



**Keizer Public Arts Commission Meeting Agenda
Tuesday, June 20, 2017
Keizer Civic Center ~ Council Chambers**

1. Call to Order
2. Approval of Minutes: May 2017
3. Appearance of Interested Citizens
4. Gallery Display Schedule
 - 2017**
 - a. *June-July: High Fiber Diet* – “It’s Not Easy Being Green” – *On Display*
 - b. *August-September: Red Raven* – Artwork to be approved upon submittal
 - c. *October-November: Colored Pencil Art* – Artwork to be approved upon submittal
 - d. *December-January: Open*
5. Storm Drain Art Design Contest – Judging Submittals* - **Postponed until August**
6. Keizer Culture History Pole Project
 - a. Adoption of Project Plan Overview and Timeline*
 - b. Status of Timeline Assignments
7. Student/Emerging Artist ~ Solicitations by Commissioners
8. Other Business
9. Staff Liaison Report – Paint at Big Toy
10. Adjourn

Next Meeting: July 18, 2017

*Action Required



**PUBLIC ARTS COMMISSION
MEETING MINUTES
Tuesday, May 16, 2017 @ 6:00 p.m.
Keizer Civic Center**

CALL TO ORDER: Meeting was called to order by Chair Beth Melendy at 6:00 p.m. Roll call was taken as follows:

Commissioners Present:

Beth Melendy, Chair
Lore Christopher, Vice Chair
Jessi Long
Maritza Gonzalez
Suesann Abdelrasul
Amy Ryan, Councilor
Kim Steen

Staff Present:

Nate Brown, Community Development Director
Tracy Davis, City Recorder

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Jessie Long moved for approval of the May 2017 Minutes. Kim Steen seconded. Motion passed as follows: Melendy, Abdelrasul, Steen and Ryan in favor with Christopher, Long and Gonzalez abstaining.

APPEARANCE OF INTERESTED CITIZENS: None

GALLERY DISPLAY SCHEDULE

- *April-May:* SKEF - *On display.* Chair Melendy noted that Washington Elementary School students were coming to see the display.
- *June-July:* High Fiber Diet – It's Not Easy Being Green. *Approved*
- *August-September:* Red Raven – Artwork to be approved upon submittal
- *October-November:* Colored Pencil Art – Artwork to be approved upon submittal
- *December-January:* Open. Suesann Abdelrasul volunteered to contact Oregon Black Pioneers with the opportunity to display their art. Ms. Christopher urged caution noting that the artwork must be free of political commentary.

COMMUNITY CENTER STUMPS: Lore Christopher referred to her handout which provided an overview and timeline of the Keizer Community Story Pole Project. She explained that Kelly Walther works with the Chamber Foundation and has agreed to donate some hours to this project and the Chamber Foundation may also pay for her time to help with acquisition of grants. Ms. Christopher explained that a plan was necessary for the grant application and asked the Commission to review the plan and timeline and provide guidance and input. Commissioners reviewed the plan and timeline in detail with Ms. Christopher providing clarification and fielding questions. It was suggested that lighting be added to the site preparation category. Additional discussion

followed regarding the process, community input/meetings, youth involvement, and advertising. Commissioners agreed to review the handout, email their ideas to Ms. Christopher and adopt the final version at the June meeting. She added there were three pieces to this project: 1) Project Approval, 2) Acquisition of an easement, and 3) signage telling people about the community meetings.

STORM DRAIN ART CONTEST: Chair Melendy reminded Commissioners that they would be judging submissions at the June meeting.

EMERGING ARTIST SOLICITATION: No submittals.

OTHER BUSINESS: Chair Melendy reported that she and Kim bought some of the solution that could be sprayed on sidewalks and only shows up in the rain (Neverwet) and would be testing it at her shop. Linda Pantelone has agreed to make some stencils if the Commission supplies the vinyl. Mr. Brown noted that this would be public art and would therefore need to be approved by Council.

Ms. Christopher noted that she has the corrected mural plaque in her car and is hoping to get it installed before the Iris Festival Parade.

Discussion followed regarding the state of the painted objects at the Big Toy. Mr. Brown indicated that he would talk to Rob who coordinated the contract to figure out what to do. Ms. Christopher suggested that the bad areas be repainted and areas that are in good shape be given another coat of sealer.

STAFF REPORT: None

ADJOURN: The meeting adjourned at 7:08 p.m.

Next Meeting: June 20, 2017

Minutes approved: _____