

Public Art Advisory Committee Minutes

January 29, 2014–4:30 p.m. Legion Hall 216 East Park Street, McCall, ID 83638



COMMITTEE MEETING - Began at 4:30 p.m.

CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL

Committee members Bob Youde, Cynthia Dittmer and Claire Remsberg were present. Also present was Delta James, City Planner.

MINUTES APPROVAL

Bob moved and Claire seconded a motion to approve the minutes from December 4, 2013. The motion passed unanimously.

PUBLIC ART EXAMPLES

Staff shared an image of Jack Mackie's dancing steps inlayed into a sidewalk in Seattle.

PUBLIC ART PROJECT OPPORTUNITIES

Urban Renewal District – Fir Street tree grates: Staff reported that staff is working with Danny's Welding to confirm costs and design specifications. The Call to Artists is anticipated to be released in March.

MDHS Advanced Art Class – Railroad Ave retaining wall: Public input on the final mural design has concluded with more than 50% of respondents preferring the river, fish and mountains design. The project selection committee has recommended that design to City Council for approval. City Council will consider the recommended design at their February 13 meeting. Idaho Power has agreed to provide \$300 in sponsorship for the project.

• PUBLIC ART OPPORTUNITIES

Alpine Playhouse – Staff reported that the City has applied for a \$10,000 grant from the Idaho Commission on the Arts to support a public art project near the Alpine Playhouse in conjunction with the recently-funding ITD Community Choices for Idaho sidewalk project. The grant will be matched with the \$10,000 City allocation for public art. Notification of grant award should happen in late May or early June, 2014.

FUNDING

Staff reported that Idaho Power has agreed to provide \$300 for the Railroad Avenue retaining wall mural project.

PUBLIC ART EDUCATION / ADVOCACY

Existing artwork information / brochure - Staff has created a brochure and public art locations map and will distribute them to the Chamber and Gallery 55.

OTHER

Next meeting date – staff will email out meeting date options.

ADJOURNMENT

Meeting was adjourned at 5:15 p.m.

Date: April 23, 2014

Claire Remsberg PAAC Chair Attest:

Delta James

City Planner