

MINUTES
Grand Junction Commission on Arts and Culture (GJCAC)
Wednesday, June 27 2018 Parks and Recreation Office, Lincoln Park

Commissioners Present: Sarah Dishong, Andy Hamilton, Kristian Hartter, Nora Hughes, Roseann Lyle, & Honora Thompson

Absent: Donna Fullerton, Merritt Kinsey, Gary Ambrosier

Others Present: Lorie Gregor, Bennett Boeschstein

Andy Hamilton - Chair, called the meeting to order at 4:03pm. Roseann Lyle motioned to accept the minutes of the January meeting. Sarah Dishong seconded the motion, and the minutes were approved unanimously.

NEW BUSINESS

Social Media Marketing Schedule: The Marketing Committee has created a calendar that the Commission may add to in order to schedule Facebook posts. The Marketing Committee will be responsible for creating and scheduling the posts. Kristian is gathering photos to update profile pics. Lorie changed the avatar for the Commission's page on website.

Art Aspen: The Commission is interested in having a tour of the show floor and discussion with galleries - emerging artists. Lorie will contact them and set this up.

OLD BUSINESS

Website Clean Up: All Commissioners but 2 have completed the website cleanup. Goal for those is by the next meeting.

Art Exhibits:	City Hall: 7/9 @ 8:00am	Lorie, Roseann, Sarah, Gary
	Avalon: 7/9@ 2:30pm	Lorie, Roseann, Kristian, Gary
	Two Rivers 7/16 @8:00am	Lorie, Sarah, Nora, Donna

REPORTS

Committee Reports:

Art in Public Places: All but 2 sculptures have been cleaned and waxed, which will be done in July. Posts have been put on Facebook regarding cleaning and location of sculptures and is getting high engagement.

Arts Education: Distribution of the contest will go to the schools again. The submissions will go onto an 8.5 x 11 sheet of paper. The committee will design the bookmarks. Prize packages will be pursued from local businesses.

Champion of the Arts: The committee decided to continue requesting nominations from the community with a more assertive effort to engage the community. *Need to confirm presentation at Centennial Band Christmas concert.* Sarah talked to organizations at Take Part in Art. She also gave the information letter to the Creative District committee and GVCA. Grantees will be approached about nominating recipients.

Take Part in Art: Lorie passed out the feedback results from the event. (See attached) Great reception from attendees. A sub-committee will be formed at the next meeting to assist Lorie with this event. Important for everyone to attend due to community outreach. Sarah suggested adding the question to the form: How did you hear about event?

GVCA: Application for the Creative District will be turned in by June 30. Acceptance notification will be in September. They are planning on announcing it at the Art Festival.

Grants: To ensure proper training new commissioners will pair up with seasoned commissioners. To be established at July meeting. The adoptions will be a standing agenda item to ensure proper coverage.

aRT – Fruiita: 5 submissions have been received for the Little Salt Wash/Kokopelli project. Meeting will be held June 28 to choose 2 muralists.

Electric Art: Signal Boxes (TSBs) on 4th and Main and 5th and Main will be painted out as part of the Art Festival. Lorie is working on the call for artists. Downtown Grand Junction will pay stipend of \$1500 each.

*A group picture will be taken at the July meeting.

The next regular meeting will be July 25 at 4:00pm at the Park and Recreation Office. As there was no further business, Andy declared the meeting adjourned at 5:35pm.

Respectfully submitted,
Lorie Gregor

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Lorie Gregor". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned below the typed name.