

## Pompano Beach Public Art Committee

Pompano Beach Cultural Center Multi-Media Room October 19, 2019 5:00 P.M

### **Draft MINUTES**

#### A. Call to Order

Meeting Commenced at 5:13 p.m.

## B. Roll Call

Terrence Davis
Tobi Aycock
Linda Houston Jones
David Miller
Sarahca Peterson (Alternate) (Absent)

Donna Schorr (Excused)
Kelly Ann Maguire
Marie Goodrum Johnson (Excused)
Mimi Botscheller (Alternate)

#### Others in Attendance

Phyllis Korab, Cultural Affairs Director Laura Atria, Public Art Program Manager Edie Kappler, Resident

## 2. Public Art FY2020 Annual Plan

The Committee reviewed the Draft Public Art FY2020 Annual Plan.

The Committee had a brief discussion about the Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard Mural project.

Ms. Aycok stated she spoke with some of the residents in the Northwest community regarding the type of art they would like to see in the community. She stated most of the residents she spoke with preferred sculptures instead of a bust or someone's head.

Mr. Davis suggested providing visuals to the community so they can have a better understanding of different types of artworks.

Ms. Houston Jones replied the Committee should put a presentation together and present it at the Plan Pompano meetings to get the community's feedback.

Mr. Davis thinks the presentation is a good idea because it will allow the Committee to obtain feedback from every age group within the Northwest community.

Ms. Atria replied once the Public Art FY2020 Annual Plan has been approved by the City Commission, she will give a presentation on Public Art and future plans at different Board meetings.

Ms. Maguire stated she would like to see the Committee member's names and the Public Art manager's name added to the back of the Public Art FY2020 Annual Plan.

Ms. Atria replied she will add the names.

Mr. Davis mentioned that the George Gadson sculpture pedestal needs some maintenance done to it.

Ms. Atria replied she will take photos of the sculpture and see what needs to be done. She will provide the photos and her recommendation at the next meeting.

Ms. Maguire asked if the Oasis photo in the Annual Plan can be updated.

Ms. Atria replied she will update the image.

Ms. Maguire asked about adding the names of the artists in the completed images section of the Annual Plan.

Ms. Atria stated she will add their names.

Mr. Davis stated the *9-11 Memorial: Unbroken Spine*. A Book of American Heroism picture is too dark.

Ms. Atria will lighten the picture.

Ms. Botscheller would like a close up picture of *Music Leads the Way* added.

The Powerline Road Sculpture is in District 5 not District 4.

Mr. Davis asked about the light pole project (corner of 1<sup>st</sup> Street and Flagler) that is part of the 10 Year Public Art Master Plan.

Ms. Atria stated if the Committee decides to add a new project to FY2020, then the Public Art FY2020 Annual Plan will be postponed to going before the City Commission. Ms. Atria mentioned the Committee currently has four projects plus the opportunity fund on the FY2020 Annual Plan.

Mr. Davis mentioned the light pole project would be the focal point to the Old Town Plaza Mural project.

Ms. Atria suggested the Committee wait for the Old Town Plaza Mural project to be completed so that the artist who designs the light pole will see the mural and use it as inspiration for the light pole design.

Ms. Houston Jones asked about having the Public Art projects displayed on the screen at the beginning of the Commission meetings.

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Ms. Korab replied the Committee would have to provide Sandra King, the City of Pompano Beach Communications Director, a flash drive of what the Committee would like to be shown to the Public.

Ms. Atria replied she will get in contact with Ms. King concerning this.

The Committee mentioned the Cultural Center Crosswalk project. Ms. Atria stated due to concerns from the City's Traffic Engineer, the Committee will reallocate the funds for the Cultural Center Crosswalk project to another project in the future.

Ms. Korab suggested updating the project title of Blanche Ely Mural to Blanche Ely High School Mural in the Annual Plan.

Ms. Atria went over the changes for the Public Art FY2020. She will email the final draft to the Committee.



A **MOTION** was made by Ms. Maguire to approve the Public Art FY2020 as amended. Motion was second by Ms. Botscheller. Motion passed unanimously.