

City of Northfield

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Meeting Minutes - Draft Arts & Culture Commission

Monday, November 14, 2022 6:00 PM Council Chambers

CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 by Chair Hauck.

Present: 7 - Paula Granquist, Karna Hauck, Heather Lawrenz, Martha Anderson, Leah Rich,

Kate Woodstrup and Andrea Sjogren

Absent: 2 - Sam Nelson and Anna Lisa Rustad

ALSO PRESENT: Genevieve Tassava (Youth), Carsten Walter (Youth), Mayor Pownell, Natalie Draper (Library Director and Staff Liaison) and Kathy Rush Vizina (Clerical Liaison).

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

A motion was made by Lawrenz, seconded by Granquist, to approve the agenda as printed . The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 7 - Granquist, Hauck, Lawrenz, Anderson, Rich, Woodstrup and Sjogren

Not Present: 1 - Rustad

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Present: 7 - Paula Granquist, Karna Hauck, Heather Lawrenz, Martha Anderson, Leah Rich,

Kate Woodstrup and Andrea Sjogren

Absent: 2 - Sam Nelson and Anna Lisa Rustad

1. ACC October 10, 2022 Minutes Draft

Attachments: ACC October 10, 2022 Minutes draft

A motion was made by Anderson, seconded by Granquist, to approve the minutes of the October 10, 2022 ACC Meeting. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 7 - Granquist, Hauck, Lawrenz, Anderson, Rich, Woodstrup and Sjogren

Not Present: 1 - Rustad

PUBLIC COMMENT

There was no public comment.

NEW BUSINESS

2. Discussion of Art in City Hall 2023.

Attachments: 2023 AICH Call for artists PG

Commissioners discussed the call to artists for Art in City Hall exhibit for 2023. Talked about changing the age to 16 and up. Decided that Jan 3rd would be the submission deadline. January 4th would be the day to review the submitted pieces. Artists drop off and install date would be January 17th with the show opening January 20th. There would be a opening reception on February 13th before the ACC Meeting.

OLD BUSINESS

3. Living Treasure Award Update.

We have received 2 nominations. The Living Treasure's will gather and decide who they recommend for the Living Treasure award for 2023.

A motion was made by Woodstrup, seconded by Rich, to approve sending the two Living Treasure nominations to the Living Treasure Committee. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 7 - Granquist, Hauck, Lawrenz, Anderson, Rich, Woodstrup and Sjogren

Not Present: 1 - Rustad

REPORTS FROM COMMISSION MEMBERS AND CHAIR

The High School play was well received. The Arts Guild has a new gallery show. There is a new gallery at Just Foods for student work. Next month Chair Hauck will review roles of the ACC Members and what board and commissions each person will follow for 2023. Also a discussion of leadership for ACC for next year. Granquist reported on Planning Commission Meeting from August.

STAFF UPDATES

Staff Report on Public Art and Creative Placemaking.

Attachments: nov-14-22 public art report

Natalie is working with the State Arts Board and finalizing the survey. Target the survey to the arts community at first. Dec. 5th at 6:30 we are hosting a virtual engagement meeting in partnership with MN State Arts Board. Draper will send out a email that commissioners can forward out to their artists groups that invites people to take the survey.

Cecilia Cornejo is working to engage the Viking Terrace residents to express creativity in the community. The 1% will be paying for the consultant. Will be a PARC later on.

Martha, Andrea and Kate will make up the ACC members for the PARC to accept and place the Steel Magnolia sculpture.

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Rich, seconded by Lawrenz, to adjourn the meeting at 7:25 pm. The motion carried by the following vote:

Yes: 7 - Granquist, Hauck, Lawrenz, Anderson, Rich, Woodstrup and Sjogren

Not Present: 1 - Rustad