

MINUTES OF BASTROP CULTURAL ARTS COMMISSION
November 7, 2023
City Hall, Bastrop, Texas

The Bastrop Cultural Arts Commission met in a regular meeting on Tuesday, October 3, 2023 at 1:00 p.m. at Bastrop City Hall located at 1311 Chestnut Street, Bastrop, Texas. Individuals present were Montoya Stayton, Nicole DeGuzman, Chloe Breville, Mayor Pro Tem Kirkland and Staff Liaison Candice Butts.

1. **CALL TO ORDER:** 1:01 p.m. and with quorum in attendance, Maria called the meeting to order.
2. **CITIZENS COMMENTS:** None
3. **ANNOUNCEMENTS:** None
4. **REPORTS:**
 - 4A. Receive report from Iconic Art Committee: Planning event for fundraiser on February 24, 2023, to raise funds for the Bird Junction project. The committee presented a FAQ sheet with detailed information about the project.
 - 4B. Receive funding diversification report: No updates at this time.
5. **PRESENTATIONS:** None.
6. **WORKSHOPS**
 - 6A. Discussion on the Delgado Park Mural Project: No art call applications submitted on time. Curtis Griffin submitted for the project and seemed to be a good fit. Commission will work to move forward with his submission.
 - 6B. Discussion on the Kerr Park Mural Project: No update.
 - 6C. Discussion on the Gathering event: Item tabled for the next meeting.
 - 6D. Discussion on the Pryology Foundry and Studio Sculpture placements: Iconic Art committee to schedule a time to walk to pinpoint and finalize potential sculpture placements.
 - 6E. Discussion on the Bird Junction project: Map to be revised for changes in a few of the identified iconic art locations along Chestnut Street. An online fundraiser is in development.
 - 6F. Discussion on Cultural Arts Commission Workplan: Discussion on appropriate use of HOT funds for the arts in Bastrop. Staff will bring TCA representative to next meeting to discuss appropriate use. Commission made updates to year two of the CAC's two-year workplan and will bring it back for approval in November.
7. **ITEMS FOR INDIVIDUAL CONSIDERATION:**

7A. Consider action to approve the Cultural Arts Commission meeting minutes from the October 3, 2023 meeting: Nicole made a motion to approve and Chloe seconded. Minutes were approved unanimously.

8. ADJOURNMENT: Meeting was adjourned at 2:29 p.m.

APPROVED:

ATTEST:

Maria Montoya Stayton
Cultural Arts Commission, Chair

Candice Butts
Main Street Manager