



Meeting Type: Regular Meeting
 Meeting Location: McConnell Room #323
 Meeting Date: 3-6-17
 Meeting Time: 6:30 p.m.

1. Call to order / Minutes

Present: Dennis Shanahan, Mark Cuddy, Kim Schuman, Yulia Rothenberg, Allison Castelot

Absent: Jane Hamor, Aimee Blesing, Amanda Nelson

Guest: Bre

Call to order 6:34PM. Attendance was below the required number for votes, this meeting was a “workshop” and no votes were cast.

2. NHSCA Grant & funding (Jane) (Kim)

Mark met with artist Brian, who is working up a budget, which Mark will share with Jane.

Mark will check with Gary about installation money, Jane will write a grant. Seymour Osman center and Teen Center both could participate.

Find out about grant July 2017, Complete Winter 2018, Install Summer 2018.

For matching funds – Jane had recommended we get city developers to match, some of match can be in-kind, do need funds to pay Brian. Yulia suggests if money is short, could do the project in 3 pieces – UNH has a community grant that could work.

Dennis suggests city developers coming into Fosters Building and Robbins building.

Bre has connections to several groups who may want to participate.

3. Webpage and social media (Communications Committee)

Update documents on website (Yulia)

Please continue to send Yulia content to post. She posted videos of kids tile project onto Facebook.

Application PDF for the website is complete – an editable PDF. Yulia to follow up to find out how to post it.

4. Education presentations (Amanda, Alison)

Renaming a mixer. Targeting May 18. Kim offered to assist with press release.

Group suggestions – a small program, commission should speak briefly, a musical act? Artists can bring work, or perform.

5. Myrtle St Arts Mixer –update (Aimee)

Dennis looked into fiscal sponsor question. By a resolution, the arts commission could be the sponsor.

DBITA also could. Dennis will continue.

6. Art Walk

Will happen first Friday of every month.

7. Riverfront project (Kim)

Kim shared that there hadn't been a meeting, but that she was following up with park designer on public art options for the park. There is a waterfront project email list for those interested.



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8. Henry Law Mural (Mark)

(this topic was covered as part of grant conversation – item 2)

9. Membership Resolution (Dennis)

Dennis found out that we can make a case for someone with a connection to Dover (employed in Dover, for example) to be nominated to be on the commission. The Appointments committee would interview and appoint, and commission would vote.

10. HS Committee

The performance space is supposed to be a community space, too. Dennis will follow up to find out who will manage the schedule, since artists and arts organizations will need to know of space availability before school opens.

11. Outreach reports/ New Business

We should think about mural installation plan/celebration.