

CITY OF GOOSE CREEK CULTURAL ARTS COMMISSION

MEETING – Monday, May 10, 2021, 6 pm

Present

- Commission: Chair Marsha Hassell, Sharina Haynes, Barbara Richardson and Mike Owens (entered at 6:22 pm)
- Staff: Recreation Superintendent Cheryl Heiselman
- City Council: Councilmember Gayla McSwain

Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 6:07 pm by Chair Marsha Hassell.

Public Comments

No public comments

Minutes

Commissioner Richardson made a motion to approve the minutes of the April 12, 2021 meeting with 2 minor changes, motion was seconded by Commissioner Haynes, all in favor.

The changes were:

Item #5 add “the motion carried”

Item #6 change ArtTalk to Art Talk

New Business

Mobile Library Project

- Chair Hassell reported that the City has acquired several metal newspaper boxes to use for the project. Local groups will be decorating them.
- Chair Hassell requested information on the location of the boxes and had questions about how they will be marketed to the public.

- At the May 14th Spring Concert members of the Cultural Arts Commission will help participants decorate one of the boxes. Commissioner Richardson will purchase paint, paint brushes and paint pens and turn in her receipt to be reimbursed.
- Recreation Superintendent Heiselman will take care of getting the other needed supplies to the concert location.
- Commissioner Haynes suggested trying to recruit members, solicit ideas and give out information about the Cultural Arts Commission at the concert.
- Chair Hassell will work on a flyer.

Murals

- Commissioner Richardson reported that her art students will brainstorm and come up with ideas for the Food Lion mural and one for Pat's Automotive. She will submit the ideas along with a cost estimate.

Art Talk

- There is no update on whether the October Art Talk featuring former Mayor Heitzler can use City Council Chambers.
- Councilmember McSwain suggested using the Golf Club House.
- Another suggestion was the outside area at the Golf Course.
- Staff was asked to follow-up on the use of Council Chambers or another location.

Commission Vacancies

- Councilmember McSwain reported that City Council will vote on approval of new Cultural Arts Commission members at their May 11, 2021 meeting.
- Incumbents who were unable to make their interview will have to be nominated at the meeting.
- Linda Bonesteel, who was previously interested in being on the Commission, is no longer able to serve.

Budget

- Chair Hassell asked Council member McSwain about the Cultural Arts Commission budget requests for 2022.
- Councilmember McSwain stated that City Administrator Zeigler would like all budget requests by July 1st.

Art Walk

- Chair Hassell reported that she met with City Administrator Zeigler to discuss the Cultural Arts Commission and future events.
- It was suggested looking at April 2022 for some type of Art Walk behind the Municipal Center.
- Commissioner Richardson suggested purchasing art screens and sponsoring a Goose Creek school-wide art competition.

Street Banner Contest

- The City is sponsoring a contest to design the new street banners for St. James Avenue.
- Chair Hassell said she will help get the word out to the Artist Guild.

Other Business

- Chair Hassell reported that Richland County is advertising for an artist-in-residency.

Adjournment

Commissioner Richardson made a motion to adjourn the meeting at 6:48 pm, motion seconded by Commissioner Owens, all in favor.

The next meeting has been scheduled for June 14, 2021.

Minutes approved, June 14, 2021 _____
Marsha Hassell, Chairperson