

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING  
ORDINANCE No. 1862, SERIES 2023**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Louisville, Colorado, to be held on October 2, 2023 at the hour of 6:00 p.m., at Louisville City Hall, 749 Main Street, Louisville, Colorado 80027 or in an electronic meeting, the City Council will hold a Public Hearing on the final passage and adoption of a proposed **AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 2.20 OF THE LOUISVILLE MUNICIPAL CODE CONCERNING THE ARTS & CULTURE ADVISORY BOARD.**

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**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 2.20 OF THE LOUISVILLE MUNICIPAL  
CODE CONCERNING THE ARTS & CULTURE ADVISORY BOARD**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Louisville (the "City"), is a Colorado home rule municipal corporation duly organized and existing under laws of the State of Colorado and the City of Louisville Home Rule Charter (the "City Charter"); and

**WHEREAS**, by Resolution No. 10, Series 1989, the City Council established the Louisville Arts and Humanities Council for the purpose of advising the Mayor and City Council as to the distribution of a cultural sales tax appropriated to benefit non-profit organizations by the Boulder County Citizens Cultural Advisory Council; and

**WHEREAS**, on June 20, 1989, Articles of Incorporation were filed with the Colorado Secretary of State establishing the Louisville Arts and Humanities Council as a non-profit corporation, organized and operated exclusively for charitable and civic purposes, including the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code; and

**WHEREAS**, on October 6, 2006, Articles of Amendment were filed with the Colorado Secretary of State changing the entity name to the Louisville Cultural Council; and

**WHEREAS**, by Resolution No. 13, Series 1989, and Resolution No. 29, Series 2010, the City Council made adjustments to the membership and renamed the Louisville Arts and Humanities Council the Louisville Cultural Council, reflecting the change to the business name that had been filed with the Colorado Secretary of State in 2006; and

**WHEREAS**, on August 22, 2023, Articles of Amendment were filed with the Colorado Secretary of State changing the entity name to Friends of Louisville Arts, Sciences, and Humanities (FLASH); and

**WHEREAS**, the activities of the non-profit corporation now known as FLASH are conducted by FLASH's corporate board or directors and FLASH is no longer affiliated with the City or any of the City's boards or commissions; and

**WHEREAS**, subsequent to the creation of the Arts and Humanities Council in 1989, the City's voters approved the City of Louisville Home Rule Charter; and

**WHEREAS**, Section 10-1(a) of the Charter provides the City Council may, by ordinance, establish, consolidate, or abolish any board or commission; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council by this ordinance desires to change the name of the Commission to better reflect its current purpose and to specify the Commission's responsibilities as set forth herein; and

**WHEREAS**, the Arts & Culture Advisory Board shall continue to operate as an advisory board to the City Council, separate and distinct from the non-profit corporation now known as Friends of Louisville Arts, Sciences, and Humanities (FLASH).

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LOUISVILLE, COLORADO:**

**Section 1.** The Louisville Cultural Council is hereby renamed the Arts & Culture Advisory Board.

**Section 2.** Section 2.20.010.B.3 of the Louisville Municipal Code is hereby amended to read as follows (words to be deleted ~~stricken~~; words to be added underlined):

**Sec. 2.20.010            Establishment of boards and commissions.**

B.     The following boards, commissions, and committees of the City are hereby recognized and confirmed:

3.     ~~Cultural council~~ Arts & Culture Advisory Board;

**Section 3.** Chapter 2.20 of the Louisville Municipal Code is hereby amended by the addition of a new Section 2.20.070 to read as follows:

**Sec. 2.20.055            Arts & culture advisory board.**

A.     There is created and established the Arts & Culture Advisory Board for the City.

- B. The Board shall consist of members appointed by the City Council in number and for terms as shall be as set by resolution of the City Council.
- C. The Board shall serve in an advisory capacity to the City Council in matters related to the arts and culture. The powers, duties, and responsibilities of the Board shall be as set forth by City Council resolution.

**Section 4.** If any portion of this ordinance is held to be invalid for any reason, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance. The City Council hereby declares that it would have passed this ordinance and each part hereof irrespective of the fact that any one part be declared invalid.

**Section 5.** All other ordinances or portions thereof inconsistent or conflicting with this ordinance or any portion hereof are hereby repealed to the extent of such inconsistency or conflict.

**INTRODUCED, READ, PASSED ON FIRST READING, AND ORDERED PUBLISHED** this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2023.

Dennis Maloney, Mayor

ATTEST:  
Meredyth Muth, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:  
Kelly PC  
City Attorney

**PASSED AND ADOPTED ON SECOND AND FINAL READING,** this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2023.

Dennis Maloney, Mayor

ATTEST:  
Meredyth Muth, City Clerk