

Grand Junction Commission on Arts and Culture  
Minutes  
Tuesday, February 27, 2007

Commissioners Present:        Doug Clary                    Joan Meyers  
   Karen Kiefer                Lora Quesenberry  
   Jeanine Howe                Katherine Rhein

Commissioners Absent: Gunilla Bishop, and Vera Mulder  
Others Present: (see list of organization representatives below)

A special meeting of the Grand Junction Commission on Arts and Culture was held in the City Hall Auditorium on the above date. Chair Doug Clary called the meeting to order at 3:20pm. COMMISSION GRANT PROGRAM: The following organizations and representatives appeared before the Commission and made presentations explaining their grant requests for financial assistance to support arts and cultural events, projects, and programs in Grand Junction in 2007:

- Bookcliff Barbershop Harmony Chorus Youth in Harmony – Dennis Kiefer
- Western CO Chorale Fall Concert Billboard Ads – Dana Kelleher, LeRoy Donegan
- Graham Celtic Productions “An Evening of Celtic Entertainment” – Joseph Graham
- Artmobile of Montana/Colorado Traveling Art Exhibits – Sara Colburn, Stan Whittington
- KRMJ-TV Rocky Mt. PBS “Western Bounty” arts segments – Greg Mikolai
- Mesa Co. Valley School District #51 Artists-in-Residence – Connie Robbins-Brady
- KAFM Community Radio Entertainment Calendar/Vol. 2 CD – Emily Parker, Julia Hall
- Downtown Partnership 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Art & Jazz Festival – Leigh Ashman
- Artspace & Open Studios Business Seminars for Artists – Linda Brotman-Evans
- Cinema at the Avalon Web/TV Ad Campaign – Linda Brotman-Evans
- The Schumann Singers Concert Music Purchases – Verda Patterson, Sara Hermundstadt
- Western CO Botanical Gardens Summer Music at the Gardens – Kim Swindle, Mike Grode
- Sweetwater Shakespeare Co. “Midsummer Night’s Dream” – Jo Sanburg, Peter Ambrose
- Western CO Center for the Arts Summer Art Camp – Gaynell Colaric
- Western CO Watercolor Society National Juried Exhibition – Sandy King
- Grand Junction Centennial Band Music Library Purchases – Allen Crim
- Western Slope Chamber Music Series Concert – Tim Mientke
- Hilltop Community Resources “My Name is Not Eve” Play – Karla Kitzman
- High Desert Opera New Year’s Eve Gala Concert – Ed Arnos
- CO Plateau Mt. Bike Assoc. 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Bike Festival – Noel Weddle, Chris Brown
- Messiah Choral Society of GJ Annual “Messiah” Concert – Ed Arnos
- Two Chairs Theater Co. “The Routine Noise of Living” – Diane Anglim
- Center for Independence Arts & Crafts for People with Disabilities – Helen Jazdyk
- GJ Musical Arts Assoc/GJ Symphony Weber/Dvorak Concert – Krystyn Hartman

No representative appeared on behalf of the application for the Museum of Western Colorado’s Two Rivers Chautauqua Festival at Cross Orchards. As there was no further business to come before the Commission, the chairman adjourned the meeting at 6:25pm.

Respectfully submitted,

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