

MINUTES

PUBLIC ART COMMISSION

AUGUST 10, 2022

1:00 P.M.

*SOUTHEASTERN CENTER FOR CONTEMPORARY ART
750 MARGUERITE DR, WINSTON-SALEM, NC 27106*

MEMBERS PRESENT: Betsy Towns, Marvette Aldrich, Lisa Strout, Jennifer Finkel, Jane Doub, Cliff Dossel, Shannon Stokes, Jason Thiel
MEMBERS ABSENT: Owens Daniels, David Finn
STAFF PRESENT: Kelly Bennett
PRESIDING: Betsy Towns

I. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 1:30 p.m.

II. DISCUSSION OF POSSIBLE NEW PROJECTS

➤ Mural Committee

MOTION Betsy Towns moved to establish a Mural Committee that would create a sequence of murals in 2022-2023. The committee will also seek to hire an experienced mural artist to lead professional development for local artists.

SECOND Jason Thiel
VOTE Unanimous

➤ 9th Wonder Mural

MOTION Betsy Towns moved to establish a mural of Winston-Salem musician Ninth Wonder as part of a partnership with the North Carolina Department of Cultural and Natural Resources' NC Musician Murals Project.

SECOND Lisa Strout
VOTE Unanimous

➤ Bus Shelters

MOTION Betsy Towns moved to have the Bus Shelters Committee explore a three-dimensional artistic bus shelter project.

SECOND Cliff Dossel
VOTE Unanimous

➤ Inclusive Public Art

MOTION Jason Thiel moved to create a committee that intentionally works with young minority artists to create public art.

SECOND Shannon Stokes
VOTE Unanimous

➤ Conservation

MOTION Betsy Towns moved to create a committee that concentrates on the conservation, repair, and possibly relocation of public art works.

SECOND Cliff Dossel
VOTE Unanimous

➤ US 52 project

MOTION Jason Thiel moved to have the Public Art Commission write to the Winston-Salem City Council to express interest in leading any public art discussions that are part of the future NCDOT revitalization of the US 52 highway.

SECOND Betsy Towns
VOTE Unanimous

III. DISCUSSION OF COMMUNITY PROJECT APPLICATION PROCESS

The Public Art Commission discussed its community project application process and did not move to make any changes.

IV. ADJOURN

The meeting adjourned at 4:00 p.m.

*Next Meeting:
September 6, 2022, 2:00 p.m.,
100 E First St, 3rd Floor Conference Room*