

Minutes

December 18, 2018

MESQUITE CONFERENCE ROOM 11465 W CIVIC CENTER DRIVE AVONDALE, AZ 85323

Members Present: John Chavez; Dan Drennen; Mary Arpaia; Denise Stanfield; Stephanie Robinson; Irene Marquez

Staff Present: Pier Simeri, Community Relations Director; DeAnn Franklin, Media Manager

Guest Artist: Joe Tyler

CALL TO ORDER BY CHAIR - 6:07 P.M.

1. **Roll Call** – 6:07pm – All members present

2. **Unscheduled Public Appearance**

The Committee does not comment on items raised during unscheduled public appearance; however, staff may be directed to report back to the Committee at a future date or to schedule items raised for a future agenda. No unscheduled public appearances.

3. **Art Organizations Update**

West Valley Arts Council Ex-Officio member Bernadette Carol provided an overview regarding recent activities with the City of Goodyear Arts such as the lakeside concert showcasing the band 'Smashmouth'. In addition, the West Valley Arts Council is working diligently to boost arts education programs in the West Valley.

4. **Cemetery Archway Project – Design Approved**

Local Artist Joe Tyler presented his design model to the committee. Joe explained the design process of which he used to create the metal prototype. He explains name of the piece based on the design discussion he had with the families of historic cemetery, he announced the name of the arch as 'Algodon'. Lesa Schuur moved to approve the arch design; Dan Drennen seconded the motion; motion carried unanimously.

5. **Public Art Master Plan**

Staff updated the committee that the Veteran Banner program was a huge success and is currently in the process of receiving applications. Staff informed committee members the dates for the Mayor Marie High School Art Show on April 18th and went over the details of the event. Staff confirmed the event will be held in partnership Estrella Mountain Community College the show will take place at the Performing Arts Center. Staff updated the committee that the creative aging program is working with the Senior Center to host a class, staff reminded members to share art sponsorship grant opportunities with non-profit organizations who can benefit. The committee revisited the bus shelter public art discussion along with some proposed considerations. The committee

6. Approval of Minutes

The committee reviewed the minutes of September 18, 2018. Lesa Schuur motioned to approve the minutes; Irene Marquez seconded the motion; motion carried unanimously.

7. Adjournment

Lesla Schuur motioned to approve the minutes; Dan Drennen seconded the motion; motion carried unanimously. Meeting adjourned at 7:37 p.m. Next meeting will be held on Tuesday, December 18, 2018 at Avondale City Hall.

John Chavez, Chairperson

Avondale Municipal Art Committee Members attended either in person or by telephone conference call.

Los miembros del Comité de Arte Municipal de Avondale participaron ya sea en persona o por medio de llamada telefónica.