

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE PUBLIC ARTS COMMISSION  
OF THE CITY OF LOS ALTOS, HELD ON THURSDAY, JUNE 25, 2020,  
AT 5:00 P.M. HELD VIA VIDEO/TELECONFERENCE**

**ROLL CALL**

PRESENT: Chair Ellickson, Vice Chair Waldman, Commissioners Horine, King, Rini and Strock

ABSENT: Commissioner Yee

**PUBLIC COMMENTS**

The following individuals provided public comments on items not on the agenda: Maddy McBirney and Karen Zucker.

**ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION/ACTION**

1. Potential collaboration with Bay Area Enterprises Initiative: Discuss potential collaboration with Bay Area Enterprises Initiative and potential next steps

Action: Per the direction of Council Liaison Lee Eng and upon a motion by Commissioner King, seconded by Commissioner Waldman, the Commission moved item number 1 to after item number 3, by the following vote: AYES: Ellickson, Horine, King, Rini and Waldman; NOES: None; ABSENT: Yee; ABSTAIN: None.

Direction: The Commission directed that Chair Ellickson reach out to the Greathouses regarding potentially moving *Conversation Peace* to the interior courtyard of the Community Center and that the Commission discuss with Morgan Bricca and Linda Gass regarding a potential artwork for the main lobby.

2. Community Center Art: Receive an update from the subcommittee to discuss potential art for the new community center

Vice Chair Waldman and Commissioner King provided an update from the subcommittee.

3. Downtown Mural Project: Discuss a potential Downtown mural and provide feedback as needed

Chair Ellickson provided an update.

Direction: The Commission directed Chair Ellickson to connect muralist Morgan Bricca with representatives from the Assistance League.

4. Call for Art: Review submissions and determine next steps in selection process

Commissioners reviewed entries submitted for the Call for Art.

Art for Community Center temporary fence: Discuss potential art for the temporary fence surrounding the Community Center

This item was continued to a future meeting.

5. Promotion of public art during COVID-19 Shelter-in-place order: Discuss the potential for promotion of public art during the COVID-19 Shelter-in-place order

Commissioners King and Strock provided an update on ideas from the subcommittee including a potential scavenger hunt and a series of articles to be published in the Town Crier.

6. Musical Gambol: Receive an update on Musical Gambol and discuss potential next steps

Commissioner Horine provided an update.

7. Commission Minutes: Approve the minutes of the meetings of February 27, 2020, May 14, 2020, May 28, 2020 and June 10, 2020

Action: Upon a motion by Chair Ellickson, seconded by Commissioner Strock, the Commission approved the minutes of the meetings of February 27, 2020, May 14, 2020, May 28, 2020 and June 10, 2020, by the following vote: AYES: Ellickson, Horine, King, Rini and Waldman; NOES: None; ABSENT: Yee; ABSTAIN: None.

8. Potential collaboration with Bay Area Enterprises Initiative: Discuss potential collaboration with Bay Area Enterprises Initiative and potential next steps

This item was continued to a future meeting.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

Chair Ellickson adjourned the meeting at 6:57 p.m.

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE PUBLIC ARTS COMMISSION  
OF THE CITY OF LOS ALTOS, HELD ON THURSDAY, JULY 9, 2020,  
AT 5:00 P.M. HELD VIA VIDEO/TELECONFERENCE**

**ROLL CALL**

PRESENT: Chair Ellickson, Vice Chair Waldman, Commissioners Horine, King, Rini and Yee

ABSENT: Commissioner Strock

New Commissioner Amina Yee introduced herself to the Commission.

**ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION/ACTION**

1. Artwork from The Justice Vanguard Foundation: Consider the potential purchase of artwork from The Justice Vanguard Foundation and approve the 30-day, temporary loan of artwork to the City

Urna Bajracharya of the Justice Vanguard Foundation presented the artwork. Commissioners provided feedback and suggestions for next steps.

Direction: Commissioners directed that the next steps for the artwork are: 1) Chair Ellickson and Urna Bajracharya evaluate the artworks and their placement at Lincoln Park; 2) staff from the City's Recreation Department review the artworks to determine whether any artworks might be placed in City facilities; 3) Chair Ellickson introduce Urna Bajracharya to History Museum Executive Director Elisabeth Ward regarding the potential donation of artwork to the Museum; and 4) the artworks will remain at Lincoln Park until August 3, 2020.

2. Community Center Art: Receive an update from the subcommittee to discuss potential art for the new community center

Chair Ellickson provided an update on discussions regarding Conversation Peace.

3. Promotion of public art during COVID-19 Shelter-in-place order: Discuss the potential for promotion of public art during the COVID-19 Shelter-in-place order

This item was not taken up.

**ADJOURNMENT**

Chair Ellickson adjourned the meeting at 6:05 p.m.