

MINUTES
Grand Junction Commission on Arts and Culture (GJCAC)
Wednesday, September 25, 2019 Parks and Recreation Office, Lincoln Park

Commissioners Present: Gary Ambrosier, John Cooper, Sarah Dishong, Donna Fullerton, Dean Harris, Matt Janson, Kelley Raymond, Honora Thompson

Commissioners Absent: Ron Cloyd, Kristian Hartter

Others Present: Kelly Anderson, Daphne Grasmick Wright, Lorie Gregor

Chair Sarah Dishong called the meeting to order at 4:00pm. Gary Ambrosier moved to approve the minutes of the August 28 meeting. Dean Harris seconded the motion, and the minutes were approved unanimously.

NEW BUSINESS

Grand Junction Symphony Orchestra: Kelly Anderson gave his final report for Elixir of Love

Grand Junction Centennial Band: Daphne Grasmick Wright gave her final report for the Summer Concert Series

Proclamation Date: City Council will read a proclamation stating October as National Arts and Humanities month. The Commission is encouraged to attend. October 2, 2019 at 5:45pm, City Hall Auditorium. Sarah will speak on the Art Commission's behalf.

Cultural Plan Celebration: February 6, 2020 at 5:30-7:00pm, Hospitality Suite. All Commissioner's need to attend. Lorie will send out the invite list and ask for it to be updated. A list of potential speakers was compiled.

OLD BUSINESS

Creative Brainstorming: The Commission asked Lorie to look into the possibility of creating a new logo for the Commission.

Grant Adoptions: Grant adoptions were reviewed.

Champion of the Arts: The awards will be presented on December 15, 2019 at 3:00pm, Grand Junction High School. The Commission is partnering with the Centennial Band on marketing.

Airport Art: 12 spots in the secured area are available. The airport is looking into the insurance coverage. The Commission approved the location pending the airport insurance.

Art Exhibits:

October 7, 2019

City Hall @ 8:00am Sarah, Matt, Gary, Lorie

Avalon @ 2:30pm Donna, Kelley, Lorie

October 22, 2019

TRCC @ 8:00am Sarah, Gary, John, Lorie

REPORT AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Grand Junction Symphony Orchestra: Tabled due to Kristian's absence

D51: John Cooper updated us on his meeting with the Art Heritage coordinator, Tracy Lefebre.

TRCC Mural: *Where The Two Rivers Meet* will be dedicated and the artist introduced at 2:30pm on Saturday, October 5, 2019 at Main Stage during the Art Festival.

Anna Stout, City Council liaison has secured space for a weekly segment on high school art happenings in the Daily Sentinel.

The next regular meeting of the GJCAC will be 4:00 p.m. Wednesday, October 23, at the Parks and Recreation Office. As there was no further business, Sarah declared the meeting adjourned at 5:42p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Lorie Gregor