

IVINS CITY ARTS COMMISSION

For: March 13, 2024

The Ivins City Arts Commission (ICAC) met at 5 p.m. on March 13, 2024 at Ivins City Hall in the Council Chambers. Members in attendance were Michele Adams (Chair), Daphne Schroth (Vice Chair), Marilee Perkal, Evelyn Kosidowski, Judith Hutcheson, Kristina Cannon and Elizabeth Fortney.

The meeting was called to order at 5:00 p.m. The Chair acknowledged there was a quorum. There were no conflicts among the commissioners. Judith moved to approve the minutes of the January meeting. Daphne seconded. Members unanimously approved the minutes.

Michele reported on the Art on Loan results. Michele and Daphne recognized Judith for her work on the judging forms. Eleven pieces were submitted. Eight judges reviewed the work, including Arts Commissioners (except Liz Fortney), Miranda Wright and Kevin Smith. 6 pieces were selected, including two sculptures, one photograph, and three paintings. Recommendations will be presented to City Council for approval at their next meeting.

The next task is to prepare for the opening on Monday, May 13th at 5:00 p.m. Art must be delivered on May 6th. Winners will be notified following the City Council meeting. We need to plan the program and the reception. Evelyn suggested that we have another featured youth artist and have him/her attend the reception. We need to get a name plaque for each piece. Artists should pick up last year's pieces on May 6th. Daphne, Liz, Michele and Judith will determine where pieces will be hung. Mayor Hart also wants to have input as to placement of the pieces. We will meet from 4:00 - 6:00 p.m. on May 6th to place the work.

Four Commissioners' terms expire on April 1st. Liz, Daphne, Kristina and Evelyn will each serve for an additional two year term. Liz will continue as secretary. Judith moved that Daphne serve as Chair. Everyone seconded and unanimously voted to approve the motion. Michele will serve as Vice-Chair.

Daphne would like to discuss document storage with the planning commission to see what they are doing. It would be advantageous to be consistent. Daphne wants to be transparent with the community and have a single storage point. Jennifer did not indicate that there is cloud storage available. Daphne and Liz are not excited about Google Docs.

Kristina still needs Liz's photo, which was sent over two months ago, but not received. Liz will re-send it.

Tiffany Wynn wants to name the volunteer organization.

The Our Town Grant awards are scheduled to be announced by the end of April. We will need to have a meeting with the committee in the near future.

Daphne spoke to the new director of the St. Georges Arts Commission. St. George has a video promoting the RAP tax that they will make available for our use. Daphne recommended that we make a list of RAP tax benefits to various local organizations and solicit their support. We should also get letters of support from local artists and organizations. Sharon Barton stated that she met with the Washington County Commissioners and that there is no issue with RAP tax being on the ballot and that we should proceed forward in promoting RAP.

Michele asked if there were any additional items that needed discussion. Being none, Marilee moved to adjourn the meeting. Judith seconded. The meeting adjourned at 5:27 p.m. The next Arts Commission meeting is on April 10, 2024 at 5:00 p.m.