



WAYNESVILLE PUBLIC ART COMMISSION
MINUTES – SPECIAL CALLED MEETING
JANUARY 14, 2020
THURSDAY, 4:00 P.M.
TOWN HALL BOARD ROOM

Mission Statement: *The mission of the Waynesville Public Art Commission is to engage the community and enrich public spaces through original art that celebrates Waynesville’s historic, cultural, natural and human resources.*

Present:

Chairman George Kenney
Douglas Garrett
Steve Lloyd
Sam McCarson
Vickie Mangieri

Absent:

Vice Chairman Dominick Depaolo
Elizabeth Feichter
Leigh Forrester
Jessi Stone

Present:

Jesse Fowler, Assistant Town Manager
Eddie Ward, Town Clerk
Kathy Johnson

Chairman George Kenney welcomed everyone and called the meeting to order at 4:05 p.m.

1. Minutes from the November 12, 2020 regular meeting

Mr. Doug Garrett made a motion, seconded by Mr. Steve Lloyd, to accept the November 12, 2020 minutes as presented. The motion carried unanimously.

2. Treasurer’s Report

➤ Steve Lloyd

Mr. Lloyd presented the Treasurer’s Report and stated that the current amount owed for the Plott Hound purchase is \$1,498.65. In the current fiscal year, a donation of \$463.00 and \$250.00 has been received that can be used towards the Plott Hound statue in Hazelwood. He said that the fund balance is \$18,337.96, and the total amount of revenue earned this year is \$5,213.00.

A motion was made by Ms. Vickie Mangieri, seconded by Mr. Sam McCarson, to approve the treasurer's report. The motion carried unanimously.

3. Fundraising/Hotel, Motel, and BnB update

Chairman Kenney said that he had been in touch with the Business Manager at Lake Junaluska concerning placing brochures in rooms there. He said that due to COVID – 19 that it was not possible at this point, but maybe when the restrictions are lifted, they could be distributed. Chairman Kenney said he did receive a donation of \$60.00 from Almost Heaven BnB.

Other members of the Commission were met with the same situation concerning COVID, so Chairman Kenney asked that this item will be placed on the next agenda.

4. Virtual Dog Show update

➤ Assistant Town Manager, Jesse Fowler

Assistant Town Manager Jesse Fowler said that Smoky Mountain News can do a paid online event, and the entries for the dog show will go through the newspaper and uploaded to the Smoky Mountain News Face Book page. The event will be a combination of videos and pictures, with an entry fee of \$10.00. Two weeks will be allowed for taking the entries and two weeks will be allowed for voting. There was much discussion about the categories for the show. Commission members decided on categories including:

Best Puppy
Best Costume
Best Owner look alike
Best rescue story

Most Photogenic
Most protected from COVID
Funniest picture
Best trick

Gift basket purchases will be bought from “The Dog House” and “The Dog Bakery” in Waynesville.

5. Other Business

There was no other business.

6. Adjourn

There being no further business to discuss, Mr. Steve Lloyd made a motion, seconded by Ms. Vickie Mangieri, to adjourn. The motion carried unanimously. The meeting was adjourned at 4:40 p.m.

Eddie Ward, Town Clerk

Chairman George Kenney