

Ballston Spa Committee on the Arts

Minutes 7/6/2022

Call to Order - 7:00

Pledge to the Flag

Attendance/Introductions - George Long, Cathy Hackert, Ashley Bush, Katie Tiedeman, Corina Oberai, kate van buren

Approval of the 6/15/22 minutes - Approved, no additions or modifications

Old Business/Projects

Mural - Corina had an initial discussion with T. Mangino re: using the Front Street Deli wall (facing Wiswall park). We propose to use a small portion of the wall (at the bottom and nearer the gazebo) and create a transition between the painting and the existing bushes at the sides.

Planter Art - 10 sold, including 4 from 2021

Banners - ASK proposal for summer banners was recommended to the Village Board by BSCoA on 6/15. Village Board approved. To be hung ~7/10/22 through 11/10/22. Will be added to the calendar and communicated to DPW. The committee is reviewing an additional proposal for winter banners at this meeting.

Sounds of Summer - Seeking 2 Sundays (3:00pm) in August or early September (8/21 is not available with the venue, Brookside). Confirmed no conflicts with other events, venues, etc..

Website/Social Media - no additional updates

New Business

Budget review - no additional expenditures; Collecting 3 checks for banners.

Category/Artist Directory review - in process.

Chair's report - All voting members are required to complete the NYS Government Sexual Harassment Training. (link sent)

Application review (2) -

- 5th Annual Ballston Spa Birdhouse Program - recommending to the Village to approve for 2023.
- 5th Annual Ballston Spa Holiday Banners/Ornaments - recommending to the Village to approve for Winter 2022. Suggesting to collaborate with the Committee's winter snowflake project.

Other - suggestions for next agenda:

Public Comment - no additional; discussion captured throughout

Next Meeting

Next meeting – July 20th

7 pm

@ Library Community Room

Adjourn - 8:36

Ballston Spa Committee on the Arts - Mission

To foster and advance artistic and creative efforts in the Village's public spaces in order to enrich and enhance the quality of life in our community.