

**Approved**  
**RIO GRANDE ACADEMY OF FINE ARTS**  
**GOVERNING BOARD MEETING**

**April 5, 2022**

**Governing Board Members**

**KATHY MCCLENDON, President**  
**DR. SUSAN MCCONNELL, Vice President**  
**LEE BALDWIN, Treasurer**  
**DR. JENN PENA, Secretary**  
**CHRISTINE MAYA-SAN**  
**AMER CHILD**  
**MARY ELLEN DANNENBERG**

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**Date of Meeting: APRIL 5, 2022      Time: 06:30 PM Mountain Time (US and Canada)**

**Location of Meeting**

Physical Address of Meeting Location

**X Virtual Meeting**

Virtual Meeting Link information:

**Date: APRIL 5, 2022**

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**\*Denotes potential action items for the Board**

*NOTE: Agenda items can be added to the agenda for discussion, but they are not actionable. The Governance Board attempts to follow the order of items as listed, however, the order of specific items may vary from the printed agenda.*

# AGENDA

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| 1) Welcome and Call to Order                               | Kathy McClendon |
| 2) Roll Call of Board Members AND Welcome Staff and Guests | Dr. Jenn Pena   |
| 3) *Adoption of the Agenda                                 | Kathy McClendon |
| 4) Pledge of Allegiance & Salute to the New Mexico Flag    | All Invited     |
| 5) *Approval of Minutes from March 1, 2022                 | Kathy McClendon |

## Public Comment:

Members of the public who wish to speak at the Governing Board meeting, must sign-up prior to the meeting on the Public Comment sign-up sheet. The Governance Board President will set the time limit per presenter at the beginning of the meeting based on the number of persons signed up to address the Board. Persons from the same group and having similar viewpoints are asked to select a spokesperson to speak on their behalf. Multiple and repetitious presentations of the same view will be discouraged and may be ruled out of order.

If the meeting is held virtually, public comment will be allowed during the meeting via Zoom. To speak during public comment, please email your request to speak with your name to up to twenty-four hours prior to the meeting to [kathy.mcclendon@riograndeacademyoffinearts.com](mailto:kathy.mcclendon@riograndeacademyoffinearts.com) - Speakers will be unmuted in order to address the Governance Board. Public comments will be limited to 3 minutes or based on the number of speakers. The public may also email comments to Kathy McClendon at [kathy.mcclendon@riograndeacademyoffinearts.com](mailto:kathy.mcclendon@riograndeacademyoffinearts.com) - Emailed comments will be kept with the records of the meeting.

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| 6) *Affidavit for Mary Ellen Dannenberg                            | Kathy McClendon      |
| 7) *Oath of Office of Mary Ellen Dannenberg                        | Kathy McClendon      |
| 8) Update on Board Policies  | Governance Committee |
| 9) Updates from the Directors Regarding:                           | Directors            |
| a) Implementation Year March Review                                | Jordan Franco        |
| b) Curriculum  | Michele Platis       |
| c) Flyers, Brochures, Ads  | Michele Platis       |
| d) Meet & Greet/Facebook   | Directors            |
| e) ACES progress   | Jordan Franco        |
| 10) *Lease Agreement Approval                                      | Kathy McClendon      |
| <b>Directors, Dan Hill, Connie Dove-Castillejo, Rebekah Runyan</b> |                      |
| a) Location  |                      |
| b) Size and Growth Capacity  |                      |
| c) Physical Readiness  |                      |
| d) Any Current Required Improvements                               |                      |
| e) Date Available  |                      |

**11) Announcements/Governing Board Comments (i.e., Foundation)**

**12) Announcements/Comments from RioGAFA Directors**

**13) Adjournment**

**Kathy McClendon**

If you are an individual with a disability in need of a reader, amplifier, qualified sign language interpreter, or any other form of auxiliary aid or service to attend or participate in the hearing or meeting, please contact Jordan Franco at [jordan.franco@riograndeacademyoffinearts.com](mailto:jordan.franco@riograndeacademyoffinearts.com) at least one week prior to the meeting or as soon as possible. Public documents, including the agenda and minutes, can be provided in various accessible formats. Please contact Jordan Franco at the phone number or email address above if a summary or other type of accessible format is needed.

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