



Ocala

Municipal Arts Commission

Minutes

110 SE Watula Avenue
Ocala, FL 34471

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Wednesday, January 3, 2024

4:00 PM

1. Call To Order

a. Roll Call

Present: Jaye Baillie
Jean Floten
Leslie Hammond
Darian Mosley
David Reutter
Absent: Allan Danuff
Eliezer (EJ) Nieves
Excused: Pedro "Tito" A. Comas

2. Public Notice

The public notice for the Ocala Municipal Arts Commission was published on December 21, 2023.

3. Public Comments

None.

4. Approval of Minutes

October 4, 2023 Minutes

Attachments: [October 4, 2023 draft minutes.pdf](#)
RESULT: APPROVED
MOVED: Jean Floten
SECONDER: Darian Mosley
AYE: Baillie, Floten, Hammond, Mosley and Reutter
ABSENT: Danuff and Nieves
EXCUSED: Comas

5. Grant Application

a. Heroes Wanted Series

Attachments: [Grant - Heroes Wanted Series.pdf](#)

Mr. Darrin from Art Army provided an overview of Heroes Wanted and talked about its purpose, budget, training guidelines and said it is open to anyone who would like to participate and the events are held at the Marion County library.

Ms. Baillie said that she is in support of this project and believed it provided a positive impact on kids.

Mr. Reutter also added his support and said that he would like to know the event times.

Motion to approve Heroes Wanted: Open Tabletop RPG Event grant application for \$2,000.

RESULT: APPROVED

MOVER: Jaye Baillie

SECONDER: David Reutter

AYE: Baillie, Floten, Hammond, Mosley and Reutter

ABSENT: Danuff and Nieves

EXCUSED: Comas

6. Project Updates

Cultural Arts Manager Leslie Nottingham provided updates on the following events: Art Park series, Chalk Walk, Beginning of Bolted Art (BOBA) brunch, Retro Sounds, Levitt AMP concert series, Skate Park panels; and the S-Curve mural.

7. Other Business

Ms. Nottingham presented the artist's application and three samples of their art work.

There was a short discussion regarding adding the artist to the roster.

Motion to approve adding the artist to the roster.

There being no further discussion the motion carried by roll call vote.

RESULT: APPROVED

MOVER: Jaye Baillie

SECONDER: Leslie Hammond

AYE: Baillie, Floten, Hammond, Mosley and Reutter

ABSENT: Danuff and Nieves

EXCUSED: Comas

8. Informational Items

a. Staff Comments

Ms. Nottingham talked about the OMAC membership, terms and unexcused absences by members. She stated that letters were sent out to some members. The City is looking at various options including reducing the number of members on the Committee. She discussed the Sunshine law and the annual workshop that is held by the City.

b. Board Comments

The Board Members provided updates on their various projects and events.

9. Next Meeting: Wednesday, April 3, 2024

10. Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 4:34 pm.