



City of La Crosse, Wisconsin

City Hall
400 La Crosse Street
La Crosse, WI 54601

Meeting Minutes

Arts Board

Friday, July 24, 2020

8:30 AM

LifeSize Virtual Meeting

Special Meeting

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Call to Order

Williams called the meeting to order at 8:33 am.

Roll Call

Present: 5 - Roger Christians, Dick Record, Jennifer Williams, Barry McKnight, Dillon McArdle

Absent: 3 - Gail Cleary, Robin Moses, Kaylan Smith

Agenda Items:

- 1 **20-0998** Resolution directing decisions involving public art to the Arts Board for review

Attachments: Resolution

Christians motioned to recommend adoption of this resolution, McArdle seconded. The motion carried by a voice vote.

- 2 [20-0999](#) Resolution endorsing Board of Park Commissioners' decision to remove the Hiawatha statue from Riverside Park

Attachments: [Amended Resolution](#)

A motion was made by Christians, seconded by Record, that this Resolution be APPROVED AS AMENDED . The motion carried by voice vote.

- 3 [20-1000](#) Discussion and Action on Request for Qualifications for Riverside Park Artwork

Attachments: [7/24/2020 Draft RFQ](#)

Christians and Odegaard suggested waiting until Hiawatha statue was gone. The RFQ would also need Board of Park Commissioners' approval since it is their jurisdiction.

A motion was made by Christians, seconded by McArdle, that this RFQ be REFERRED to the Arts Board, due back by 8/7/2020. The motion carried by voice vote with Record voting no.

Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 8:16 am.

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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