

ARTS ADVISORY COMMITTEE MINUTES

Thursday, February 3, 2022, 5:30 p.m. Electronic and in Meeting Room G Lower Level, City Hall

PRESENT

Councillor Mary Trentadue Chair

Sienna Campbell Community Representative Sonyowah Elijah Artist, New Westminster Based

Erin Jeffrey Representative, Local Not-for-Profit Arts Sector

Ezra King Community Representative

Jas Lally Arts Professional

Stephen O'Shea Representative, Arts Council of New Westminster

Kelly Proznik Representative, Education Sector

Anjana Pradhananga Urban Designers, Architects, Landscape Architects

Julia Schoennagel Artist, New Westminster Based Giulia Setticasi Community Representative

REGRETS

Katey Wright Representative, Local Not-for-Profit Arts Sector

STAFF

Todd Ayotte Manager, Community Arts and Theatre
Quyen Hoang Public and Community Art Coordinator
Sarah Joyce Director / Curator, New Media Gallery

Katie Stobbart Committee Clerk

1. CALL TO ORDER AND LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Councillor Trentadue opened the meeting at 5:30 p.m. and recognized with respect that New Westminster is on the unceded and unsurrendered land of the Halkomelem-speaking peoples. She acknowledged that colonialism has made invisible their histories and connections to the land. She recognized that, as a City, we are learning and building relationships with the people whose lands we are on.

2. <u>INTRODUCTIONS AND ICEBREAKERS</u>

Committee members and staff responded in turn to the question, "What was your favourite movie as a child?"

3. CHANGES TO THE AGENDA

The Committee agreed to address Adoption of the Minutes following Reports and Presentations.

4. ADOPTION OF MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS

Procedural Note: The adoption of the minutes was addressed following Reports and Presentations. The minutes are recorded in numerical order.

4.1 Arts Commission Minutes of December 2, 2021

MOVED and SECONDED

THAT the minutes of the Arts Commission meeting held on December 2, 2021 be adopted.

Carried.

All members present voted in favour of the motion.

4.2 Public Art Advisory Committee Minutes of January 20, 2022

MOVED and SECONDED

THAT the minutes of the Public Art Advisory Committee meeting held on January 20, 2022 be adopted.

Carried.

All members present voted in favour of the motion.

5. REPORTS AND PRESENTATIONS

5.1 Legislative Services Committee Orientation

Katie Stobbart, Committee Clerk, provided an orientation which included the role of advisory committees, meeting conduct, and city policies that apply to committee members.

a. Oaths of Office

As part of the orientation, members recited their Oaths of Office.

b. Alternate Chair Election

MOVED and SECONDED

THAT Julia Schoennagel be appointed as the Alternate Chair for the 2022 term of the Arts Advisory Committee.

Carried.

All members present voted in favour of the motion.

5.2 Introduction to Civic Art Service Areas

Todd Ayotte, Sarah Joyce, and Quyen Hoang gave a presentation entitled "An Introduction to Civic Art Service Areas."

6. <u>UNFINISHED BUSINESS FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS</u>

There were no items.

7. STANDING REPORTS AND UPDATES

Sarah Joyce, Director / Curator, New Media Gallery, invited members to attend the *Eyewitness* exhibition.

Kelly Proznik, Representative, Education Sector, advised that an arts strategy for delivery of the arts from Kindergarten to Grade 12 in the school district will be adopted by the end of the year, and shared with this committee.

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There were no items.

9. END OF MEETING

On MOTION, the meeting ended at 6:51 p.m.

10. **UPCOMING MEETINGS**

The remaining scheduled meetings for 2022, which take place at 5:30 p.m. unless otherwise noted:

- March 3
- April 7
- May 5
- June 2
- July 7
- August 4
- September 1
- December 1

Certified Correct,	
Councillor Mary Trentadue	Katie Stobbart