



Downtown Arts Subcommittee

May 10, 2018

Meeting Notes

The Downtown Arts Subcommittee of the Urban Renewal Agency held a meeting on Thursday, May 10, 2018, at 9:00 a.m.

Present: Leon Smith, Fran Frost, Marjorie McBride, Tony Prater, Perri Gardner, Nathan Murray, Lorrie Bauer.

Absent: Carolyn White, Curtis Eaton, Dennis Bowyer, and Suzzane Cawthra.

Call to Artists:

Leon Smith shared that art for the Downtown Commons mural area and electrical boxes have been selected by the selection panel from submissions of the Call for Artists. He noted the names of the artists are being withheld at this time because they have not yet been notified. Perri Gardner presented the selections. All committee members present were in favor of the selections. Leon Smith will present the art selections to the URA Board on Monday, May 14th. Leon Smith and Marjorie McBride will now talk to Lytle Signs about production and installation. The estimated cost for this art project is \$21,000.

Other topics discussed:

- Possibility of utilizing 160 Main Ave building during this summer for some type of activity.
- Salvation Army building has a large wall and Captain Troy Cook has inquired if the URA/Downtown Arts can help add a mural. Leon Smith will reach out to him and get more information.
- Tony Prater asked if this committee could assist in the completion of a broken glass mural that the original artist/group has abandoned. It is located in the downtown area. Tony will try to get ahold of one of the persons that were a part of the mural group and find out more information about the project.

Lorrie Bauer, Recording Secretary