



City of Milwaukee

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Meeting Minutes

MILWAUKEE ARTS BOARD

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Rosemarie Balistreri, Daisy Cubias, William DeLind, David Flores, Donald Fraker, Marcela Garcia, Mildred Harpole, Vedale Hill, Anne Kingsbury, Tina Klose, Diane Kosarzycki, Emilia Layden, Sandra McSweeney, Polly Morris, and Tim Murphy

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Tuesday, October 13, 2015

4:00 PM

Room 303, City Hall

1. Roll Call

Individual also present:

Sally Witte, Department of City Development

Present 14 - Cubias, DeLind, Kingsbury, McSweeney, Morris, Flores, Kosarzycki, Murphy, Harpole, Klose, Layden, Balistreri, Hill and Garcia

Excused 3 - Murphy, Fraker and Kovac

2. Review and Approval of the Previous Meeting Minutes

Ms. Morris stated the in minutes of June 9th the artist name was spelled incorrectly, it is Alice Notley, not Novaly. She also provided clarification regarding the artist working with dancers.

Ms. Cubias moved approval of the minutes as amended, seconded by Ms. Morris. There were no objections.

3. Public Art Subcommittee Report

Ms. Morris gave the report of the Subcommittee. The Commandos Project is planning a parklet and public food garden in conjunction with Walnut Way Conservation Corp. Also David Wanner and Peggy Rozga have proposed a Father Groppi Statue.

Ms. Morris stated the Subcommittee recommends granting \$5,000 for the riverwalk fish. She moved approval, seconded by Ms. Harpole. There were no objections.

4. Grants Update

Ms. Witte gave the grants update. Contracts are being returned. Eleven of the thirty-three projects have been completed. Site visits for 9 of the projects have been completed, more involved upcoming exhibits.

5. Old Business

There was no old business.

6. Announcements

Mr. Hill stated that weekdays from 10AM-6PM on 4th St and Wisconsin Ave the Spot has activities for adults and children including legos, hula hooping, MKE painting live.

Ms. Kingsbury stated Cecilia Vecuna is the final Mary Knoll artist who will be having a workshop October 31st at Woodland Pattern.

Ms. Morris stated the Mary Knoll artists exhibition opened Friday at Inova Gallery and will be there until January 9th.

Mr. Flores stated he saw fabulous performance at Theater Gigante and the Arts Board was thanked during the talk back.

Ms. McSweeney stated there is a public hearing on Thursday night at the Milwaukee County Transit Center regarding the Lake Park bridge.

Ms. Layden stated the Audi Ness will be giving a presentation at Eckstein Hall regarding his exhibit opening November 5th at the Haggerty Museum.

Ms. Garcia stated she is working with 5 other artists on Viva la Pinata which involves pinata making which will be involved in the Dia de Los Muertes parade. There is an open studio on Scott St and Cesar Chavez Dr for people to participate in the pinata making process from 6pm-8pm on Wednesdays and 2pm-5pm on Sundays until the parade.

*The meeting adjourned at 4:33 PM
Molly Kuether
Staff Assistant*