



**LAKEWOOD ARTS COMMISSION**  
**PUBLIC Art Subcommittee Meeting Minutes**  
**Date: Monday, January 25, 2022 Time: 4:00 PM – 5:00 PM**  
**Virtual Zoom Meeting**

**CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting was called to order at 4:00 p.m.

**ATTENDANCE:**

**Arts Commission Subcommittee Members Present:** Earl Borgert (Vice Chair), Lani Neil

**Arts Commission Members Excused:** Darryl Owens, Susan Warner

**Youth Council Liaison:** Angel Lee, absent, Angel Calderon, absent

**Staff:** Sally Martinez, Recreation Coordinator, Nicolette York, Office Assistant

**Council Liaison:** Patti Belle

**Guests:** Bryce Mangelson

**Unfinished Business:**

**Utility Box Wraps:**

**Designs:** Sally Martinez suggested we keep future designs intricate and avoid large patches of negative space to discourage vandalism.

**Locations:** Earl Borgert suggested that focusing efforts and placements of utility wrap boxes in one area as a way to maximize impact. He suggested Gravelly Lake Dr. because it is a high traffic area. Other suggested locations were near Custer Elementary and near the Sound Credit Union.

**Artist criteria:** New boxes can be pulled from prior artist submissions, or asking previously selected artists to make more designs. The following artists were considered for use in future boxes: Jorge Garcia (Submission #1), Jamie Joslyn, Todd Mason (Welcome to Paradise), Robert Sanchez. Leslie White (003aya 2, 3), Rosa Cruz.

Some locations have two utility boxes. Artists selected for those locations need create two coordinating designs. Some artists need to rework submitted format to fit box dimensions.

**Lakewood/Ford Dealership Wrap Partnership:** It was suggested that the Ford Dealership could sponsor the utility box wrap in front of the Ford dealership. The art would incorporate Ford branding simultaneously securing funding and creating an area theme. Box art would need to be approved by the business and the city. The

challenge is to balance the art without it looking like a promotion. Once successful, this process could be replicated in other areas.

**Motor Ave Events:** Sally Martinez facilitated discussion on how to manage transition between bands at Jazz Night. Bands will play for 90 minutes with a 45 minute transition period. One proposed solution was to have two stages. One active stage and the other is setting up and taking down. Another solution was to use the transition period to announce awards for the car show. Lani Neil suggested the High School Band could play between sets. Sally Martinez asked for suggestions for a third jazz band. Patti Belle suggested Daryl Montamity. Sally Martinez identified the need another meeting to discuss funding to overcome the \$30,000 budget deficit.

**New Business:**

**Rotating Art at City Hall:** Sally Martinez identified a potential partnership with the APCC to rotate art shows in city hall. Sally Martinez will follow up.

**NEXT MEETING:**

**Regular Arts Commission Meeting on Monday February 7, 2022 at 5:00 pm via Zoom**

**ADJOURNMENT:** The meeting adjourned at 4:45 p.m.

  
Linda McDermott, Chair

  
Sally Martinez, Recreation Coordinator