



City of San Leandro

Civic Center
835 East 14th Street
San Leandro, California

Draft Minutes

Arts Commission

Chair, Erika A. Garcia, District 3
Vice Chair Terry Guillory, District 6
Brian K. Copeland, District 1
Dina Herrera, District 2
Alberto Perez-Rendon, District 5
Brody Scotland, At Large (2)
Martin Wong, District 4
Vacancy, At Large
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Wednesday, May 26, 2021

18:30

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1. ROLL CALL

Present

Chair Garcia
Vice Chair Guillory
Copeland
Herrera
Scotland
Perez-Rendon

Absent

Wong

2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA OF MAY 26, 2021

Motion: Copeland
2nd Motion: Scotland
Vote: 6-0
Motion passes

3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF APRIL 28, 2021

Motion: Guillory
2nd Motion: Perez-Rendon
Vote: 6-0
Motion passes

4. PRESENTATIONS

4.A. Discussion of Potential Color Theme Selection for New City of San Leandro Website

Kevin Bostwick (Tripepi Smith Consulting) presented four proposed color themes for the new website. These color themes were taken from various elements and landmarks around the city. There was a productive discussion among the Commissioners and the public. The Commission commenced an advisory vote on the color themes. The vote tally is listed below.

Commissioners

4 Red

2 Gold

Public Comment

2 Red

1 Purple

5. PUBLIC COMMENTS

Public comment speaker provided comment requesting an update on the Arts and Culture Grants program. A subsequent program update is on the current meeting agenda.

6. CORRESPONDENCE

None

7. ORAL REPORT OF SECRETARY

Project Updates

7.A. Main Library Sculpture

The Question Mark sculpture has been casted in bronze. Secretary Engelbart has provided status updates via e-mail to the Commission. This project experienced many delays throughout the production process, but the project timeline will be completed soon.

7.B. Boys and Girls Club Sun Shade

The Boys and Girls Club received the donation check from the City. A photo opportunity with the Commissioners will be scheduled for a future date while the sun shade is under construction. A subsequent photo opportunity will be scheduled once the sun shade is constructed.

7.C. Murals & Utility Boxes

This project was led and completed by the City's Community Development Department staff. All publicly owned utility boxes have been identified and painted/wrapped with artwork.

7.D. Virtual Arts and Crafts Show 2021

Residents provided positive responses to the art show. Over 36 artwork pieces are currently posted to either the City of San Leandro Facebook page or the San Leandro Arts Commission Facebook page. A further analysis of the art show will be presented at the June Arts Commission meeting.

7.E. San Leandro Arts & Culture Grants Program

Secretary Engelbart informed the Commission the grants program is moving forward in 2021. Preparations on the program website, insurance requirements, and logistics are progressing. Residents are eligible to apply for a \$2,000 grant and organizations are eligible to apply for a \$4,000 grant. An official announcement of the grant program launch will be sent to the press, posted on social media, and placed on the front page of the City's website.

Hesperian Triangle -

Commissioners commented the Sentinel artwork should have been centered in the triangle and not to one corner. The artwork is not a highly visible piece. The Sentinel is contracted to stay in the triangle for 12 months. Commissioners requested to add more artwork to the triangle. Secretary Engelbart will contact Local Arts Berkeley to build out the space fully.

8. COMMITTEE REPORTS

None

9. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

9.A. Arts Commission Master Plan

Commission will review the master plan timeline during their June meeting. They may elect a subcommittee to micro-target some of the goals in the master plan.

10. NEW BUSINESS

None

11. REPORT OF CHAIR

None

12. COMMISSION COMMENTS

None

13. ADJOURNMENT

Meeting ended at 7:31 p.m.