



**MINUTES  
CITY OF COVINGTON  
ARTS COMMISSION MEETING**

**Thursday, August 14, 2014**

**City Hall, Large Conference Room  
16720 SE 271<sup>st</sup> Street, Suite 100, Covington**

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**CALL TO ORDER**

Lesli Cohan, Chair, called the meeting to order at 6:32 pm.

**MEMBERS PRESENT**

Lesli Cohan, Sandy Bisordi, Gini Cook, Ed White, and Leslie Spero were in attendance. (Two positions are currently open.)

**CITY STAFF PRESENT**

Pat Patterson

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

Motion to approve was made by Ed and seconded by Leslie; all approved.

**APPROVAL OF CONSENT AGENDA**

Amended to include the agreement last month to include Richard Burhans Story of St. Nicholas in the rotating art exhibit. Motion to approve as amended by Sandy; 2<sup>nd</sup> by Ed; all approved.

**CITIZEN/GUEST/STAFF COMMENTS**

Rachael Leung

Rachael had agreed to be the Administrator for our call to artists on CaFE. She reported that the call would go live the following day and we would be able to view the selections on September 8<sup>th</sup>. The plan is to make our selection for the artist/sculpture for the Aquatic Center at the 9/11 meeting. Lesli said she would look into posting a reference to the CaFE call on SoCoCulture.

**CONTINUED BUSINESS**

- KidsFest (August 16) hours are from 10 AM to 2 PM. We will be doing the 4" ballpoint pen drawings which we hope to have converted to tiles for a future city art installation. Set-up is 8 to 9:30; Gini agreed to be there at 9:00. Ed and Leslie both committed to helping out for a portion of the event.
- Covington Days Debrief: Ed, Lesli and Gini participated in the event on Sunday, 7/20, working with Parks Commissioners, helping fairgoers decorate small terra cotta pots and plant sunflower seeds. Seemed to be a popular activity that was well attended. Pat

reported that some vendors thought the festival wasn't as well attended as last year; chances are the venue will change once again next year.

- Decision Cards: In addition to the previously discussed decision card to keep an art installation at the Aquatic Center, Pat reported that a second card for \$900 to provide public art of some kind at the Skateboard Park was also submitted for approval.

#### **NEW BUSINESS**

No new business

#### **CITIZEN/COMMISSIONER/STAFF COMMENTS**

None

#### **FUTURE AGENDA TOPICS**

None

#### **GROUP MEMORY**

Group Memory was approved by all Commission members.

#### **ADJOURN**

Meeting adjourned at 8:30 PM.