



City of Keller
Public Arts Board
Meeting Minutes

Keller Town Hall
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Wednesday, July 10, 2024

REGULAR MEETING 5:30 P.M.

A. CALL TO ORDER

Chairperson Wyatt called the regular Public Arts Board meeting to order at 5:32 P.M.

Members Present:

Chairperson Brenda Wyatt
Vice-Chairperson Dorene Badalamenti
Jo-Ann Stankus
Leslie Bacak
Debbie Wolfe
Elisha Van Deventer
Tim Fontenot
Paul Dippolito

Members Absent:

Michael Polydoroff

Staff Present:

Lupe Orozco, Administrative Services Manager
Libby Gergely, Administrative Assistant

B. MINUTES

1. [Consider approval of the minutes of the June 12, 2024 regular Public Arts Board meeting.](#)

A motion was made by Board Member Wolfe, seconded by Board Member Badalamenti to approve the minutes of the June 12, 2024 regular Public Arts Board meeting. The motion carried unanimously.

C. PERSONS TO BE HEARD

No persons to be heard.

This is a time for the public to address the Board on any subject. However, the Texas Open Meetings Act prohibits the Board from discussing issues which the public has not been given seventy-two (72) hours' notice. Issues raised may be referred to City Staff for research and possible future action.

D. DISCUSSION

1. [Upcoming Art Events](#)

Chairperson Wyatt met with Friends of the Keller Library President, Jana Prock regarding potential activities. President Prock shared bookmarks that were made, highlighting the Mila Sketch mural on the outside of the building.

The reception for "4+1 Feminine Perspectives in Clay & Acrylic will be held on Thursday, July 18th, 7:00 P.M.

2. [Keller Art Walk sponsorships](#)

Ms. Orozco sought input on the Keller Art Walk sponsorship levels, and dollar amounts for each.

3. [Keller's Got Talent featuring music](#)

The Board Members shared their input regarding the potential of having a music component to Keller's Got Talent. It was determined that it would be feasible to produce a musical talent event for spring 2026, allowing the newly formed committee of Board Members Bacak, Van Deventer and Dippolito to research and organize the event. They will update the Board accordingly.

4. [CODAworx - Economic Power of Public Art](#)

A discussion took place regarding the CODAworx - Economic Power of Public Art and the importance public art plays in the overall development of a city, and its impact on the residential and business environment. A request was made by the Board to invite Mayor Mizani to a meeting to discuss what the Council's vision for the public arts program entails.

E. ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENTS

Ms. Orozco updated the Board on the Sports Park Mural, which is 8 murals rather than 4. The committee will be meeting again to include the architects of the project.

1. [Budget Update](#)

The balance of the Development Fee fund is \$212,000 +/-.

F. ADJOURN

Vice-Chairperson Badalamenti made a motion, seconded by Board Member Stankus to adjourn the meeting at 6:54 P.M. The motion carried unanimously.

Chairperson

Staff Liaison

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