

ARTS COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES

MEETING DATE:	Tuesday March 8, 2016
PLACE:	City Hall – Second Floor Conference Room
MEETING CALLED TO ORDER:	7:50 a.m.

ROLL CALL

NAME	PRESENT	PRESENT (ARRIVED LATE)	ABSENT
John Ahearn	X		
Lauren Bakker-Arkema	X		
Marilynne Bradley	X		
Kathie Cahoon	X		
Don Drissell	X		
Melody Evans-Mess	X		
Nina Ferrigno			X
Judith Mann	X		

ALSO PRESENT

Mayor Gerry Welch, Council Liaison
Jennifer Conrad, Staff Liaison

Prior to the start of the meeting, Jim Wolterman and Jay Wohlschlaeger of SWT presented the Commission with a copy of a merit award for the Sculpture Garden received from the American Society of Landscape Architects.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A motion was made by Ms. Bradley, seconded by Ms. Mann, to approve the minutes of February 2, 2016.

AYES: AHEARN, BAKKER, BRADLEY, CAHOON, DRISSELL, EVANS, MANN

NOES: NONE

ABSENT: FERRIGNO

The February 2, 2016 minutes were approved.

JOHN MEDWEDEFF – VISIT UPDATE AND NEXT STEPS

The Commission discussed John Medwedeff's recent visit to town and having him back to speak to a group. They discussed available dates and the format of the session. Mr. Drissell will check potential dates with the Library and Mr. Medwedeff.

UPDATES

The Commission discussed ideas from the Arts Roundtable meeting. Another meeting is planned.

Members will bring suggestions for the 2016 Lifetime Achievement in the Art award nominee to the April meeting.

The Commission discussed ideas for a plaque of Lifetime Achievement winners.

Ms. Mann stated that Allen Jones, the artist who created Backflip, is having a resurgence of popularity right now.

The next regular meeting is April 5, 2016 at 7:30 a.m. in the Conference Room at City Hall.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business to come before the Commission, the meeting was adjourned at 8:45 a.m.