



Public Art Working Group (Arts Advisory Committee)

Notes

Members: Dylan Robinson (regrets)
Jocelyn Purdie
Lynne Kenny
Teresa Carlesimo
Julie Fossitt (staff)
Taylor Norris (Staff)

Date October 26th, 2017

Time 1:00 PM to 2:30 PM

Location Councillors Lounge, Kingston City Hall

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Notes:

2. Approval of agenda. Moved, by Jocelyn Purdie, Seconded by Teresa.
3. Resignation of Lise Figge from Public Art Working Group
4. Presentation from Greg Tilson, Skeleton Park Arts Festival
 - A. Greg Tilson, Artistic Director of the Skeleton Park Arts festival presented a power point presentation of images of the festival. He talked about goals for the festival in the upcoming years which include more public art and activities
 - a. Greg is looking for support in commissioning artists and in the creation of temporary public art installations, both financially and through administration.
 - b. Greg and the Skeleton Park Arts team have applied for a Celebrate Ontario Grant
 - c. Intend to create a municipal pop up gallery
 - d. Are working with the Dead On Collective and planning live painting events for the festival

- e. Greg provided many examples of the work the festival has done in the past
 - f. The PAWG made Greg aware that the Public Art Coordinator and Staff are currently in the process of defining the strategy for accepting and supporting community initiated public art projects
 - g. Potentially an annual call will be released in November and close in January
 - h. Action: PAWG to assess terms of reference, call for community projects
5. Post Mortem- Culture Days- Presentation
- a. Taylor presented a power point with images relevant to the Arts and Culture Pop Ups on Transit and Mural Mosaic
6. Project Update and Overview
Alderville Commemoration
- a. Taylor updated the PAWG on current dates and stats
 - i. Due November 1st
 - ii. 4 Submissions so far
 - iii. 5 potential jurors have expressed interest
 - iv. Sent RFI materials to 42 artists in total
 - b. Action- Taylor to confirm selected Jury members with PAWG once members of Alderville First Nation have approved
7. Project Updates
Victoria Park
- a. Taylor presented an update on the Victoria Park project including reviewing the project brief which has been created and distributed to the PAWG and Parks staff
8. Project Updates
Taylor presented brief update on the Graffiti Management Plan steps that have taken place
- i. Meetings have taken place with various stakeholders including members of the downtown Kingston BIA and Police Services
 - ii. A motion will be made to council recommending the hiring of a consultant to create a graffiti and mural program as this falls out of the scope of the Public Art Master Plan
9. Discussion and Next Steps
- a. Action: Taylor asked PAWG members to help recruit new members.
10. Other Business
- a. There was no other business.

The next meeting of the Working Group is to be scheduled for the end of November.

