

MINUTES
Grand Junction Commission on Arts and Culture (GJCAC)
Wednesday, October 25, 2017 Parks and Recreation, Lincoln Park

Commissioners Present: Betsey Dick, Sarah Dishong, Roseann Lyle, Sandie Nadelson, Ellen Moore, Andy Hamilton, Gary Ambrosier, Honora Thompson, Betsy Brodak

Absent: Merritt Kinsey

Others Present: Lorie Gregor

Andy Hamilton, Vice-Chair, called the meeting to order at 4:00pm. Roseann Lyle motioned to accept the minutes of the September 27th meeting. Sandie Nadelson seconded the motion, and the minutes were approved unanimously.

NEW BUSINESS

Latin-Anglo Alliance: Therese Moran presented on the 37th annual Cinco do Mayo festival. It was a very successful event held on May 6, 2017. Her report is attached.

GJ Symphony – Charles Latshaw and Betsy Brodak presented on An Evening Under the Stars. It was held August 26th at Sherwood Park. 3000 attended.

Las Colonias Art Project – Tania & Erik Cornelison presented the ideas of the Grand Junction Lions Club for the art installation at Las Colonias. Honora Thompson, Sandie Nadelson, and Ellen Moore will be the sub-committee to work on this project.

Chair and Vice-Chair Vote: Andy Hamilton for Chair, was nominated by Gary Ambrosier, seconded by Sandie Nadelson and was unanimously approved. Sarah Dishong for Vice-Chair was nominated by Sandie Nadelson, seconded by Roseann Lyle and was unanimously approved. Congratulations Andy and Sarah!

2018 Schedule: Lorie handed out the 2018 schedule for the Art Commission. (Attached)

OLD BUSINESS

Grand Junction Strategic Cultural Plan meeting: The meeting is scheduled for 2/15/18, 3:30 -5:30pm at the Hospitality Suite.

Email list to be finalized Nov. 1 and save the dates sent out.

Overview:

Power Point of Overview, add checks next to accomplished goals, dot next to goals in progress based on list of accomplishments. Betsey Dick will create this document.

Ask for additional accomplishments

Have priority sheets around the room related to goals & a dream sheet

Have a task force sheet for people to sign up

Lorie will create drafts of everything for the next meeting.

REPORTS

KAFM: Honora reported on the Community Calendar for KAFM Radio. She was shown the equipment and was able to record some of the calendar. She suggested a Commission link be added to KAFM website. Report attached.

Committee Reports: Write On! Lorie gave the bookmarks to Betsey Dick for distribution in the public libraries and school libraries. A psa has been written for KAFM and promotion is in full swing. The auditorium is reserved at City Hall on January 12. Deadline is Dec. 1.

Grand Valley Creative District Alliance: The Blue Print met with the community on October 13. Next steps need to be set. Colorado Creative Industries invited Grand Junction to apply for Creative District Status.

The next regular meeting of the GJCAC will be 4:00 p.m. Wednesday, November 15 at the Hospitality Suite. As there was no further business, Andy declared the meeting adjourned at 5:45pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Lorie Gregor