

**Village of Flossmoor
Public Art Commission
Committee Room
MINUTES
August 14, 2023**

I. Call to Order

Commissioner Burrows called the meeting to order at 7:03 p.m.

II. Roll Call

Present: Commissioners Burrows, Stevenson, Cheney, O'Brien, Lawrence, McCarthy, Gordon

III. Welcome Citizens Present Wishing to Address the Commission

none

IV. Approval of July 10, 2023, minutes Commissioner Burrows called for a motion to accept the minutes. Commissioner Cheney brought the motion. Commissioner O'Brien second. Motion passed by roll call vote.

V. Flossmoor Public Art

- a. *Permanent Collection: Minions: commissioner Stevenson will gather an estimate for the full job. Commissioner O'Brien to investigate the Certificate of Insurance. Stephanie will contact Jason Verbeek to see if he is interested in taking part of this on. Marmeg: This piece has some visible damage. Stephanie is waiting to hear back from Jack Howard-Potter. Red Cross Lines: Stephanie will give Mike the paint to touch up the piece. Commissioner Stevenson asked Stephanie to create a maintenance calendar of when items were cleaned/repaired/or buffed.*
- b. *Rotational Program: Jose'Trejo Maya and William O'Brien have submitted works to be considered. Stephanie will inform the artist that the commission will review their applications in October.*
- c. *Other Public Art: The commission will follow up on the Hubert Phipps piece at another time. Commissioner Gordon brought up the heart sculpture, and a short discussion ensued. Since no official application has been submitted, the piece is just a topic for discussion now. Murals: the commission is often asked about placing a mural in the Village of Flossmoor. Commissioner McCarthy shared information on successful mural projects but also shared that maintenance is very expensive.*

VI. Fundraising Projects:

- a. *Stephanie is working to gather T-shirt donations before the fest. She is now waiting for the printer to complete the order. Stephanie did inform the commission that credit cards will be the only payment accepted at the fest for art donations through T-shirt sales. The commission expressed an interest in having a donate now button on their satellite website.*

VIII. Old Business

- a. *No new brick or bench installations.*

- b. *Chamber Night was a big success. The commission had 7 people sign up to create yard art in 2024.*
- c. *Flossmoor Fest: The commission will have brick forms and info about the upcoming sculpture tour. The sculpture tour will take place on September 27 from 5:30 pm-6:30 pm. Sunset approx.: 6:45*

IX. New Business

none

XI. Adjournment: Commissioner Burrows called for a motion to close the meeting. Commissioner Stevenson so moved, and Commissioner Gordon seconded. The meeting adjourned at 9:02 p.m.

Next Meeting: October 9, 2023