

City of Houston Joint Committee on Budget and Fiscal Affairs (BFA) + Arts & Culture Council Member Sallie Alcorn, BFA Chair Council Member Carolyn Evans-Shabazz, Arts & Culture Chair Council Member Mario Castillo, BFA + Arts & Culture Vice Chair

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Notice of Hybrid City Council Committee Meeting Tuesday, October 1, 2024, at 10:00 A.M.

This meeting will offer the options to participate via videoconference or in-person. The location for the committee meeting will be the Anna Russell Council Chamber at City Hall, 901 Bagby, 2nd Floor, Houston, Texas 77002. The meeting is open to the public.

The chair, as presiding officer of committee, will be physically present in chamber. In accordance with the provisions of Section 551.127 of the Texas Government Code applicable to a governmental body that extends into three or more counties, all other committee members have the option to participate in-person or virtually via Microsoft Teams.

Microsoft Teams Live Meeting - type this link into your browser: https://bit.ly/Oct12024BFAAC

Presentation handouts will also be available at:

https://www.houstontx.gov/council/committees/bfa.html

This meeting will also be broadcast on HTV, the City of Houston's Municipal Channel.

- 1. Welcoming remarks
 - Sallie Alcorn, Council Member, BFA Chair
 - Carolyn Evans-Shabazz, Council Member, Arts & Culture Chair
 - Mario Castillo, Council Member, BFA Vice Chair
- 2. Monthly financial report
 - Chris Hollins, City Controller
 - Melissa Dubowski, Director, Finance Department
- 3. Upcoming financial transactions
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- 4. Economic impact of the nonprofit arts in the city of Houston
 - Randy Cohen, Vice President, Americans for the Arts
- 5. Build Houston Forward funding and program update
 - Samir Solanki, Chief Financial Officer, Houston Public Works Department
 - David Wurdlow, Senior Assistant Director, Houston Public Works Department
- 6. Public comments To sign up for public comment, please fill out the form at https://bit.ly/Oct12024BFAACPC before 5:00 P.M. on Monday, September 30, 2024. Please indicate whether you will be speaking virtually or in-person. Public speakers wishing to continue under virtual mode will receive a call-in number that will allow them to speak at their designated time.