



MEETING AGENDA

TUALATIN ARTS ADVISORY COMMITTEE
April 19, 2022 - 6:30 PM

VIRTUAL MEETING
Join by phone: 1-253-215-8782
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The Tualatin Arts Advisory Committee's mission is to support and inspire the creation and integration of all art forms into our city's rich cultural heritage and vibrant future. We believe that involvement in the arts creates a more energetic, engaging, welcoming, and beautiful community.

We also believe that art itself facilitates healthy communities through:

Connection, Culture, Creativity, Imagination & Inspiration.

A. CALL TO ORDER

B. APPROVAL OF MINUTES: March 15, 2022

B. COMMUNICATIONS

1. Chair
2. Council Liaison
3. Staff
4. Public

C. OLD BUSINESS

1. Traffic Signal Box Wrap Update
2. Arts Agency Contribution Program
3. Veterans Plaza Art
4. Parks Funding Update

E. NEW BUSINESS

1. Community Park Mural

F. COMMUNICATIONS FROM COMMITTEE MEMBERS

G. ADJOURNMENT



City of Tualatin

Tualatin Arts Advisory Committee Regular Meeting Minutes March 15, 2022

PRESENT: Janet Steiger Carr, Brett Hamilton, Buck Braden, Dawn Upton, Kathleen Silloway, Mason Hall, Council Liaison Bridget Brooks

ABSENT:

STAFF: Julie Ludemann, Recreation Manager

PUBLIC: none

A. CALL TO ORDER

Chair Janet Steiger Carr called the meeting to order at 6:30pm

B. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Minutes were approved with a correction (change "immune disorders" to "immunocompromised") on a motion from Kathleen Silloway and 2nd by Buck Braden

C. COMMUNICATIONS

1. Chair – none
2. Council Liaison – Councilor Brooks encouraged the committee to be aware of those who are immunocompromised or at higher risk for COVID-19, since although the mask mandate has been dropped, cases are increasing in Europe. Councilor Brooks also reviewed the most recent City Council meeting, where a review of the Council's goals and objectives was discussed. The Parks & Recreation Department was thanked for the work on the Equity and Inclusion plan. Council also appreciates the value artists share with the community, as reflected in programs over the past years. Current projects include a water line main project on Boones Ferry Rd. A special meeting was held on March 14 to address CIO concerns including the noise ordinance and tree ordinance.
3. Staff – Staff, Julie Ludemann, updated the committee on upcoming City Council agenda items from the Parks & Recreation Department, and announced summer programs including the Blender Dash, Viva Tualatin, and Concerts in the Parks.
4. Public - none

D. NEW BUSINESS

1. **Committee Re-Appointment, New Members** – TAAC will be welcoming Jeanie Hart as the newest member of the committee at the April 19 meeting. This meeting was the last official meeting for Buck Braden. The committee thanked Buck for his many years of service, and Julie Ludemann invited members to the March 28 Council meeting for a special announcement honoring Buck.
2. **2022 Annual Budget** – Julie Ludemann presented the 2022 Arts budget to the committee. Kathleen Silloway inquired about a 1% for art program. Councilor Brooks indicated that she had discussed this option with the City Manager in the past.
3. **Arts Agency Contribution Program** - The committee discussed updates to the application for 2022. Julie Ludemann will have the application updated for final comments at the April 19 meeting.

E. OLD BUSINESS

- 1. Traffic Signal Box Wrap** – Julie Ludemann announced that the art has been sent to the wrap designers, and is in production. Buck inquired as to adding the signal box wraps to the Art walk. Kathleen suggested including Spanish translations to text.
- 2. Community Park Mural Project** – Julie Ludemann announced that the painting of the west wall of the Community Park picnic shelter is in track for community painting on May 28 and 29. Artist Redstone Rodolfo Serna will have a first draft of the design available for the committee at the April 19 meeting.

F. COMMUNICATIONS FROM COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Committee member Kathleen Silloway announced the opening of the Reiser Arts Center in Beaverton. In addition there was discussion regarding graffiti/tagging in Tualatin. Member Dawn Upton announced the opportunity to attend virtual meetings of Creative Mornings. Kathleen asked whether the City's art collection could be loaned out to businesses. Julie will research. Councilor Brooks attended *Gem of the Ocean* at Portland Center Stage, which also is running an Arvie Smith exhibit. Janet Steiger Carr announced that Portland Center Stage will also be putting on a production of *Rent*, and *Leading Ladies* will be performed at the Lakewood Center for the Arts. Kathleen Silloway announced that Mask & Mirror will be performing *Death Trap*. Councilor Brooks thanked Buck for all his work on behalf of the arts in Tualatin. This sentiment was echoed by all the committee members. Buck Braden described some of the history of TAAC and Tualatin's art. His advice in one word to the committee members was Immerse. Buck encouraged the committee to continue to immerse themselves in art of all types, and to use history to help understand the present.

G. ADJOURNMENT

Meeting was adjourned by Chair Janet Steiger Carr at 8:05pm on a motion from Buck Braden and second by Dawn Upton.