



**The Liberty Theatre & Cultural Arts Center
Advisory Board Minutes
July 19, 2024**

Board Members Present: Delois Marsh, , Ku'Wonna Ingram, Arsburn "Oz" Roberts, Arreasha Lawrence, Mimi Woodson, Dr. Shikha Shah,

Board Members Absent: Gloria Strobe, Terrance Flowers, Carolyn Star-Ross, Fernando Verdree, Cletus Richardson,

Present: Civic Center Staff- Jennifer Babin, Caryn Hammond, Kanise Wiggins, Josaland Hardwick and Rae McConnell.

Mimi Woodson-Called for order at 2:08pm

Minutes for May 9, 2024 approved.

Preliminary Planning for the 100th Centennial Celebration- Oz Roberts

- Several committees have been formed for the following events.
 - 1) March 20, a press conference
 - 2) April 5, will be a celebratory ribbon cutting
 - 3) April 11, Gala-hoping to bring back people to Columbus that has performed here.
 - 4) April 12, Film festival
 - 5) April 26, Talent Show
 - 6) May 3, Jazz Concert
 - 7) May 4, Gospel event
 - 8) May 10, Ma Fest

- Mimi Woodson announced that the Slogan for the Liberty Theatre will Be "The soul of the community".
- Delois Marsh requested that a building update be placed on the advisory board agenda for each meeting.
- Next meeting we will set goals and discuss financials and branding.
- A motion was made and approved for the board to meet monthly.

Meeting adjourned 3:10pm

Respectfully submitted,

Rae McConnell

Rae McConnell, Board Secretary