

MINUTES
REGULAR MEETING OF THE ART COMMISSION
Council Conference Room
City Hall - 385 S. Goliad, Rockwall, TX 75087
February 11, 2019
10:00 A.M.

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER/WELCOME

A quorum of members was present to call the meeting to order at 10:06 a.m. Present Commission Members were Doug Agee, Betty Jean Hoaglund and Jane Braddock. Also present were Assistant City Manager Joey Boyd and Art in Public Places Liaison Bethany Browning. Commission Members David Sweet and Kathleen Morrow were absent from the meeting. Assistant City Secretary Margaret Delaney attended the meeting to take minutes.

1. DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS

A. Review and take action on the January 14, 2019 meeting minutes.

- Doug Agee made a motion to approve the January 14, 2019 minutes. Betty Jean Hoaglund seconded the motion; all were in favor of approving as recorded and the motion passed 3-0.

B. Hear an update from staff regarding the fiberglass sculpture and take any necessary action.

- The Commission stated that David Sweet did an excellent job presenting the project to the City Council.
- Doug Agee stated that Bethany also did an excellent job getting the data/information for David Sweet's presentation. All of the Commission members agreed.
- Bethany spoke with CowPainters and the guitars will be ordered this week.
- Bethany had lots of questions regarding the protective coating and who would apply. Betty stated it could be done by the artists with Krylon and that it would hold up for at least 2-3 years before having to reapply.
- Betty noted that the spray primer that goes over the acrylic on guitars is great and also protects.
- The price of the guitars was \$730
- The question of if one of the guitars breaks and what would happen? Bethany stated another one would have to be ordered and most likely covered under the City's insurance policy.

Bethany presented a Tentative Timeline handout to the Commission

1. The processing of the paperwork and ordering the fiberglass sculptures will be this week February 11-15.
 - The guitars are manufactured at CowPainters and then are shipped in crates.
 - The fiberglass guitars are 5ft. tall; 3ft wide.
 - Dimensions of the base will be determined by each project, in consultation with the concrete fabricator they will be working with. The resulting base should be a minimum of 250 lbs. and up to 450 lbs. in high wind areas.
 - No maintenance needed.

2. It will take 8-10 weeks for the manufacturing and the shipping of the fiberglass sculptures.
 - Coordinate delivery of the statues to the artists.
 - Betty and Doug will work with the artists/city staff regarding the purchase of the paint, etc. The artists will be reimbursed for paint which is estimate around a \$100 each.
 - Betty and Doug to serve as liaisons with artists between now and delivery.
3. The painting of the guitars, to include clear coating protection- April 22-May 10.
 - Betty and Doug to coordinate deadlines with the artists.
 - It is a reasonable timeline due to the fact that acrylic and spray they apply to the statues both dry very quickly.
 - The acrylic can be re-applied every 3 years which will help in case the guitars have some issues with dirt, etc.
4. 1-2 weeks for prepping and installation for unveiling at Founders Day Festival - May 18
 - The guitars will stay in storage (Service Center) until ready to move on Founders Day Festival Day.
 - **All of the fiberglass guitars** will be unveiled and displayed at Founders Day Festival and then will be transported to their locations at a later date.
 - The unveiling of the guitars will be possibly 10 a.m. so people can enjoy the art all day.
 - Will need to firm up with Parks and Recreation.
 - The 2nd base of the guitars will not be put on the guitars till after Founders Day Festival Day

The Commission Board also brought up the following issues regarding project:

- The logo is being revised by Joey Boyd right now. He is working with a graphic artist. They are looking at having the City colors green and blue on the logo?
- All the logo work will be completed in the coming weeks.
- The artists will have their signature on some part of the statue.
- The project and details will be included in the City of Rockwall newsletter.

C. Hear an update and discuss future maintenance of the mural located at 110 S. Goliad, Downtown Rockwall.

- Bethany gave an update on the mural. They received another right-of-entry from the adjacent property.
- The right-of-entry for the building will be in effect for two months.
- Isaac was planning to come on Monday but could not due to the weather.
- Will have to reschedule.
- Bethany and Doug stated there is more peeling on the mural
- Bethany reviewed the contract.
- The painting of the mural is guaranteed for 5 years.

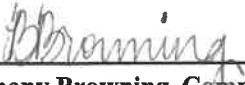
Next Meeting is Monday, March 4, 2019.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 10:40 a.m.

**PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE ART COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF ROCKWALL,
TEXAS, This 4th day of March, 2019.**

ATTEST:



Bethany Browning, Community Relations Manager



David Sweet, ART Commission Chairman