

MINUTES

PUBLIC ART COMMISSION

JUNE 1, 2021

2:00 P.M.

VIRTUAL MEETING

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=xaivJxqvqE>

MEMBERS PRESENT: Betsy Towns, Jason Thiel, Cliff Dossel, David Finn, Endia Beal, Elizabeth Repetti, Dara Silver
MEMBERS ABSENT: Jane Doub, Jennifer Finkel, Owens Daniels
STAFF PRESENT: Kelly Bennett
PRESIDING: David Finn

I. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 2:03 p.m.

II. APPROVAL OF SUMMARY MINUTES

➤ May 4, 2021

MOTION Cliff Dossel moved to approve the May 4 meeting minutes.

SECOND Elizabeth Repetti

VOTE Unanimous

III. YOUTH EXPRESSION WALL

Representatives of the Youth Advisory Council addressed the Commission looking for assistance with shaping a theme for this year's Youth Expression Wall mural in Winston Square Park. Endia Beal, Cliff Dossel, and Jason Thiel agreed to help the group. Caleb Williams, an artist attending the meeting separately, also agreed to help guide the project.

IV. SALEM PARKWAY BRIDGE ART

Kelly Bennett reported that there was not any new information for the project, but expected to be able to discuss the project in more detail at the July 6 meeting.

V. PROJECT REPORTS

➤ Public Art Plan

○ Kelly Bennett reported that the Public Art Plan has been presented to the County Commissioners and will be up for a vote June 3.

➤ Memory Wall of Peace and Love

○ Kelly Bennett reported that the artists have begun work on building the replacement sculptures for the wall and they plan to wash it in early June and begin the repair work in late June/early July.

➤ Artistic Bus Shelters

○ There was nothing new to report.

➤ Downtown Sculpture

○ There was nothing new to report.

➤ Covid Memorial

- There was nothing new to report.

VI. PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD

Elizabeth Carlson, 3303 Buena Vista Rd, Winston-Salem: Encouraged the Commission to honor Winston-Salem's outstanding musical heritage with public art downtown.

VII. ADJOURN

The meeting adjourned at 3:18 p.m.

*Next Full Commission Meeting:
June 1, 2021 2:00 p.m.
Virtual Meeting*