

HAILEY ARTS COMMISSION
MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING HELD
November 20, 2007

Present: Patty Lewis, Pat Robinson Webb, Mark Johnstone, Stacy Smith, Becki Keefer and Denise Simone, and Tracy Anderson. Carol Brown was not in attendance.

Called to order by President Patty Lewis.

Business in Progress & Board Reports:

1. Percent for Public Art Ordinance

A more complete progress report will be made next meeting, but it is on the Council's Agenda for November 26th. Mark will be there and will present it to the Council.

2. Report on Artists List

3. Report on ArtWalk Summer 2008

Pat describes the Artist List progress & locations to post flyers. All completed forms should end up in Tracy's hands, who will also post a link to the form on the city's website. The Commissioners discussed whether the list should be limited to Hailey artists only, but decided that it should include all Wood River community artists. Denise strongly suggests that there be more communication between events, such as art walks, to avoid conflicts with other events, especially Ketchum's Friday Art Walks. Marks suggests sending our form out to other local resources, such as the Wood River Arts Alliance members.

Denise has pulled together a committee whose tentative plans are to have a month-long event (in July) to maximize the exposure of our Art Walk. Pat suggests engaging dance artists and musicians, as well. Denise's group hopes to match artists with sponsoring businesses, with an entire catalog for visitors to find the sites. Mark suggests Bastille Day (July 15) as a celebration focus, and suggest that we fully engage the galleries, as it is their event, too. Denise says that the brochure development creates the perfect opportunity to partner with the Chamber, perhaps with a joint grant application.

4. Mural Ordinance

Mark will contact the City Planning Director again.

New Business:

Review of Public Art/Gifts: the Parks, Lands & Trails Master Plan has a section in it that the Arts Commission should update as needed, and then the Master Plan should be amended to just refer to the Arts Commission. This will be on the next Agenda.

Minutes:

Pat moved to approve the Minutes of October 23, 2007 as presented; Stacy seconded the motion, and all voted in favor.

Adjourned.