



**City of Kingston
Arts, Recreation & Community Policies Committee
Meeting Number 01-2024
Agenda**

**Wednesday, December 13, 2023 at 6:00 p.m.
Hosted at City Hall in Council Chamber**

Please provide regrets to Iain Sullivan, Committee Clerk at 613-546-4291, extension 1864 or isullivan@cityofkingston.ca

Committee Composition

Councillor Chaves, Chair
Councillor Amos
Councillor Boehme
Councillor Osanic
Councillor Ridge
Councillor Stephen

- 1. Meeting to Order**
- 2. Approval of the Agenda**
- 3. Confirmation of Minutes**
 - a) **That** the minutes of Arts, Recreation & Community Policies Committee Meeting Number 05-2023, held Thursday, October 19, 2023, be approved.
- 4. Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest**
- 5. Delegations**

6. Briefings

- a) Danika Lochhead, Acting Director, Arts & Culture Services, will be present and introduce Nicole Daniels, Executive Director, Kingston Arts Council who will speak to the Committee regarding the Approval of the Kingston Arts Council Plan for Administration of Arts Funding for The Corporation of the City of Kingstin in 2024 Report.
- b) Danika Lochhead, Acting Director, Arts & Culture Services, will be present and introduce Kristian Roberts and Caitlin Cross, Nordicity, who will speak to the Committee regarding the Approval of Kingston Music Strategy and Implementation Plan Report.

7. Business

a) **Approval of the Kingston Arts Council Plan for Administration of Arts Funding for The Corporation of the City of Kingston in 2024**

The Report of the Commissioner of Community Services (ARCP-24-005) is attached.

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Recommendation:

That the Arts, Recreation & Community Policies Committee recommend to Council:

That the ‘Plan for Administration of Arts Funding for The Corporation of the City of Kingston Arts Fund in 2024’, attached to Report ARCP-24-005, be approved.

b) **Update to the Sports Field Allocation Policy**

The Report of the Commissioner of Community Services (ARCP-24-001) is attached.

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Recommendation:

That the Arts, Recreation & Community Policies Committee recommend to Council:

That Council approve the Sports Field Allocation Policy and Guideline updates, attached as Exhibit A to Report ARCP-24-001.

c) Community Garden Policy Update

The Report of the Commissioner of Community Services (ARCP-24-004) is attached.

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Recommendation:

That the Arts, Recreation & Community Policies Committee recommend to Council:

That Council approve the Community Garden Policy updates, attached as Exhibit A to Report Number ARCP-24-004.

d) Approval of Kingston Music Strategy and Implementation Plan

The Report of the Commissioner of Community Services (ARCP-24-002) is attached.

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Recommendation:

That the Arts, Recreation & Community Policies Committee recommend to Council on December 19, 2023:

That the Kingston Music Strategy, attached to Report Number ARCP-24-002 as Exhibit A, be approved as presented; and

That the City, through the Arts & Culture Services Department, enter into an Amending Agreement to the existing Service Level Agreement with Tourism Kingston to support the implementation of the Kingston Music Strategy; and

That subject to the Tourism Kingston Amending Agreement being finalized to the satisfaction of the City Solicitor, that the Mayor and Clerk be authorized to execute the Amending Agreement; and

That the City transfer \$200,000 from funds previously approved in the capital budget of the Arts & Culture Services Department to Tourism Kingston to support the implementation of the Kingston Music Strategy and the services as agreed to by the City of Kingston and Tourism Kingston through the proposed Amending Agreement; and

That Council direct staff to report back to Council by Q1 2025 with updates on the implementation of the Kingston Music Strategy and to develop funding strategies in partnership with Tourism Kingston to continue the Music Officer position and the Music Office beyond 2024.

8. Motions

9. Notices of Motion

10. Other Business

11. Correspondence

12. Date of Next Meeting

The next meeting of the Arts, Recreation & Community Policies Committee is scheduled for Thursday, February 22, 2024 at 6:00 p.m.

13. Adjournment