

Arts Commission Meeting Minutes

Monday, March 4, 2024, 5:00p.m. City of Lakewood – American Lake Conference Room 6000 Main Street SW Lakewood, WA 98499 https://www.youtube.com/user/cityoflakewoodwa Telephone via Zoom: 253.215.8782 Participant ID: 996 7750 5460

CALL TO ORDER

Emily Feleen called the meeting to order at 5:10 p.m.

ROLL CALL

<u>Arts Commission Members Present</u>: Emily Feleen-Chair, Earl Borgert-Vice Chair, Shauna Alexander, Sylvi Estrella, Paige Hansen, Lani Neil, Darryl Owens, Lua Pritchard, Susan Warner

Arts Commission Members Excused: Laura Martinez, Phil Raschke, Adriana Serrianne

Staff Present: Sally Martinez- Recreation Coordinator, Nikki York- Office Assistant

Youth Council Liaison Absent: Jaqueline Rodriguez-Leal, Ruffaro Guzha, Marcos Rivera

City Council Liaison Present: Patti Belle

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

LUA PRITCHARD MOVED TO ADOPT THE ARTS COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES OF FEBRUARY 5, 2024. SECONDED BY SUSAN WARNER. VOICE VOTE WAS TAKEN AND MPU.

PUBLIC COMMENT

None.

NEW BUSINESS

None.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Signal Box Wraps

Sally Martinez asked if the commission members would be able to be part of the subcommittee to determine which art goes on boxes at specific locations. Members that would like to be on the subcommittee are Shauna Alexander & Lani Neil. A subcommittee meeting will be scheduled. Print NW is measuring the boxes. Earl Borgert suggested an article on the creative process for the signal boxes on the website.

The Commission reviewed artwork submitted for the signal boxes from Eva Laboca, Charlotte Hanley, Keilana Del Rosario, Lincoln Chaney, Aniya Picket, Ashley Morgan, Sirus Singchalot, Eli Eaton, Kimo Phillip, Christine Strong, PLU Student Art Collective, Loretta Morgan Fernandez, Patricia Olsen, Marilyn Mason George, Brandi LaPointe, Annie Lynn, Renee Taylor, Ron Snowden, Suzanne Skarr, Rebecca Morgan, Marifel Flores, Madisen Wilde, Rich Reynold, Taylor Keller, Ginger Chanfrau, Suzanne Linda, Andy Ide, Ellesia Barradale and Jerry Chapman.

The commission discussed AI images and graphic art. Patti Belle discussed that digital art is still art. Graphic artists are artists too. Susan Warner brought up the concern of someone else's art being used and running into copyright issues.

The commission liked the work of the artists including Annie Lynn, Ashley Morgan, Brandi LaPointe, Charlotte Hanley (student), Madisen Wilde, Rebecca Morgan, Renee Taylor, Taylor Keller and Rich Reynold.

Rotating Art

Sally Martinez reminded the commission to come to Ron Snowden's Art Reception on Monday March 18th from 4pm-7pm. The Pierce College Faculty's reception will be on Monday April 15th from 5pm-7pm.

Fiesta de la Familia Update

There will be a student art competition this year.

COMMISSION COMMENTS

Sylvi Estrella and Darryl Owens had to leave early to go to the Council meeting. The people that participated in this year's MLK videos are being honored at the Council meeting.

NEXT MEETING

The next regular meeting of the Arts Commission is scheduled for Monday, April 1, 2024 at 5:00 p.m. in the American Lake Room at Lakewood City Hall, 6000 Main St SW, Lakewood, WA 98499

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 6:08 p.m.

Emily Feleen, Chair

Sally Martinez, Recreation Coordinator