



CITY OF OAK PARK
COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INFORMATION

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Meeting of the Arts and Cultural Commission of Oak Park
Wednesday, April 27, 2016 7:00 p.m.
Community Center Room
AGENDA

1. Call to Order: _____
Roll Call: Chairperson: Michele Stevenson, Vice-Chairperson: Deni Rome, Secretary: Elizabeth Fritz-Cottle, Heidi Bisson, Ron Clegg, Lynn Copeland, Terri McQueen, Sudha Chandra Sekhar, Ayanna Smith. Department Representative Denise DeSantis, Council Member Ken Rich
B. Guests: _____
2. Approval of Agenda: April 27, 2016 Motion: _____ Second: _____ Unanimous? _____
3. Approval of Minutes: March 23, 2016 Motion: _____ Second: _____ Unanimous? _____
4. Old Business:
 - A. Discuss feedback from Robert Mirek on Artist Reception;
 - B. Artist Reception Dates:
 1. Joshua Mulligan – June 6, 2016, 4-7 p.m. (4-5 set-up, 5-7 event)
 2. Shirley Lolles – August 1, 2016, 4-7 p.m. (4-5 set-up, 5-7 event)
 3. TBD – November 7, 2016, 4-7 p.m. (4-5 set-up, 5-7 event)
 - C. Logo and branding discussion - Shall the Commission petition the City to redesign the Commission's logo and acronym?
 - D. Two musical groups:
 1. Bel Canto Choir: Did they accept the \$100 stipend suggestion? If so, determine date and time to host recital?
 2. Agenda 21: What kind of political messaging does the band include?
 - E. Budget Item: Concerts in the Park and Budget Status Update
5. New Business:
 - A. Review new artists' submissions for City Hall Gallery;
 1. Christopher Gillam
 - B. Establish working groups:
 1. Community Asset Database
 2. Establish Calendar of Events for 2016 – 2017 / Assign responsibility
 - a. Pop Up Dance Party
 - b. Community Art Project
 - c. City Hall Art Gallery Receptions (see above)
 - d. Artist Workshops/Lectures
 3. New Artist Submission for City Art Gallery: Christopher Gillam, Artist/Designer
6. Finance Report: \$2,318.01
7. Members' updates and local upcoming art and cultural events;
8. Adjournment: _____
Next Meeting: Wednesday, May 25th at 7 p.m.