

MINUTES  
ARTS AND HUMANITIES ADVISORY BOARD  
REGULAR MEETING  
CITY COMMISSION CONFERENCE ROOM  
April 7, 2016 – 11:45 A.M.

Present were the following members of the Arts and Humanities Advisory Board: Mr. Chris Boxberger, Dr. Wayne Goins, Ms. Joleen Hill, Mr. Todd Holmberg, Mr. Jay Nelson, Mr. Aaron Oleen, Ms. Livie Olsen, and Ms. Shelly Richardson.

Employees present at this meeting were Mr. Randi Clifford, Recreation Director; Ms. Tarica Lare, Recreation Supervisor; and Ms. Ginny Pape, Recreation Supervisor.

MINUTES

Ms. Hill called the meeting to order. After discussion, it was moved and seconded to approve the minutes of the March meeting. On vote, motion carried 8-0.

WELCOME/INTRODUCTION OF NEW BOARD MEMBERS

Ms. Hill welcomed new Board members Dr. Wayne Goins and Mr. Aaron Oleen. All Board members and City of Manhattan employees provided brief introductions. Ms. Hill then explained the background of the Arts and Humanities Advisory Board, as well as an update on current goals and projects.

BOARD MEMBER TERMS

Mr. Clifford provided a handout of current Board member terms.

PUBLIC ART PLACEMENT GUIDELINES REVISION

Ms. Hill provided background on the process of creating the Public Art Placement Guidelines, while Mr. Nelson explained the current processes in place for the acquisition of new public art. Mr. Clifford presented the Public Art Placement Guidelines, as revised at the 3/3/2016 meeting of the Arts and Humanities Advisory Board. After discussion, Mr. Boxberger moved to accept the revised Public Art Placement Guidelines. Mr. Nelson seconded, and on vote, motion carried 8-0.

The Board noted the importance of outreach and discussed ways to disseminate the Public Art Placement Guidelines to the community. Mr. Clifford suggested that the Board request guidance from Ms. Angie Sutton, Manhattan Parks and Recreation Community Relations Director. Dr. Goins recommended that the Guidelines be presented to the K-State Faculty Senate. Mr. Holmberg offered to reach out to the Manhattan Rotary Club to get members of the Arts and Humanities Advisory Board on their meeting agenda. Ms. Hill and Mr. Nelson volunteered to speak to the Manhattan Rotary Club. Mr. Oleen mentioned that the Aggieville Business Association might be interested in the Public Art Placement Guidelines, specifically concerning any public art to be placed within Triangle Park.

AIRPORT ADVISORY BOARD UPDATE

Ms. Richardson indicated that she had not yet been contacted by the Airport Advisory Board. Mr. Clifford assured Ms. Richardson and Mr. Boxberger that the Airport Advisory Board had been notified of their intention to assist. Dr. Goins suggested that the Board also contact a member of the K-State Architecture Department for assistance with art placement within the Airport. Mr. Clifford discussed the role of the Arts and Humanities Advisory Board in assisting with the Airport Advisory Board.

OTHER BUSINESS

Mr. Nelson indicated that he would like to help the Library Board with any public art placement in the future.

Mr. Boxberger informed the Board that he would be attending the next Peace Memorial Task Force meeting, and would report back at the May meeting.

Dr. Goins and Ms. Pape discussed the possibility of holding a mini Jazz festival during the Arts in the Park series.

The meeting was adjourned.