

MINUTES

Grand Junction Commission on Arts and Culture (GJCAC) Wednesday, October 8, 2025 – Lincoln Park Hospitality Suite

Commissioners Present: Robbie Breaux (Chair), Julie Matthews (Vice Chair), Pamela Blythe, Hank Braxtan, Laurel Cole, Libbie Early, Dora Fang, Kristin Mercer, Porcia Silverberg, Cynthia Zaitz

Commissioners Absent: Nora Hughes, Amy Wall

Others Present: Haley Van Camp

Chair Robbie Breaux called the meeting to order at 4:33 p.m.

BUSINESS

Discussion was had regarding the submitted proposals for the HAWK TSB Mural project. Haley presented the top three proposals based on the rankings received from the Commission members. It was noted that the eligibility for the call for artists for this project was for residing Colorado artists only. Cynthia Zaitz motioned to eliminate artist Amanda Stout's proposal as she was not a residing Colorado artist, Julie seconded the motion, and it passed unanimously. Laurel motioned to approve artist Bailey Dawn's proposal as the first choice, and Alan Licano as the second choice. Cynthia seconded the motion, and the vote passed unanimously.

Haley gave an update that the Superbloom artwork by Alex Bond would be installed in the 24 ½ and Four Canyons Parkway roundabout on Thursday, October 9, with ribbon cutting scheduled for October 16. The artwork by Seth Palmiter is planned to be installed in the Horizon Drive and G Road roundabout November 3 and 4, with a ribbon cutting scheduled for November 6.

As there was no further business, Libbie Early motioned to adjourn the meeting at 5:05 p.m., Laurel seconded, and the motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

Haley Van Camp