

HAILEY ARTS COMMISSION  
MEETING NOTES FOR APRIL 1, 2010

Attending:

Commissioners: Joe Castle, Linda Packer, Jim Spinelli, Erica Niemi, Jessica Miller, Mark Johnstone and Andrew Lewis

Guests: Sheila Kelley

City Representative: Tracy Anderson

Meeting was called to order at 4:20 PM.

**Old Business:**

1. A Month of Art Update:

Sheila reported that, with talking to Trina/ City, only one permit is required and will blanket the events involved with 'A Month of Art'. Permit of \$125.00 will be submitted and fees paid by the HCC. Liability Insurance will also be covered by HCC. A proposed letter from Sheila, as Chair of the HCC Events Committee, with budget approval by the HCC BOD, defines funds/ in-kind contributions, was distributed to the Commissioners.

A Day of Chalk- Jessica Miller reported she still needed help. After Sheila sent request to Hailey Chamber with minimal response, Sheila agreed to help. Sheila informed the HAC that, in order for the HCC to provide liability insurance for the A Day of Chalk, it was necessary for a Chamber Board member to be present. Jessica and Sheila will get together the first of next week. Sheila will also make an additional request to the HCC for help. The date of July 10<sup>th</sup>, Sat., is confirmed.

A Night of Music- first press release is out. Dana DuGan is working on coordinating businesses and music for the July 19<sup>th</sup> event. Boise Weekly will be contacted to promote it.

Sun Valley Center for the Arts, in Hailey, has agreed to partner w/ HAC. "Timber!" will be an open invitational valley-wide, with an opening on July 1, 5-7. A Call to Artists will be issued in Mid-April. HAC will help hang the show during the last week of June. Joe Castle, with assistance from Dave Marks, is working on the selection and placement of outdoor sculpture along Main Street.

Erica Niemi will design posters for the "Month of Art" and "Night of Music." Mark will coordinate text and images with her. HCC will print.

HAC & HCC to share radio ad costs.

2. Children's Art Program: Jessica working on this fall project.

3. Town Entryway Artwork: Tracy reported that the Idaho Commission on the Arts only awarded HAC \$735.00 instead of the full amount requested. HAC needs \$1,300.00 more. Call to Artists is to be issued April 2, with the installation scheduled for end Oct./ early Nov. HAC needs to raise remaining funds in next few weeks. Comment made that the HAC needs to get funds and complete project to prove credibility with ICA. Tracy and Joe to spearhead fundraising. Jim, Linda and Mark offered to help. Jim asked Sheila to ask HCC for additional funds. Sheila will do so, but shared concern LOT funds had been decreased from 2009 and were already earmarked for other projects.

4. Just Bag It Sculpture: Tracy said the deadline was April 2. Selection made by special committee April 6<sup>th</sup>, and a special HAC meeting on April 16<sup>th</sup> for approval of the artist selection prior to April 26<sup>th</sup> Hailey City Council meeting for final approval.

5. Hailey Rodeo Park: Mark gave updates and commented that, if the May 25 bond passes, it will require immediate action of the HAC to define the art, put out a Call, and meet ordinance requirements.

6. Brochure on general info on HAC for summer distribution is taking place, with mark assembling text and images and Erica designing Cost est. at \$200- 225.00.

**New Business:**

1. A Taste of Art: Mark had a discussion with Jon McGowan who offered his property to host this new event, which would include food tasting from local restaurants with beverages. Date to be July 26<sup>th</sup> and included in A Month of Art. Workshop meeting to take this further scheduled for 9 a.m. on April 8<sup>th</sup> at Zaney's.

2. Reschedule meeting time: After discussion, vote and decision was made to keep meeting date and time as is: 4:15 on the 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of each month.

3. Reports:

Jim on WRAA - group unable to organize art walk.

Linda on Historic Preservation- no report.

Mark on "Paint the State" - Part of 'The Meth Project' for every county in the state

April 19<sup>th</sup> opening of Public Art opportunity to youth 13-18 yrs. with visable art shown between June 1 thru 31. Go to web site for more details.

Consideration of involvement.

4. Resignation: Andy Lewis notified the HAC that he is resigning temporarily. He suggested that the HAC look to 'music people' in finding a replacement.

5. Agenda for May: It was requested by Erica that at the next meeting the 'Stumps at the Park' be placed on the agenda.

Andy Lewis moved to adjourn.

Jim Spinelli moved to second.

Submitted by Sheila Kelley