

## OFFICIAL MEETING NOTICE

### **Fine Arts Museums of San Francisco Board of Trustees and Annual Budget Hearing #1**

**Wednesday, January 21, 2026, 3:00 pm**

**de Young Museum - Koret Auditorium  
50 Hagiwara Tea Garden Drive  
San Francisco, CA 94118**

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**Topic: 3:00 pm FAMSF Board Meeting**

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#### **AGENDA**

#### **ORDER OF BUSINESS**

I.	<b>Calling of the Meeting to Order</b> - Diane B. Wilsey, Chair Emerita	<b>Action</b>
II.	<b>Calling of the Roll</b> – Jenny Sonnenschein, Executive Assistant to the Director and CEO and Board Administrator	<b>Action</b>

	<p>Tobi Adamolekun          Jamie Bowles, Vice President          Jack Calhoun          Margaret Conley          Thomas Horn          Dorka Keehn          Carl Pascarella          David Spencer, President</p> <p>Diane B. Wilsey, Chair Emerita</p>	
III.	<p><b>Approval of Minutes</b> – Diane B. Wilsey, Chair Emerita</p> <p>A. Consideration and Possible Action to Approve the Minutes of the October 15, 2025 Meeting of the Board of Trustees (<b>See Appendix A – Draft Minutes</b>)</p>	<b>Action</b>
IV.	<p><b>Report of the President, David Spencer, FAMSF Board President</b></p> <p>A. Report of the President</p>	<b>Discussion</b>
V.	<p><b>Report of the Director and CEO</b> – Lisa Grove, Chief of Staff and Strategy on behalf of Thomas P. Campbell, Director and CEO</p> <p>A. Report of 2025 Year End Gifts of Art  <b>(See Appendix B – 2025 Year End Gifts of Art)</b></p> <p>B. Consideration and Possible Action to Approve Loan Requests (<b>See Appendix C – Loan Requests</b>)</p> <p>C. Museum Updates</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Legion of Honor 100</li> <li>2. Exhibition Updates</li> <li>3. Education Update</li> <li>4. Building Updates</li> </ol> <p>D. Budget Hearing Introduction</p>	<b>Discussion</b> <b>Discussion</b>
VI.	<p><b>Report of the CFO</b> – Jason Seifer, Chief Financial and Administrative Officer</p> <p>A. FAMSF Budget Hearing #1</p>	<b>Discussion</b> <b>Action</b>

	<p>B. Consideration and Possible Action to Adopt a Resolution Acknowledging Funding Expended by the Corporation of the Fine Arts Museums During the Period July 1, 2025 – September 30, 2025</p> <p><b>WHEREAS</b>, The Corporation of the Fine Arts Museums is a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit corporation that exist to support the activities of the Fine Arts Museums of San Francisco; now, therefore, be it</p> <p><b>RESOLVED</b>, That the Board of Trustees of the Fine Arts Museums of San Francisco does hereby acknowledge with gratitude funding in the amount of \$14,713,797 expended by the Corporation of the Fine Arts Museums for operations during the period July 1, 2025 – September 30, 2025.</p>	
VII.	<b>Commission Streamlining Task Force Update</b> – Jason Seifer, Chief Financial and Administrative Officer	<b>Discussion</b>
VIII.	<b>General Public Comment</b> – Diane B. Wilsey, Chair Emerita	<b>Discussion</b>
IX.	<b>Adjournment</b> – Diane B. Wilsey, Chair Emerita	<b>Action</b>

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Fine Arts Museums of San Francisco Acknowledgement of the Ramaytush Ohlone Community

The Fine Arts Museums of San Francisco occupy unceded land of the Ramaytush Ohlone, who are the original inhabitants of what is now the San Francisco Peninsula. The greater Bay Area is also the ancestral territory of other Ohlone peoples, as well as the Miwok, Yokuts, and Patwin. We acknowledge, recognize, and honor the Indigenous ancestors, elders, and descendants whose nations and communities have lived in the Bay Area over many generations and continue to do so today. We respect the enduring relationships that exist between Indigenous peoples and their homelands. We are committed to partnering with Indigenous communities to raise awareness of their legacy and engage with the history of this region and the impacts of genocide and the dynamics of settler colonialism that persist.

Legion of Honor Land Acknowledgment

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Lincoln Park, where the Legion of Honor was founded in 1924, operated as City Cemetery from 1868 until 1898. When the park was created, many of the burials were relocated but the majority were not. Please join the Fine Arts Museums of San Francisco in honoring the memory of the thousands of individuals still buried on this land.

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