

Meeting Agenda Lakewood Arts Commission

Monday, October 23, 2023

HOW TO ATTEND

- **In-person**: Lakewold Gardens, Wagner House, 12317 Gravelly Lake Drive Southwest, Lakewood, WA 98499.
- **Virtually**: Online or by phone. Online: https://us06web.zoom.us/j/99677505460. Or dial (253) 215-8782 and enter participant ID: 996 7750 5460.

Persons requesting special accommodations or language interpreters should call 253-983-7835, as soon as possible in advance of the meeting so that an attempt to provide special accommodations can be made.

5:00 p.m. Welcome and Introductions.

5:30 p.m. Trusting in the Process Presentation. - Tyler Budge, Artist

6:00 p.m. Group Activity. - Exploring Personal Art Preferences

6:30 p.m. Dinner.

6:45 p.m. Group Activity. - Trusting in the Process

7:15 p.m. Review of City of Lakewood Art Policy.

7:30 p.m. Adjournment.

Bio of Guest Speaker

<u>Tyler Budge</u> is an artist who works primarily in sculpture, site-specific installation, kinetics and video projection. His works reference metaphors represented by objects or images to autobiographically address personal experience. Recent areas of investigation include: infertility, site displacement, reconciliation with self, and the constructs of gender. His art has been seen in numerous exhibitions nationwide.

Budge continually questions the meaning of making, the role of art in society and its power to create change in the self and/or community. As an Associate Teaching Professor at UWT, he encourages his students to connect their artistic practice to their local community, and current social issues.

