

Public Arts Committee

Minutes

March 7, 2018

The Fayette County Public Arts Committee met in an Official Meeting on March 7, 2018 at 7:05p.m. in the Conference Room of the Fayette County Administrative Complex, 140 Stonewall Avenue, Fayetteville, Georgia.

Committee Members Present: Martha Akin
Heather Cap Roger Sibaja
Donna Thompson

1. Call to order by Committee Chair Donna Thompson.

Donna Thompson called the meeting to order at 7:05 p.m.

2. Acceptance of Agenda

Roger Sibaja made motion to accept agenda. Heather Cap seconded.

No discussion.

Motion passed 4-0-0.

3. Approval of Minutes of February 7, 2018 meeting.

Martha Akin made a motion to approve the minutes. Heather Cap seconded.

No discussion.

Motion passed 4-0-0.

OLD BUSINESS

4. Discussion of Chalk Events.

Heather Cap made motion to discuss Chalk Art. Martha Akin seconded.

Donna Thompson worked with County staff to secure traffic barricades for the Fayetteville chalk event. Heather Cap said with regard to the budget we should only need about \$150 to replenish consumables and possibly some advertising. Heather is going to make contact with Peachtree City to see if they have an event we can partner with. Donna said they have designated Drake Field as the preferred location to have chalk. Heather referenced the budget that was previously approved and asked if all of that had been spent. Donna will check, but said she did not believe all the funds were spent. Heather will prepare an overview of the chalks events.

No vote required.

5. Discussion of Birdhouse Project.

Martha Akin made motion to discuss Birdhouse Project. Heather Cap seconded.

Heather Cap said she and Donna took a tour of the birdhouses that were completed in Tyrone in 2017. They have placed the birdhouses in five locations in public park areas. There was discussion concerning how to put tags on any birdhouses that will be completed and the need to have all birdhouses donated for public spaces come through the Committee as the cities will need to determine where they are placed. Donna will make contact with Peachtree City to determine who will place, locations and if we can use poles.

No vote required.

6. Updates on Projects for 2018.

Martha Akin made motion to discuss 2018 projects. Heather Cap seconded.

PopUps -

PopUp Chalk on April 21 - Junk Mama's General Store. They are hosting a plant swap for Earth Day.

Chalk - events scheduled:

Tyrone - Dog Walk and St. Paddy's Day - March 17, 9a-12p.

Tyrone - Shamrock Arts - May 19, 12p-5p

Balloons over Fayette - June 9, 5p-10p

Fayetteville - September 15, 9a-5p

Peachtree City - TBD

Scarecrows -

Martha Akin said she submitted the set-up dates to Tameca. She will follow-up again for confirmation.

Lanterns - events:

Balloons over Fayette - June 9

Tyrone/Christmas - December 2

Balloons -

June 9 - 5p-10p (we're doing chalk and lantern parade)

We will assist with acknowledging the winner of the T-shirt contest at an upcoming BOC meeting.

Earth Day -

Heather Cap said the Southern Conservation Trust is taking over coordination of Earth Day. She is on distribution for planning group. They are holding the event at Line Creek on Sunday, April 22. Donna said Nick from SCT called her asking assistance with some projects for April 22. Heather said she could not take any more on and probably cannot attend. Roger Sibaja is out of town and Martha Akin is not available. Donna said she will handle by herself.

Fayetteville Market Day Trick or Treat -

Donna reminded everyone we voted to do this event and closer to the event we will need people to sign up for times to work the event.

No Vote Required on any projects.

7. Discussion of Project Requests.

Heather Cap made motion to discuss Project Requests. Martha Akin seconded.

Tyrone Winter Break

Donna Thompson said we assisted Tyrone Recreation with their Winter Break. Dream Weaving and Kindness Rocks were done. Tyrone is going to hang the hoops in the park.

Utility Boxes

Donna Thompson is awaiting written confirmation that we can paint the boxes near the Courthouse prior to moving forward.

Animal Shelter

Donna mentioned one additional item. The Shelter shared a design that a student completed which they would like to use as art on the building. There was discussion regarding sign regulations in that area, how it could be done and if this honored the open call to artists we are required to follow. All agreed there needed to be an open call to artists if we are involved.

Martha Akin made motion to revisit with the Shelter regarding our procedures. Roger Sibaja seconded.

Motion passed 4-0-0.

NEW BUSINESS

OTHER BUSINESS

Heather Cap made motion to discuss Other Business. Martha Akin seconded.

Open Positions

Donna Thompson said the three open positions will soon be advertised. Selection Committee will be Commissioners Steve Brown and Randy Ognio.

Artist Application

Heather Cap asked about the simplified form for the PopUps. Donna said she did have a revised copy for everyone to look at. There were no suggested changes. Donna will send the Pdf form to everyone to share with artists.

Next Meeting

Donna Thompson said the next meeting is Monday, March 19.

Adjournment

Heather Cap called for motion to adjourn. Roger Sibaja seconded.
Motion passed 4-0-0. Meeting adjourned 8:10pm.

Donna Thompson, Chair
Fayette County Public Arts Committee