

City of Keller Public Arts Board Meeting Minutes

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Wednesday, January 8, 2020

REGULAR MEETING 5:30 P.M.

A. CALL TO ORDER - Brenda Wyatt, Chairperson

Chairperson Wyatt called the meeting to order at 5:35 p.m.

The following Board Members were present:

Chairperson Brenda Wyatt

Vice-Chairperson Leslie Horn

Dorene Badalamenti

Frank Peterson

Jo-Ann Stankus

Grant Benatar

Debbie Wolfe

Rebecca Glasser

Paul Dippolito

Staff present:

Sarah Hensley, Administrative Services Manager

Libby Gergely, Administrative Assistant

B. PRESENTATION - None

C. MINUTES

1. Consider approval of the minutes of the January 8, 2020 Public Art Board meeting.

A motion was made by Board Member Peterson, seconded by Board Member Badalamenti, to approve the minutes of the Public Arts Board meeting held on Wednesday, November 13, 2019. The motion carried unanimously.

D. 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.

E. NEW BUSINESS - None

F. DISCUSSION

1. Introduction of new board members.

New Board Members Debbie Wolfe, Rebecca Glasser and Paul Dippolito introduced themselves to the membership.

2. Appoint a Vice-Chairperson

Board Member Badalamenti nominated Board Member Horn as Vice-Chairperson of the Board. The nomination passed unanimously.

3. Discuss Town Hall Rotating Art Shows

Chairperson Wyatt updated the Board with a complete schedule of Rotating Arts shows for 2020. Work has begun on the 2021 show schedule.

4. Discuss 2019-20 Public Arts Events and Programs

Mrs. Hensley reported to the Board on the planning of the 2020 Winter Film Series, the impending call-for-art for the 4th annual Old Town Keller Rotating Sculpture Program, and ticket availability for the Fort Worth Symphony concert. The Board reviewed the 2019 Keller Art Walk and discussed possible changes for the 2020 event.

G. ADMINISTRATIVE COMMENTS

1. Budget Update

Mrs. Hensley shared that the current fund balance for the Public Arts Special Revene Fund is \$171,856. There are pending expenditures of \$15,000 to Brad Oldham Sculptures, and sculpture pad construction, TBD.

2. Receive an update on the Animal Services Sculpture project.

Mrs. Hensley shared that the first bid for the Animal Services Sculpture plaza were more than twice the architect's estimate. City staff is reviewing the design to make a determination on next steps..

H. ADJOURN

A motion was made by Board Member Peterson, seconded by Board Member Badalamenti, to adjourn the meeting at 7:14 p.m. The motion carried unanimously.

Staff Liaison