

Greeley Art Commission Minutes

January 18, 2022

Meeting 4:00 PM

Art Commissioners Present – Dik Munson, Tom Devore, Michelle Lieser-Booren, Danyelle Butler, Robb Casseday, Sandy Magnuson, Tony Miller, Dominic Anaya, Louisa Andersen.

Staff Present – Kim Snyder, Jason Evenson, Stan Scott, Kelly Snook, Leslie Evans.

Dik Munson called the meeting to order.

A motion to approve the November minutes was made by Tom Devore and seconded by Louisa Anderson. The November minutes were approved unanimously. No December minutes for approval due to lack of quorum at December meeting.

New Business and Action Items:

1. Uptown Trees 2021-2022 – Following a December 2nd review and discussion of the 3-D models and artist proposals submitted for the 8th Avenue vacancies, the staff and Uptown Tree Committee recommended three finalists. A motion to accept the three finalists was made by Robb Cassedy. The motion was seconded by Sandy Magnuson, and passed unanimously.
2. 12th St Storm Water Outfall – The selection committee and staff recommend commissioning Adam Kuby as the final artist to work alongside the Stormwater design team to design (2022) and install (2023) artwork. A motion to approve commissioning Adam Kuby was made by Sandy Magnuson. The motion was seconded by Tom Devore, and passed unanimously.
3. Paint the Town –
 - a. The selection committee and staff recommend moving forward with a RFP to commission a Colorado-based artist(s) with a mural at the Greeley Family FunPlex pool. The commission discussed expectations regarding a budget of \$25,000 - \$30,000, installation date(s) and theme. Following discussion, Louisa Anderson made a motion to approve commissioning an artist to paint a mural in the Family FunPlex. A second was made by Robb Casseday, and the motion passed unanimously.
 - b. A majority of the RAMP committee and staff are recommending the commission of two local artists with murals at the main gate entries at Island Grove Arena. The project would be a collaborative effort with the Greeley Stampede. The commission discussed the opportunity for funding efforts, as well as supplemental labor to cut costs, from the Stampede committee. The Paint the Town committee will further examine once project

approved. A motion to approve requesting proposals from Armando Silva and Cody Kuehl, and if approved, to commission each an entry gate mural, was made by Dik Munson. The motion was seconded by Tony Miller, and passed unanimously.

4. Geometry of Flight Falcons – The Ramp Committee, in agreement with the Public Art staff, recommend upcycling the existing Falcons by purchasing a pedestal for display at the new Sheepdraw Trail head on 20th St. A proposed budget of \$15,000 for purchase and installation was discussed in regards to the original pricing of the sculpture, and then increased to \$17,000 to ensure success. A motion to approve the purchase of a pedestal to upcycle the existing Falcons sculpture, with a budget of no more than \$17,000, was made by Robb Casseday. Tom Devore seconded the motion, which carried unanimously.
5. 2023 Art Master Plan – Please see Kim Snyder if you are interested in participating in the RAMP committee. Meetings will begin in January.
6. The Art Commission elected Robb Casseday as the chair for 2022. Dik Munson will resume his role as co-chair.

Non-Action Items:

1. Project Reports:

- a. Migration/Transformation new purchase - the Stained glass mosaic sculpture by Annette Coleman has been installed on the corner of 9th Ave and 8th St.; minor adjustments are needed before the purchase is final. The 'Feather' sculpture has been temporarily moved to 9th Ave and 9th St until spring when Kirk Seese picks it up.
- b. IG Trailhead Marker Art – A contract is being negotiated with botanical artist for drawings to be placed on the kiosks. A separate agreement will be offered for an artist to stamp the new trails being poured along the #3 Ditch in the Broadview Trail area.
- c. Fire Station #6 – in progress
- d. Paint the Town
 - i. New Rodarte Bus Wrap – on hold
 - ii. Excel Energy Utility Cabinets – Our point of contact is changing and we expect that to slow down the progress.

2. Maintenance & Repair

- a. Peakview Park skate park 'Range' additions to design – Completed
- b. 'The History of Greeley Transportation' - Repairs to the artwork at the Transit Center have been postponed until March or April 2022.
- c. Stan is assessing the 4th Quarter (Q4) 2021 Survey Monkey artwork inspections. If you have not completed your inspections please let Stan or myself know. Q1 2022 link will be sent out by the end of January.

3. Other

- a. **Tointon Gallery** – If you have not seen the Sieger Hartgers collection that is currently being displayed in the Tointon Gallery, please make time to visit. The adoption of this Collection was approved by the Art Commission, completed in 2019 and is now being displayed as the first exhibit for the re-opening of the Gallery. Feedback for this exhibit has been extremely positive.

Meeting Adjourned 4:50 pm

The Next Meeting will be held on February 15, 2022.



Greeley Art Commission Chair

12-20-22
Date

