

SIOUX FALLS VISUAL ARTS COMMISSION

Tuesday, May 17, 2022
9:00 am

City Center, 231 N. Dakota Ave., Conference Room #208
Sioux Falls, SD
WebEx Video Conference Meeting (optional)

MEETING ASSISTANCE: UPON REQUEST, ACCOMMODATIONS FOR MEETINGS WILL BE PROVIDED FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES. PLEASE CONTACT THE HUMAN RELATIONS OFFICE, FIRST FLOOR, CITY HALL, 224 WEST 9TH STREET, SIOUX FALLS, SD AT 367-8745 (VOICE) OR 367-7039 (TDD) 48 HOURS IN ADVANCE OF THE MEETING.

ITEM 1. Call to Order and Quorum Determination.

Chairperson James Zajicek called the meeting to order at 9:06 am.

Member Participants: James Zajicek, Joe Schaffer, Sara Lum, Mike Jamison, Wyatt Dickson, Jennifer Hoelsing and Kellen Boice (9:09), attended the meeting in person. Troy Lambert joined the meeting via webex for review of Storm Drain artwork submissions.

Other Participants: Kevin Smith, PDS Assistant Director and Diane deKoeyer, Arts Liaison

ITEM 2. Welcome Members and Guests:

No guests were in attendance.

ITEM 3. Approval of Regular Agenda:

Commissioner Jamison made the motion to approve the regular agenda and Commissioner Lum seconded the motion. The agenda was unanimously approved.

ITEM 4. Approval of Minutes from April 19, 2022 Regular Meeting:

Commissioner Lum made the motion to approve the minutes and Commissioner Schaffer seconded the motion. The minutes were approved unanimously.

ITEM 5. Public Input on Non-Agenda Items:

No public individuals in attendance.

ITEM 6. Unfinished Business:

- a) Tomar Park Naming – With revisions to the ordinance, the VAC will no longer review applications for Parks. Review will strictly be done by the Park Board.

ITEM 7. New Business

a) Jury Artwork for Storm Drains, Troy Lambert, Environmental Services

Troy indicated that 6-7 selections for art should be chosen for drains. There were thirteen adult submissions and six youth submissions for review.

Commissioner Hoelsing recorded scoring for artwork. See spreadsheet on page 3

b) Sioux Falls Arts Council Update

Kellen reported that the SFAC received 147 applications from the recent round of mini-grant applications. 17 requests will be funded.

The SFAC will be doing audience surveys from May 2022 – April 2023. Staff will be working with event organizers to identify events that will attract large groups to set-up survey stations and provide information. In 2024 the Americans for the Arts will be touring and sharing collected data.

ITEM 8. Announcements

a) Up-Coming VAC Meetings

Working Session: June 16. Downtown Library – Art Education

Regular Meeting: June 21 at City Center, Room 208 – 2035 Downtown Plan

b) RLA Annual Site Visit

RLA has not yet determined when they are coming for a site visit to Sioux Falls, but suggested dates are:

- Week of July 18 and July 25 (VAC meeting is July 19)
- Week of July 25 and August 1

ITEM 9. Adjournment:

The meeting was adjourned at 10:00am

Storm Inlet Scoring for Adult and Youth Artwork Submissions

pg	James	Mike	Sara	Joe	Wyatt	Jenn	Kellen	Sum	Average	Notes
3a		4	5	4	5	4	5	4	31	4.286 Graphic, translates well to outside
10a		4	4	4	4	5	5	4	30	4.2857 Graphic, likes subtle tie to Sioux Falls flag, connection to theme is implied
5y		4	4	4	4	5	4	4	29	4.1429 Everyone is curious about the knife & fork on tree
12a		5	4	4	4	5	3	3	28	4.0000 Graphic, contrast is nice, the dirtier the white fish gets
2a		4	4	4	4	3	3	4	26	3.7143 Like message, may be difficult to translate to outside, recommends three main colors, silhouette appears painterly
2y		4	3	4	3	4	4	4	26	3.7143
4y		4	4	4	3	4	3	4	26	3.7143
6y		4	3	4	3	4	3	4	25	3.5714
4a		3	3	5	4	4	4	4	23	3.2857 Loves suggested location near Levitt, message about "down the drain" not as clear, would be a great piece on any wall that would have it
7y		3	3	4	4	3	3	3	23	3.2857
8a		3	4	2	3	3	3	3	21	3.0000 Wonderful message, dark colors, work makes you stop and think, would translate well to those walking by
11a		2	3	4	3	3	3	3	21	3.0000 Executed well, color is nice, may take a long time to execute
6a		3	3	2	3	3	2	2	18	2.5714 Clean, graphic easy to read, graphic quality, message is good
9a		3	2	3	2	2	3	3	18	2.5714 Fun idea, hard to read, may lend more to mural setting
13a		3	2	3	2	2	2	3	17	2.4286 Color seems muddled
14a		2	2	2	2	3	3	3	17	2.4286 Unique and unlike anything else ever submitted, could crop up for a bit less water
7a		3	2	2	2	3	2	2	16	2.2857 Would be fun to see giant fish on inlet, artist could make more literal tie to theme, consider adding background
5a		2	2	3	2	2	2	2	15	2.1429 Painterly medium may not translate outdoors, dark colors may not be as impactful, tie to theme not as clear
3y		2	2	2	2	2	2	3	15	2.1429 Hard to translate to inlet