

# VILLAGE OF FLOSSMOOR PUBLIC ART COMMISSION

Village Hall/Zoom Meeting

May 10, 2021

## MINUTES

- I. Call to Order  
Chairman Burrows called the meeting to order at 7:05 p.m.
- II. Roll Call  
Present: Chairman Burrows, Vice Chair Stevenson, Commissioners Cheney, Lombardi, Lawrence, Gordon  
Absent: Commissioner Hobson  
Staff: Allison Matson  
Also present: Mayor Michelle Nelson
- III. Citizens Present Wishing to Address the Commission  
None
- IV. Approval of the April 12, 2021 Minutes  
Chairman Burrows called for a motion to approve the minutes of April 12, 2021. Motion: Cheney. Second: Lombardi. Motion passed by a roll call vote. Ayes: Stevenson, Cheney, Lombardi, Lawrence, Gordon, Burrows. Noes: None. Absent: Hobson
- V. Public Art Commission Proposed Guidelines Review
- VI. Village Events
  1. Flossmoor Fest
  2. Hidden Gem
  3. Other summer events
- VII. Fundraising Projects
  - A. Bricks of Love Campaign Results  
The Commission discussed ensuring that donations are tracked and donors receive an acknowledgement of their donation. Allison said staff would be working on that immediately.
  - B. Barrels of Hope Fundraising Auction –  
  
Mayor Nelson provided an update on the progress on the barrels. The barrels will be picked up 4-5 at a time to deliver to the body shop for sealcoating. The starting price for the auction will be \$95 per barrel. We will hang the flags left over from the 2019 auction near the library as well. Sharon Lorsch will be donating a necklace for the auction. The auction will close at 8 p.m. on September 11. Jodie Lawrence volunteered to create an instruction sheet for the auction for use at Flossmoor Fest. Outstanding items include: the barrel poster, setting up the auction website, creating a map of barrel locations and collecting outstanding \$25 donation checks for the barrels.
- VIII. Rotational Program
  - A. Survivor Maintenance Plan

Allison will check in with Oakley on the timeline for the restoration. We will post before and after photos to show the investment of the funds raised by the brick campaign.

- B. Ribbon Repair – We will ask Oakley to look at it while he is working on Survivor.
- C. Me and My Shadow Maintenance – We will also ask Oakley to look at Me and My Shadow.
- D. Artist Application/Pictures to review - The Commission reviewed the application from Jason Verbeek. Allison will reach out to the artist to see if he would be interested in offering two pieces for \$4,000. Potential locations included the corner of Brassie and Flossmoor Road, the pad in front of Western Avenue School and other school or park locations.

IX. Old Business

The Commissioner discussed the potential Leavitt Park Park District improvements and would like to be included on the task force.

X. New Business

The Commission discussed preliminary ideas for the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary.

XI. Adjournment

The next meeting was scheduled for June 14, 2021. Chairman Burrows called for a motion to adjourn. Motion: Commissioner Lombardi. Second: Commissioner Lawrence. Motion passed by a voice vote. The meeting was adjourned at 9:06 p.m.