

AACC Community Advisory Committee

Committee Co-Chairs:

| Name | Position | Organization |
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| Erroll Parker | Program Director | Success in Challenges, Inc. |
| Max Viltz | Owner | Village Treasures |

Community Working Group:

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| Daysha Austin | District Director | California State Assembly |
| Nicole Ballard | President | African American Heritage Society of Long Beach |
| Monte B. Beard, Sr. | Executive Committee | Long Beach NAACP |
| Darcelle Bradley | | |
| Charles Brown | Vice President | Lyde Enterprises |
| Gerald Burford | Member | 100 Black Men of Long Beach, Inc. |
| Valenda Dennard | Analyst | City of Long Beach |
| Angelo Dickens | Realtor | ReMax |
| Dr. Minnie Douglas | Community Volunteer | |
| LaVerne Duncan | Executive Director | Andy Street Community Association |
| Gregory Johnson | Managing Director | DreamKreator Studio |
| Carl Kemp | | |
| Sharon McLucas | Owner | Forgotten Images |
| Renee Quarles | CEO | Shades of Afrika |
| Ahmed Saafir | Chair | Long Beach Community Improvement League |
| Sakkara Thomas | Founding President | Queens Historical Society, Inc. |
| Doris Topsy-Elvord | Former Vice Mayor | City of Long Beach |
| Blanch Vance | Grants Associate | Annenberg Foundation |
| Dr. Felton Williams | Board Member | Long Beach Unified School District |
| Dr. Leon Wood, Jr. | President | Success in Challenges, Inc. |

Community Advisors:

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| Claudette Baldemor | Membership Director | Long Beach Convention & Visitors Bureau |
| Ryan Ballard | Board Member | Long Beach Public Library Foundation |
| Stephan Bell | Mentor | 100 Black Men of Long Beach, Inc. |
| Eric Burroughs | Board Member | 100 Black Men of Long Beach, Inc. |
| Techno Cannon | | |
| Dr. Melanie Curtis Andrews | Artistic Director | Inner City Shakespeare Ensemble |
| Sarah FitzGerald | Curator and Educator | Rancho Los Cerritos |
| Steven Kemp | Member | 100 Black Men of Long Beach, Inc. |
| Pamela A. Lewis | Director | Community Partnerships and Student Success Initiatives, CSU Long Beach |
| Dr. Alex Norman | Professor Emeritus | UCLA Luskin School of Public Affairs |
| Uduak-Joe Ntuk | Board Member | Long Beach City College |
| Howard Perry | Marketing Chairman | 100 Black Men of Long Beach, Inc. |
| Loren Simpson | Director of Digital Comms | Long Beach Convention & Visitors Bureau |
| Griselda Suarez | Executive Director | Arts Council for Long Beach |
| Phyllis Venable | CEO | Silhouette Consulting Group |
| Glenda Williams | Director of Library Services | City of Long Beach |

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Roles and Responsibilities:

Working Group (5-10 hours per month):

1. Play an active role in the visioning process by attending and participating in all AACC Committee public meetings. These meetings will occur monthly for six months.
2. Participate in additional special meetings and public events, as requested.
3. Receive updates from the Community Engagement consultant and educational material from the Cultural Planning consultant. Members may be expected to read written materials sent in advance of meetings.
4. Collaborate with other Working Group members to generate a community generated operating vision for the African American Cultural Center, synthesized from community engagement and cultural planning material.
5. Gather input from community members and stakeholders to share in AACC Committee meetings.
6. Serve as an ambassador to promote community engagement activities and the overall AACC community visioning process.

Community Advisors (as available):

1. Attend AACC Committee public meetings as available in an advisory role.
2. Provide subject matter expertise and current/historical perspective to inform the visioning process, most likely through one-on-one interviews.
3. Gather input from community members and stakeholders to share in AACC Committee meetings.
4. Serve as an ambassador to promote community engagement activities and the overall AACC community visioning process.

Committee Co-Chairs (10-15 hours per month):

1. In addition to the responsibilities above, coordinate with City staff and consultants to draft meeting agendas at least one week in advance of each meeting.
2. Co-facilitate meetings with City staff and consultants to ensure the agenda is covered, meetings run on time, and each member is engaged in productive participation.
3. Communicate regularly with City staff, consultants, and Working Group members to ensure deadlines are met and the visioning process is progressing efficiently.