

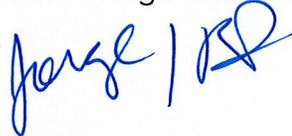
BAL HARBOUR

- V I L L A G E -

OFFICE OF THE VILLAGE MANAGER

LETTER TO COUNCIL

NO. 152-2016

To: Mayor Martin Packer and Members of the Village Council
From: Jorge M. Gonzalez, Village Manager 
Date: August 12, 2016
Subject: **Upcoming *Unscripted* Bal Harbour at Chicago Art Week**

The purpose of this Letter to Council (LTC) is to advise you of a special *Unscripted* Bal Harbour Art Program event taking place during Chicago Art Week in Chicago from September 19 - 25, 2016.

Traditionally, *Unscripted* Bal Harbour has hosted one event per year outside the South Florida area in New York City during the Armory Week art fair. In addition to providing Bal Harbour residents and their guests an opportunity to attend special VIP events associated with this art fair, the Village also takes the opportunity to host travel professionals who are based in the New York area to expose them to Bal Harbour Village.

In an effort to expand our domestic tourism sales efforts, this year's *Unscripted* event shall be held in Chicago during the Expo Chicago art fair providing Bal Harbour residents and their guests an opportunity to enjoy a myriad of special and VIP art and cultural experiences. In addition, we shall also be hosting travel related professionals as part of our ongoing sales, marketing and public relations domestic efforts.

Additional details about the *Unscripted* Bal Harbour Chicago Art Week are included in the attached piece which has been mailed to all Bal Harbour residents.

If you have any questions or need any additional information, please feel free to contact me or Ramiro Inguanzo directly.

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SPECIAL EVENTS CHICAGO ART WEEK

ARTCHAT

Tony Karman President and Director of EXPO CHICAGO in conversation with renowned art gallerist Rhona Hoffman

Monday, September 19
7:30pm Art Chat followed by reception

Chopin Theater
1543 W Division Street
Chicago, IL 60642

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Creative Minds Talks x *Unscripted* Bal Harbour



RHONA HOFFMAN

In 2014 Vanity Fair magazine named Rhona Hoffman one of America's 14 most important female art dealers. In 2015 she was awarded an honorary doctorate from School of the Art Institute of Chicago (SAIC), and in 2016 she celebrated her gallery's 40th year. Rhona Hoffman Gallery, an influential fixture in the international art arena, specializes in contemporary art that is conceptually, formally, or socio-politically based often by minority artists that are yet to have been widely shown. She shows no signs of slowing down.



TONY KARMAN

Tony Karman is the President and Director of EXPO CHICAGO. He has been active in the Chicago civic, business, and cultural communities for nearly 30 years. He was the Vice President and Director of Art Chicago from 2006 to 2010, and in late 2010 opened KARMAN projects inc. to provide strategic planning, management, fundraising, and marketing assistance to international clients such as Chicago Ideas Week/TEDxMidwest, Kellogg Innovation Network (KIN) Global Summit, and more. He also co-founded and is President of 4DArts, a not for profit organization designed to initiate and produce temporal interdisciplinary public art events throughout the Chicago area.

Creative Minds Talks

UNSCRIPTED BAL HARBOUR

- ART PROGRAM -

EXPO
CHICAGO
TOUR

THURSDAY
SEPTEMBER 22
2PM

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CONTEMPORARY
& MODERN ART
22-25
SEPTEMBER
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BAL HARBOUR RESIDENTS AND GUESTS ENJOY AN OPENING DAY PRIVATE TOUR OF THE 5TH INTERNATIONAL EXPO CHICAGO ART FAIR FEATURING 145 GALLERIES AS WELL AS SPECIAL EXHIBITIONS AND PROJECTS. ALSO INCLUDES VIP ACCESS TO THE ART FAIR THROUGH SEPTEMBER 25.