



City of Milwaukee

200 E. Wells Street
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Meeting Minutes

MILWAUKEE ARTS BOARD PUBLIC ART SUBCOMMITTEE

POLLY MORRIS, CHAIR

**Tina Klose, Emilia Layden, Sandra McSweeney, and Tim
Murphy**

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Tuesday, May 8, 2018

3:00 PM

Room 303, City Hall

1. Roll Call

The meeting convened at 3:09 PM

Individual also present:

Sally Witte, DCD

Present 4 - McSweeney, Morris, Klose and Layden

Excused 1 - Murphy

2. Review and Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes

Ms. Layden moved approval, seconded by Ms. Klose. There were no objections.

3. New Work Fund

- Application Review:

Black Cat Alley

Kristen Godfrey stated a more diverse panel was selected this year. She stated the summer mural is by Emma Daisy Gertel and is geared toward community, lightness, and healing, and the second muralist has not been selected yet. The second mural will be installed in September. Ms. Klose moved approval to fund the project at \$3,000, with \$1,500 going to each local artist, seconded by Ms. Layden. There were no objections.

Designing Equity: Lexicon

Ms. Layden stated the project isn't concrete and seems like a concept proposal. Ms. Morris stated the purpose of the project is unclear and recommends putting the application on hold for further information.

- Updates on Projects

Ms. Morris stated Milwaukee Road still has not begun after receiving funding 2 years ago, and the new proposal is to do 2 out of 5 sculptures, instead of the original 5.

Ms. Morris stated the Tiefenthaler Park Peace posts and Welford Sanders statue are moving along.

Ms. Witte stated Tia Richardson has almost completed the 20x20 mural at the Garfield School redevelopment.

4. Conservation Fund

- Updates on Projects

Ms. Morris stated the Milwaukee Bells project is in progress. She stated George Washington is almost complete, and the Spanish American War Hero is next to be conserved. She stated the Worker's memorial needs landscaping that will begin once the weather is nice.

5. New Business

- Warning System for Endangered Works of Public Art

Ms. Morris stated the warning system will be discussed at the next meeting.

6. Old Business

- Update on State Office Building Mosaics

Ms. Morris had no updates on the mosaics at this time.

- Collections: How to Update

Ms. Morris stated updating the collection will be discussed at the next meeting.

7. Announcements

Ms. Witte stated Beerline project received \$50,000 from National Endowment for the Arts.

The meeting adjourned at 4:00 PM.

Molly Kuether-Steele

Staff Assistant