



**MINUTES**  
**Arts Commission Meeting**  
**Wednesday, February 19, 2020 City Hall- Council Chambers,**  
**39250 Pioneer Blvd., Sandy, Oregon 97055 6:00 PM**

**COMMISSIONER PRESENT:** Lou Sennick, Commissioner, Sandra Jordan , Commissioner, Marcia Morrow, Commissioner, Pamela Smithsted, Commissioner, and Becky Hawley, Commissioner

**COMMISSIONER ABSENT:**

**STAFF PRESENT:** Carl Exner, Councilor and Tyler Deems, Finance Director

**MEDIA PRESENT:**

**1. WORK SESSION**

1.1. Arts Commission Applicant Update

**Tyler Deems, Finance Director**, provided an update on the open Commission seat. To date, there have been two applicants. Interviews will likely be conducted the first week of March.

1.2. Public Art Forum Update

**Commissioner Jordan** provided an updated regarding the Public Art Forum. At this point in time, there has been very few RSVPs. The Commission discussed the Forum and the supplies that are needed.

1.3. Mural Restoration Updates (Cooke and Thomas murals)

**Commissioner Hawley** provided the Commission with an updated regarding the Thomas mural. Gary Kim will be applying the the protective coating in the coming weeks. The hope is to have the mural re-hung by the end of March. Councilor Exner would like to have an unveiling once the mural has been put on display.

The Cooke Mural will be celebrated on May 2nd at 3:00 pm at AEC. Council and Staff would be invited to the reception, which would be followed by a public re-dedication ceremony.

1.4. Public Comment

**Becky Hawley** addressed the Commission regarding a mural idea called "Growing Together." The idea stems from the community growing together as a family. There are many different aspects to the proposal, including an opportunity for members of the public to make a donation and have some personalized components on specific pieces of art. The location would be the east side of Brad Picking's building on Hoffman, across from Centennial Plaza. The building will likely be painted in the near future, and this would be a perfect time to begin work on the project. Mrs. Hawley discussed the scope of work and possible partnerships.

**Tyler Deems, Finance Director**, provided the Commission with information related to the next steps in this process.

**Councilor Exner** provided feedback on the mural and who would have the ultimate control over the mural.

**2. REGULAR MEETING**

**3. Pledge of Allegiance**

**4. Roll Call**

**5. Changes to the Agenda**

5.1. "Growing Together" Mural Discussion

The Commission discussed pursuing the "Growing Together" concept and conduct additional research on how to make this a City project.

Moved by Marcia Morrow, seconded by Sandra Jordan

*Motion to consider the development of a silhouette mural on the Brad Picking building.*

CARRIED.

**6. Public Comment**

None.

**7. Consent Agenda**

7.1. Arts Commission Minutes

Motion to approve the consent agenda as amended to include Sandra Jordan

in the January 3, 2020 1% for Art Discussion.

**8. Adjourn**

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Chair, Becky Hawley

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Vice Chair, Marcia Morrow