



City of La Crosse, Wisconsin

City Hall
400 La Crosse Street
La Crosse, WI 54601

Meeting Minutes

Arts Board

Friday, April 6, 2018

8:30 AM

5th Floor Conference Room

Call to Order

Weidenbach called the meeting to order at 8:32 am.

Roll Call

Present: 5 - Doug Weidenbach, Kate Parker, Jennifer Terpstra, Barry McKnight, Dillon McArdle

Excused: 4 - Roger Christians, Gail Cleary, Robin Moses, Dick Record

Approval of Minutes

Terpstra made a motion, Parker seconded, to approve the 3/2 minutes. The motion carried by a voice vote.

Notices and Discussions

"Goodbye Tent City" Reception will be 4/27 @ 4:30-6 pm. LNDNA First Monday's begin 5/1. La Crosse Reads kickoff on 4/10.

Agenda Items:

- 1 [18-0338](#) Discussion and action on artist commission for Main St. Parking Ramp mural

Terpstra likes how perspective design turned out, but Sheely prefers original. Next steps would be to get permit from Engineering and scissor lift rental.

Parker made a motion, McArdle seconded, to approve the non-perspective version of the mural. The motion carried by a voice vote.
- 2 [18-0456](#) Request to Jury Banned Books Weeks Submissions and Contribute to Prize Money - McKnight

Event is last week in September and raises issues of censorship. Library partnered with Murphy Library and Pump House. Art is due August 1st and displayed September and October. Staff suggested displaying a piece at City Hall as tie in.

Terpstra made a motion, Parker seconded, to approve the request. The motion carried by a voice vote.
- 3 [18-0341](#) Consideration of contribution to *Hérons of La Crosse* 10th Anniversary display

Attachments: [Hyperlink](#)

All herons will be on display on Main Street walkway April through September.

McKnight made a motion, Terpstra seconded, to approve a \$500 sponsorship. The motion carried by a voice vote.

4 [18-0184](#)

Approval of 2018 Work Plan

Attachments: [2017 Work Plan](#)
 [2018 Work Plan Draft](#)

Weidenbach wants to track down scrolls and donate back to UW-L art program for reuse. Terpstra suggested a public art walk in conjunction with listening session; similar to Hear, Here with student involvement. Fukuda reported desire to relocate dancers sculpture in Pump House parking lot.

Parker made a motion, McArdle seconded, to approve the work plan with the addition of maintenance survey. The motion carried by a voice vote.

5 [18-0501](#)

Arts Board Operating Budget request to Mayor

Attachments: [Letter](#)

Include Hatched Baby in projects. McKnight suggested generalizing statement about art in County Admin. Center to include art in Library, City Hall, and Airport. Terpstra suggested modifying stick art to include earthen or environmental art. Parker suggested focusing on a specific area and support with bullets. Marcou suggested highlighting collaboration with school and maintaining public art. Weidenbach will revise.

Next Meeting / Agenda Items

The next meeting will be 5/11 @ 8:30 am. Agenda items may include proposals for listening session and promotion of Helping Hands mural.

Adjournment

Terpstra made a motion, Parker seconded, to adjourn the meeting at 9:22 am. The motion carried by a voice vote.

Notice is further given that members of other governmental bodies may be present at the above scheduled meeting to gather information about a subject over which they have decision-making responsibility.

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