



Public Art Commission Minutes

Tuesday, October 1, 2024, 12:00 PM

Council Chamber Overflow Room CH-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

Janeale Dean called the meeting to order at approximately 12:00 p.m.

Members present: Janeale Dean, Vice-Chairperson; Drew Nash; Tim Hafer; Laura Stewart

Members absent: Melissa Crane, Chairperson; Amy Westover; Camille Barigar.

Council liaison (present): Craig Hawkins.

Staff present: Mitch Humble, Deputy City Manager; Wendy Davis, Parks and Recreation Director; Elois Joseph, Parks and Recreation Project Coordinator.

Guests present: none.

2) Consent Calendar

a) Request to approve the September 3, 2023 Public Art Commission Meeting Minutes.

b) Consider a request to reject proposal from Adrian Espinoza to include location at 820 Main Avenue to the Public Art Tour.

MOTION: Laura Stewart moved to approve the consent calendar as presented. Tim Hafer seconded the motion. A voice vote was conducted. All present voted in favor of the motion. Approved 4 to 0.

3) Items of Consideration

a) Consider artwork for the Electrical Box Wrap project for the location at Filer and Washington.

Wendy Davis and Mitch Humble presented the request. The proof document was reviewed.

Commissioners reviewed the document and commented on edits that they wanted to see on the proofs. Discussion ensued. The name placement on the document was discussed.

Commissioners provided direction for the Electrical Box Wrap project for the location at Filer and Washington. Runners up for the artist selection from the original submission were considered. Artist Dalton Coe was the first runner up considered – the artwork was selected and the placement on the box was determined.

Discussion ensued regarding the coverage of the boxes. Concerns regarding the adhesion of the vinyl wrap if not all sides are covered were raised. Staff will reach out to Alphagraphics with this concern and provide responses to the Commission.

Artist Jerry Dodds was considered as a potential back-up in the case that Dalton Coe's artwork was unavailable.

MOTION: Drew Nash moved to approve the artwork for the location with artist Dalton Coe's artwork as the primary selection, with artist Jerry Dodds as a back-up if the primary artist's artwork was unavailable. Laura Stewart seconded the motion. A voice vote was conducted. All present voted in favor of the motion. Approved 4 to 0.

b) Continue funding mechanism discussion

Wendy Davis and Mitch Humble presented the item, including the following:

- Budget allocation for FY 25 has been deposited into the Public Art budget.
- Alternate Funding mechanisms were discussed. Development fees as a mechanism was discussed; however, it is unavailable in the State of Idaho.
- Funds need to be sufficient to cover procurement and maintenance of art.
- Potentially doubling the current allocation of .05% to .1% was mentioned.
- Grant funding was discussed.
- Seagraves and First Federal foundation was discussed.

Discussion ensued regarding the prior fund amount and current allocation differences.

Building a schedule for the projects to demonstrate the need for additional funds at a future meeting was discussed.

Commissioner Hafer discussed potential funding mechanisms for the commission.

4) General Public Input

There was no general public input at this meeting.

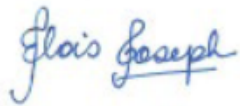
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5) Public Art Proposal Update

- a) October Meeting Update

6) Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 1:07 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 name.

Elois Joseph
Parks and Recreation Project Coordinator