



City of Rockwall
The New Horizon

MINUTES

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE ART COMMISSION
Council Chamber Conference Room, 385 S. Goliad, Rockwall, TX 75087
July 7, 2016
2:00 P.M.

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER/WELCOME

A quorum of members was present to call the meeting to order at 2:05 P.M. Present were Commission Chair, David Sweet and commission members: Betty Jean Hoaglund, Kathleen Morrow, Jane Braddock and Doug Agee. Staff member, Bethany Browning, Community Relations Manager was also present.

2. DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS

A. Review and approval of the June 13, 2016 meeting minutes.

Commission members reviewed meeting minutes and a motion was made by Betty to accept the minutes as presented. Jane seconded the motion and it passed unanimously 5-0.

B. Review and approval of the June 20, 2016 meeting minutes.

Commission members reviewed meeting minutes and a motion was made by Jane to accept the minutes as presented. Betty seconded the motion and it passed unanimously 5-0.

C. Discussion and possible action related to proposed downtown district murals.

The group began the discussion with the proposed School of Rock mural. The group discussed the mural design, as well as funding. There was no general consensus regarding mural design, however no action was taken regarding design changes. Regarding funding, commissioners agreed that based on the percentage of the mural dedicated to the City's live music capital logo, the art commission's portion of funding should be 10% of the total cost of the mural, which would be \$750.00. David made a motion to proceed with the offer of the art commission funding 10% of the mural and School of Rock funding 90%. Kathleen seconded the motion and it passed unanimously 5-0.

The group also discussed Jeff Rife's proposed design for the Pruitt Law Firm mural. Betty expressed the proposed artwork resembled a billboard and looked more like a sign rather than art. Kathleen stated she liked the water feature but people, benches and lanterns, depicting life, missing from the mural. Doug expressed concern about the large bridge and if it should be included in the design, as well as the lack of flow in the design. Commissioner's sketched a new drawing with their ideas and Betty and Doug will schedule a meeting with Jeff to provide new direction for the design.

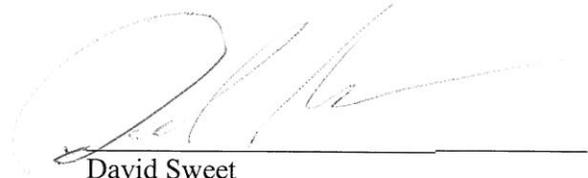
A meeting with Jim Pruitt is scheduled for tomorrow, July 8th, to go over the new design ideas prior to meeting with Mr. Rife.

Commissioner's called Stuart Smith, School of Rock and proposed the commission's offer to pay for 10% of the mural. He will follow up with business partners and get back with commissioners.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 2:45 P.M.

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE ART COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF ROCKWALL, TEXAS,
this 18th day of August 2016.



David Sweet
Art Commission Chairman

ATTEST:

B. Bronning, Com. Relations
Name Title