



Public Art Commission Minutes

Tuesday, April 4, 2023, 12:00 PM

Council Chamber Overflow Room CH-116
203 Main Avenue East- Twin Falls, Idaho

Members: Laura Stewart, Chairperson; Melissa Crane, Vice-Chairperson; Amy Westover; Camille Barigar; Drew Nash; Janeale Dean; Tim Hafer

1) CALL MEETING TO ORDER/CONFIRMATION OF QUORUM

Laura Stewart called the meeting to order at 12:01 p.m. A quorum was present.

Members present: Laura Stewart, Chairperson; Melissa Crane, Vice-Chairperson; Amy Westover; Camille Barigar; Drew Nash; Janeale Dean; Tim Hafer (online, left at 12:32 p.m.)

Members absent: none.

Council Liaison (present): Alex Caval

Staff present: Wendy Davis, Parks and Recreation Director; Josh Palmer, Public Information Coordinator; Robin Hite, Traffic Technician; Elois Joseph, Parks Administrative Assistant.

2) CONSENT CALENDAR

3) ITEMS OF CONSIDERATION

- a) Request to approve the meeting minutes from the March 7, 2023, Public Art Commission Meeting minutes.

MOTION: Melissa Crane moved to approve the item as presented. Drew Nash seconded the motion. A roll call vote was conducted. Laura Stewart, yes; Melissa Crane, yes; Amy Westover, yes; Camille Barigar, yes; Drew Nash, yes; Janeale Dean, yes; Tim Hafer, yes. Approved 7 to 0.

- b) Review and revise website and public outreach options

Josh Palmer presented the updates on the City website's Public Art Commission webpage.

Including adding the survey results to the website was discussed.

Discussion ensued regarding adding an art gallery (website carousel) of Public Art Commission projects.

Commissioners will select 6 pieces to add to the website carousel and give the information to staff.

c) Review map of City-wide electrical boxes for electrical box wrap project proposal

Robin Hite presented the item.

Discussion ensued regarding pedestrian versus vehicular traffic areas. Having a mixture of both types of traffic areas was mentioned.

Considering cost and inflation, getting an updated quote for the wraps from Lytle Signs was discussed. Staff were tasked with getting an updated quote.

Tim Hafer left the meeting at 12:32 p.m.

The varying sizes of the traffic boxes in the City of Twin Falls was discussed.

Vinyl product longevity was discussed. Variation in product quality was mentioned – staff will reach out to Lytle Signs to get more information.

Entrance into South Park (#12 or #13 on map) was discussed. Discussion ensued regarding community engagement on pieces near South Park. Addressing concerns of vandalism and graffiti was mentioned.

Discussion ensued regarding legal waiver/liability to use artwork.

Considering a potential theme for the artwork for the wraps was discussed.

Discussion ensued regarding collaboration with URA to support some of these projects through funding.

Prioritizing the top locations for the start of this project was discussed. Discussion ensued.

Commissioners went around the room and discussed their top selection. Commissioners shared their selection as follows:

1. #12 South Park Ave/Shoshone St
2. #15 2nd Ave S/ Shoshone St
3. #9 Filer Ave/ Locust St
4. #32 Blue Lakes Blvd / Bridgeview Blvd
5. #14: Shoshone St / 2nd Ave E
6. #1: Pole line Rd/Blue Lakes Blvd

Commissioner Hafer's selection to the list as a seventh wrap box was mentioned.

4) GENERAL PUBLIC INPUT

5) ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 1:02 p.m.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Elois Joseph". The signature is written in a cursive style with a horizontal line under the word "Joseph".

Elois Joseph, Recording Secretary