Minutes of a Regular Public Art Commission Meeting
February 25, 2025

A regular meeting of the Blue Springs Public Art Commission was held on Tuesday, February 25, 2025 at :00pm at the Fieldhouse. The Chairman called the meeting to order.

Taylor Beller – Present
Ramon Magee - Present
Kathy Cornelius- Present
Elizabeth Owen – Present
Valorie Montgomery- Present
Christie Brady - Absent

City Council Liaison: Kent Edmondson - Absent
Parks Dept. Staff: Mary Herrington

A motion was made by Ramon and seconded by Valorie to accept the Minutes of the January meeting as presented; it passed unanimously.

Financial Report. The financial report was available for review. There were no questions

2025 Temporary Art Exhibit "Wonder"

- Discussion was held regarding the art pieces submitted to Creative Communities Alliance (CCA) for the fourth art piece for the "Wonder" Exhibit. Mary indicated the PAC would need a list of 5 pieces, ranking them from 1st – 5th for the CCA draft. After discussion a vote was held resulting in a tie for the commission's top pick. A final deciding vote was conducted, and piece titled "Peace" was selected for as the top choice by majority vote. The PAC then selected their next four pieces.
- It was agreed that exact locations of each art piece would be decided at next months meeting once the art piece from the CCA was selected.

Status/Information/Updates

- The PAC reviewed and discussed the PAC 2023/24 annual report prepared by Taylor. A motion was made by Liz to approve the report. Ramon seconded the motion. The motion passed unanimously.

Visitors/Public Comment

- None

Other Business-

- Ramon followed up regarding the temporary art for the 2026 World Cup. Mary indicated she would follow up with Administration regarding funds that would be available.

As there was no further business, a motion for adjournment was made by Kathy and seconded by Liz. Meeting was adjourned at 5:00pm

_____ Taylor Beller, Chairman