

Brighton Cultural Arts Commission Board Minutes

March 3, 2021

Attendance:

Present: Elaine Rowe, Wilma Rose, Floy Timmerman, Kris Jordinelli, Sandie McKenzie, Tessa Davis, Gary Montoya, Ed Hawkins, David Gallegos

Absent: Ruth Anderson

Minutes:

- February minutes unanimously approved.

Chromebooks:

- David needs to get 3 chrome books.

New Member:

- Stephanie Brown's nomination approved. Motion by Wilma, Second by Kris . Voting will be held electronically.

Lodging Tax:

- Wilma reported meeting will be held Friday, March 5th. David brought up question of virtual events since Lodging Tax funds were intended for in-person audiences and events

Public Art Committee:

- Still waiting on Wells Fargo to move forward.

Service Awards:

- Motion made by Wilma and seconded by Sandie to establish a By-Laws sub-committee to research and develop a policy to determine parameters for selecting artists and budget. Elaine, Floy and Sandie volunteered to serve on the committee

Armory/Special Events:

- Gary reports virtual events continue and have been popular. He is awaiting word for possible funding from the Five Star Program. Ticketed shows will begin in May at 50% capacity.

Heart of Brighton:

- Gary reports they have met and continue to talk about funding alternatives. They continue to look for more board members.

Downtown Partnership:

- Gary reports restaurants are doing well considering the Covid environment. There are discussions for a "Food Truck Collaborative". Following the success of the "Harry Potter" event, merchants are looking to repeat similar activities.

Main Street Creatives Building:

- Kris reports that no decision has been made as of yet and is still under consideration. He cautions that City Council decisions are a long process.

Brighton Youth Commission:

- Tessa reports planning for this years' S.P.E.A.K. Conference continues. Looking for creative ways to hold the event virtually. This years' Summit Conference has been cancelled due to the Covid restrictions. BYC is making an effort to reach out to elementary age children.

ARTfest:

- Sandie is heading the planning for the Summer ARTfest show at the Armory featuring the Main Street Creative artists. The theme will be Cars, Planes, and Trains and a car show in the parking lot.

Fiber Arts:

- Elaine reports that she is in discussions with Marcus at the Armory to secure the dates for this years' Showcase.

Adjournment:

- Gary made the motion, seconded by Ed.

