



Public Art Advisory Committee
Action Minutes
June 28th, 2021 3:30 p.m.
Zoom Meeting

Called to Order at 3:35 p.m.

Committee Members Present: Mayor Davis, Council Member Cunningham, Park & Recreation Commissioner Bonnie Bologoff, Park & Recreation Commissioner Leesa Greenlee, Committee Member Danette Davis, Committee Member Beth Grossman

Committee Members Absent: Committee Member Camille Olivier-Salmon

Staff Members Present: Assistant City Manager Schillinger, Admin. Management Analyst Ibarra

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A. Approve Minutes from May 25th, 2021 Public Art Advisory Committee

Minutes were amended and approved: Cunningham first, M. Davis seconded.

PRESENTATION AND DISCUSSION ITEMS

B. Discuss Implementation Guidelines

The Committee discussed whether the General Public Art Fund be considered for performing, temporary art, local art shows or community arts educational programming. Schillinger said that the “acquisition of art” could include temporary art. He will confirm with the Attorney and will receive an update for the next meeting. There was discussion whether the RFP’s specifically identifies that the City is an Equal Opportunity Employer. Schillinger says it does, but some of the Committee members wanted it brought more to the front of RFP’s. There were also questions regarding potential situations where a developer and the Public Art Committee cannot come to an agreement on an acceptable art project on their private property. Schillinger will talk with the Attorney about this and work on some language to add to the guidelines.

The Committee also discussed that it may be a good idea to present the Council updates during the process for their feedback and potentially receive more input and comments from the Public. This could be a workshop or during Council Updates.

The Committee asked Schillinger to give an update on the General Arts Fund at the next meeting.

The Committee received public comment from Kevin Fryer. Fryer thought that the \$10k spent on the Skatepark artist was not a waste if the Committee learned from it. He asked why the Skatepark mural did not go to Council after the Park & Recreation Commission did not recommend the project. Schillinger stated that it was right at the beginning of the COVID19 pandemic and more urgent issues had arisen for the Council.

C. Discuss the Committee's Workplan

Due to the lateness of the meeting, this topic will be discussed at the next meeting.

PUBLIC COMMENT

Michael Barnes mentioned that about 15 years ago, Charles Jencks gave an Arts Education lecture that the Committee may be interested in watching.

ADJOURNMENT

4:43PM

Next Meeting Date: Doodle Poll will be sent to the group.