

CITY OF ORLAND ARTS COMMISSION

MINUTES

October 15, 2025

The Wednesday, October 15, 2025 meeting was called to order at 7:02 p.m. by Chairman Rae Turnbull at the Orland Art Center. Commissioners present were: Jill Elliott, Steve Elliott, Mason Greeley, Paddy Turnbull and Jim Scribner. Also present: Community Liaison Laurie LaGrone and Council Liaison Terrie Barr. Absent: Mary Rose Kennedy. Minutes of the Wednesday September 17, 2025 meeting were approved as emailed with no corrections or additions (motion made by Paddy Turnbull, seconded by Jim Scribner - motion carried). The Financial Report covering September 1-30, 2025 provided by Letty Espinosa was accepted as presented, (motion made by Steve Elliott, seconded by Paddy Turnbull – motion carried).

COMMISSIONER REPORTS AND ACTION:

- A. Arts Commissioner Rae Turnbull reported that Enjoy magazine will once again feature Orland in their November issue with the photo of one of the paintings from our current show.
- B. Arts Commissioner Rae Turnbull reported on and provided a document detailing the current inventory of all artwork in the city's permanent art collection, displayed in the Art Center's auxiliary gallery. The inventory document will also be given to the City of Orland for their records.

ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION OR ACTION:

- A. Arts Commissioner Steve Elliott's revised solution for the decorating and lighting of the city tree at Fourth Street and Hwy. 32 was discussed. Council Liaison Terrie Barr will contact City Manager Joe Goodman and report back to Steve Elliott regarding the next step.
- B. Community Liaison Laurie LaGrone presented a sample of a basic art supply kit to be available at the gallery. The art kits will be offered at a suggested donation price of \$20. The art supply kit donations will help increase operating revenue for the gallery, while also providing convenient access to art supplies for the Drawing Session attendees.
- C. The current Art Center cleaning and general maintenance person is retiring at the end of this year, due to health issues. Results from the search for a replacement will be presented at the next meeting.

MEMBER REPORTS:

- A. Arts Commissioner Paddy Turnbull requested that a discussion concerning the George Turnbull Memorial Fund be added to the next agenda.

PUBLIC COMMENTARY:

None.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 7:59 p.m.

Next scheduled meeting: Wednesday, November 19, 2025 at 7:00 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Jill Elliott and Rae Turnbull