



**GRAND JUNCTION COMMISSION ON ARTS AND CULTURE
AGENDA
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 23, 2023 - 4:00 PM**

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Call to Order

Approval of Minutes

Approve Minutes from July 26th Meeting

New Business

Old Business

4:00 - Vote on Potential for Art Exhibit at Visit Grand Junction

4:05 - Finalize Script for Outreach Opportunities

4:35 - Volunteers for Hispanic Heritage Celebration

4:45 - Discuss Procedure for Selecting Artists to Promote at Farmers Markets

Reports

Adjourn

Next Meeting, September 27, 2023

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MINUTES
Grand Junction Commission on Arts and Culture (GJCAC)
Wednesday, July 26, 2023, Hospitality Suite, Stocker Stadium

Commissioners Present: Ron Cloyd, Matt Janson, Erica Zajackowski, Pamela Blythe

Commissioners Absent: Jan Moorman, Kelley Raymond, Porcia Chen-Silverberg

Others Present: Marlene Godsey, Scott Beilfuss

Chair Matt Janson called the meeting to order at 4:05 pm. Ron Cloyd moved to approve the minutes of the June 28, meeting. Erica Zajackowski seconded the motion, and the minutes were approved unanimously.

NEW BUSINESS

Matt Jansen shared that is goal for the Commission is to become more visible to the community and engage more as a Commission.

The Commission discussed how they can create an equitable program to select artists to feature at Farmers Markets in the future. They will add to upcoming agenda when more commissioners are present.

OLD BUSINESS

Pamela Blythe gave her commissioner report for the Art Center Art Camp Program. The event went well and was well attended. The GJCAC logo was not very visible on the materials and was not added to the magazine.

Matt Jansen shared the final commissioner report for Charisma Chorus. The event was very internal, and the commissioner felt that it should have more a public focus in the future if grant funding is allocated to make a bigger impact in the Grand Junction Community.

The Commission adopted the Script of Roles and expectations to be used for community outreach and promotion of the Grand Junction Commission on Arts and Culture.

Ron Cloyd shared the event schedule for the BAM futuristic Art show that weekend and encouraged other Commissioners to attend.

REPORT AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

None

The next regular meeting of the GJCAC will be 4:00 p.m. Wednesday, August 23rd, 2023, at the Lincoln Park Barn. As there was no further business, Ron Cloyd moved to declare the meeting adjourned at 5:32 p.m., and it was seconded by Erica Zajackowski.

Respectfully submitted,
Marlene Godsey