



Public Art Commission Minutes

Tuesday, November 7, 2023, 12:00 PM

City Hall, Room 116
203 Main Avenue East, Twin Falls, Idaho

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

1) CALL MEETING TO ORDER/CONFIRMATION OF QUORUM

Melissa Crane called the meeting to order at approximately 12:01 p.m. A quorum was present.

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

Members absent: none.

Council Liaison (absent)

Staff present: Wendy Davis, Parks and Recreation director; Elois Joseph, Recording Secretary.

2) CONSENT CALENDAR

- a) Request to approve the meeting minutes from the October 3, 2023, Public Art Commission Meeting.

MOTION: Janeale Dean moved to approve the consent calendar as presented. Laura Stewart seconded the motion. A voice vote was conducted. All present voted in favor of the motion. Approved 7 to 0.

3) ITEMS OF CONSIDERATION

- a) Electrical Box Wrap Project.

The process for the project was discussed, including the following:

- Call to artists to select the art pieces for the wraps
- Potentially having Council approval twice - first for the process, and second for the project approval
- The first request to council would be to consider the approval of the use of funds, with the updated locations and quotes. An approval would allow the allocated budget for this project and the Commission to initiate efforts toward this project.

Discussion ensued regarding the information required to approach City Council

- The electrical box at South Park was considered. Having this be a community project to encourage engagement on this project was discussed. Establishing a call to artists from the neighborhood was discussed. Engaging with a community liaison to tap into groups such as the migrant summer camp, Oregon trail Elementary was discussed.

- Discussion ensued regarding having an open canvas where various artists can collaborate on the wrap at the South Park and Washington intersection was also discussed.
- Having the Artist fees on the two Community project electrical boxes (South Park/Washington and Filer/Locust near Twin Falls High School) go toward the Arts at local schools was discussed.
- Discussion ensued regarding the artists for the project. Local Twin Falls artists would be encouraged to participate.
- Finalizing the amount associated with the approval of the budget; and allowing a contingency potential increase in pricing for vinyl wraps.
- Potentially establishing a sub-committee to help facilitate the project was mentioned.
- Including this request on the November 27, 2023, City Council agenda was decided. Members of the commissioner were invited to attend this meeting.

4) GENERAL PUBLIC INPUT

There was no general public input at this meeting.

5) PUBLIC ART PROPOSAL UPDATE

a) Public Art Proposal Update November 2023

Updates were given to the commissioners regarding completed and in progress projects.

6) ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 12:57 p.m.

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

Elois Joseph, Recording Secretary