



## Legislation Details (With Text)

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**File created:** 8/4/2021      **In control:** Land Use, Transportation & Infrastructure Committee

**On agenda:** 9/13/2021      **Final action:** 9/13/2021

**Title:** A bill for an ordinance approving the Mayor’s reappointments and appointments to the Denver Commission on Cultural Affairs.  
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**Sponsors:**

**Indexes:** Zach Rothmier

**Code sections:**

**Attachments:** 1. BR21 0905 MO Cultural Affairs Comm Request, 2. BR21 0905 MO Cultural Affairs Comm Additional Info, 3. BR21 0905 MO Cultural Affairs Comm Supporting, 4. CB21-0905 - Denver Commission on Cultural Affairs, 5. 21-0905 Filed Bill\_Appointments to Denver Commission on Cultural Affairs, 6. 21-0905 - signed, 7. 21-0905 For an ordinance approving the Mayor’s reappointments and appointments to

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
9/14/2021	1	Mayor	signed	
9/13/2021	1	Council President	signed	
9/13/2021	1	City Council	placed upon final consideration and do pass	Pass
8/30/2021	1	City Council	ordered published	
8/17/2021	1	Land Use, Transportation & Infrastructure Committee	approved by consent	

### Other/Miscellaneous Request Template (Appointments; ROW; Code Changes; Zoning Action, etc.)

**Date Submitted:** 8-4-21

**Requesting Agency:** Mayor’s Office  
**Division:**

**Subject Matter Expert Name:** Romaine Pacheco  
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**Item Title & Description:**  
*(Do not delete the following instructions)*

These appear on the Council meeting agenda. Initially, the requesting agency will enter a 2-3 sentence description. Upon bill filling, the City Attorney's Office should enter the title above the description (the title should be in **bold** font).

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**Affected Council District(s) or citywide?** Citywide

**Executive Summary with Rationale and Impact:**

*Detailed description of the item and why we are doing it. This can be a separate attachment.*

To approve the Mayoral appointments and reappointments of the following individuals to the Denver Commission on Cultural Affairs:

Dudley "Van" Schoales, Denver (M)(C)(CD10), president A+Colorado Non-Profit Development Center, for a term expiring August 31, 2023, reappointed;

Heather Nielsen, Denver (F)(C)(CD7), Director of Learning and Community Engagement at the Denver Art Museum, for a term expiring August 31, 2024, and to serve as co-chair, reappointed;

Leesly Leon, Denver (F)(LX)(CD9), communications director at DEDO for a term expiring August 31, 2024, reappointed;

Michael McClung, Denver (M)(C)(CD10), gallery director at Michael Warren Contemporary - Gallery, for a term expiring August 31, 2024, reappointed;

Christopher Zacher, Denver (M)(C)(CD8), executive director at Levitt Pavilion Denver, for a term expiring August 31, 2024, appointed;

Aisha Ahmad-Post, Englewood (F)(Two or More Races), executive director at Newman Center for Performing Arts, for a term expiring August 31, 2024, appointed;

Ricard Acosta, Denver (M)(H)(CD8), retired, for a term expiring August 31, 2024, appointed;

Dan Manzanares, Denver (M)(H)(CD8), manager University of Denver Prison Arts Initiative, for a term expiring August 31, 2024, appointed;

Alfredo Reyes, Denver (M)(H)(CD4), executive director Latino Cultural Arts Center, for a term expiring August 31, 2024, appointed;

Sarah Hogan, Denver (F)(C)(CD2) principal at Barefoot Public Relations, for a term expiring August 31, 2024, appointed.

**Address/Location (if applicable):**

**Legal Description (if applicable):**

**Denver Revised Municipal Code (D.R.M.C.) Citation (if applicable):**

**Draft Bill Attached?**