



ANACORTES ARTS COMMISSION

Members: Karla Locke, Chair - Marius Hibbard, Betsy Humphrey, Lanny Bergner, Terry MacDonald, Laura Hamilton, Lisa Rhoades and Zachary Wight

June 12, 2019

Members Present: Lanny Bergner, Laura Hamilton, Karla Locke, Betsy Humphrey and Marius Hibbard.

Staff Present: Jonn Lunsford and Mary Snyder

Called to Order at approximately 4:06 pm.

Minutes from the May meeting were approved.

Public Comment: Nothing to report.

98221 Studio Tour: Three are currently 37 applications received. Participation fees are arriving daily. Marius stated that he will be participating this year at the Padilla Hill location and offer marbeling.

Madrona Grove Sculpture Exhibition: There are still two pieces by Terri Malec that need to be placed in the Madrona grove. Once all pieces are installed, Marius will take pictures of each piece and then brochures and signage will be completed. There was discussion over possible dates and ideas for an artist reception. Placement of purchased pieces from the previous year were discussed. One will be placed at Kiwanis Waterfront Park and the other along the Thompson Trail.

Creative District: This project has been put on hold until after the annual Arts Festival.

Other Business:

- The Postal pocket park will be proceeding forward as the Arts Festival has contracted with Proscapes and the goal is to have the project completed by Shipwreck Day.
- The Picket Pocket Park is also moving forward with agreements being sought from the adjacent landowners. Strandberg Construction will be starting in August.
- Karla stated that Al Currier posted on social media that he has surplus items for sale which sparked a conversation about other artists with other items seeking an outlet to sell. Karla proposed a one day, mid-week, possibly evening in August, wherein artists can sell artwork, surplus art supplies, jewelry, books, etc. The cost to be included in the event will be \$20 and an application will be required. Karla and Mary will look at possible dates.
- Marius reported on the Sam Hamill poetry event saying that it was well attended however Maria will not be renting her venue to the group in the future.

Meeting adjourned at approximately 5:10.

The meeting in July has been cancelled.

The next regular meeting will be held on **Wednesday, August 14, 2019 at 4:00** in the Library meeting room.

Respectfully submitted by:

Mary Snyder

Approved: 08/14/2019