



## REGULAR MEETING – ARTS AND CULTURE COMMISSION AGENDA

JUNE 2, 2026, 6:00 PM  
BY ZOOM VIRTUAL MEETING

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- I. **CALL TO ORDER**
- II. **ROLL CALL**
- III. **ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES**
  - A. **Regular Meeting: April 7, 2026**
- IV. **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**
- V. **NEW BUSINESS**
  - A. **Authorize the expenditure of \$6,000 for various Make Music Day events and related activities.**  
**ACCT: 01-14-50-5623**
  - B. **Authorize the expenditure of \$500 to Tod Bryant for photography associated with**

the restoration of the WPA mural in the Norwalk Concert Hall.

ACCT: 01-14-50-5286

- C. Authorize the expenditure of \$2,000 to refresh the People's Gallery for the "Made in Norwalk" project (music edition).

ACCT:

01-14-50-5221

01-14-50-5286

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VI. ADJOURNMENT



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- I. **CALL TO ORDER**
- II. **ROLL CALL**
- III. **ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES**
  - A. **Regular Meeting: March 3, 2026**
- IV. **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION**
- V. **OLD BUSINESS**
  - A. **Budget review current and future**
  - B. **April 30th event update**
- VI. **NEW BUSINESS**

**A. WPA Mural restoration project**

**B. Authorize the expenditure of the Commission's agreed grant amount to the Norwalk Conservatory of the Arts for Broadway in the Park.**

**ACCT: 011450-5723**

**VII. DISCUSSION**

**VIII. ADJOURNMENT**



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**TO: Members of the Arts and Cultural Commission**  
**FROM: Sabrina Godeski, Director of Business Development & Tourism**  
**Marc Alan, Voting Member, Upcoming NACC Chairman**  
**DATE: May 2, 2026**  
**RE: Make Music Day Expenditures**

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### **Background**

Make Music Day is a global celebration of music that takes place annually on June 21, the summer solstice. The event features free live music performances throughout the day at various public and private venues, encouraging community participation and showcasing local artists and performers. The City of Norwalk is currently coordinating participation in Make Music Day 2026 and is actively soliciting artists and venues to participate. At this time, the goal is to secure at least four participating venues and twenty artists throughout the city. Events are anticipated to occur throughout the day at locations including the Norwalk Green, Factory Underground, and other participating venues.

### **Funding Breakdown of Expenditures**

Funding will support logistical needs, artist participation, promotion, and event operations to ensure successful activation across multiple locations. Proposed expenditures include:

- \$1,000 for sound services at the Norwalk Green
- \$250 for portable toilets at the Norwalk Green
- \$1,000 for food and refreshments at Factory Underground
- \$2,000 for artist payments
- \$750 for advertising and promotional materials
- \$500 for photography services
- \$500 for equipment and sound amplification needs at various event locations

These activities are intended to support community engagement, activate public spaces, and highlight Norwalk's local arts and music community through a citywide cultural event.

### **ACTION**

Authorize the expenditure of \$6,000 for various Make Music Day events and related activities.

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