUSINESS

None

100. ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 8:13pm.

Staff Report (Program & Project Updates)

DATE: March 11, 2026

TO: Arts Commission

FROM: Fred Wong, Community Programs Coordinator

Commission Member Recruitment

No vacancy. [Info and to apply here](#).

Art Exhibits

City Hall: Gale Johansen & Marcus Shriver. Rec Center: Sharan Grewal. Lynnwood Artists Show – reception is on June 11.

Farmers/Art Market – Planning for 2025 and 2026 has stopped. Chamber is leading the way to host a market. They are looking to hire a market manager.

Artists Opportunities

Lynnwood Artists Show, Soccer Ball Art Project, Community Garden/Senior Center mural, Lynnwood Idol.

Soccer – FIFA world cup art project

- Won grant to Economic Alliance Snohomish County for \$6,500. Buying soccer balls and hanging hardware to test.

Lynnwood Idol

Booked May 31, 2026 for finals. Sent flyers to ESD.

CJC – Murals

- 3 murals completed. 1 more to go. Sound proofing installed.

Mall - sculptures

- Working with staff on the future of the 5 pieces.

City Budget

- Currently at 10% reduction. Layoff notices have gone out. Still facing multi-million dollar deficit in 2026. City of Edmonds suspended their Arts Commission.

Signal Box Wrap Project

- Snohomish Tribe Box: location at 168th and 44th is done. Big box wrap will be removed.
- Working on box about history of eggs/chicken/poultry/farms near Barnes & Noble.
- Future boxes:, newspapers/radio stations, significant businesses, fairgrounds, rodeos, Edmonds College, Edmonds School District's sports Wall of Honors, homesteaders, South Lynnwood, Lund's Gulch

www.publicartarchive.org

Check it out. Submit our art projects.