

MINUTES  
CULTURAL ARTS COMMISSION  
REGULAR MEETING  
JUNE 25, 2019  
MALIBU CITY HALL  
6:30 P.M.

**CALL TO ORDER**

Chair Brady called the meeting to order at 6:45 p.m.

**ROLL CALL**

The following persons were recorded in attendance by the Recording Secretary:

PRESENT: Chair Veronica Brady; Vice Chair Lotte Cherin; and Commissioner Kathy Eldon

ABSENT: Commissioners Julia Holland and Peter Jones; and Ex Officio Graeme Clifford

ALSO PRESENT: Jesse Bobbett, Community Services Director; Kristin Riesgo, Community Services Deputy Director; and Brittany Saleaumua, Administrative Assistant

**APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

MOTION Vice Chair Cherin moved and Commissioner Eldon seconded a motion to approve the agenda. The motion carried 3-0, Commissioners Holland and Jones absent.

**REPORT ON POSTING OF AGENDA**

Administrative Assistant Saleaumua reported that the agenda for the meeting was properly posted on June 21, 2019.

**ITEM 1 CEREMONIAL/PRESENTATIONS**

None.

**ITEM 2.A. PUBLIC COMMENTS**

None.

**ITEM 2.B. COMMISSION AD HOC COMMITTEE REPORTS**

1. Arts in Education

Chair Cherin suggested a mentorship program for Malibu schools and asked the Commission for a school contact who she could propose the idea to. She

stated the Poetry Anthology book was presented to the Council on June 24, 2019.

2. City Hall Public Art

Community Services Deputy Director Riesgo stated the current exhibit ended in August 2019 and staff would need suggestions for the next exhibit to be installed.

CONSENSUS By consensus, the Commission agreed to a second installment of the *Radical Beauty, Malibu Rising* exhibit to include objects and bring in new artwork.

Community Services Deputy Director Riesgo stated that the Art Teacher from Malibu High School submitted artwork completed by the students. She suggested the Michael Landon Center at Malibu Bluffs Park as a potential location to showcase the artwork.

CONSENSUS By consensus, the Commission agreed to install the Malibu High School student artwork at the Michael Landon Center at Malibu Bluffs Park.

**ITEM 3 CONSENT CALENDAR**

MOTION Chair Brady moved and Vice Chair Cherin seconded a motion to approve the consent calendar. The motion carried 3-0, Commissioners Holland and Jones absent.

The Consent Calendar consisted of the following items:

A. Previously Discussed Items

None.

B. New Items

1. Approval of Minutes

Recommended Action: Approve the minutes for the Regular meeting of the Cultural Arts Commission on April 23, 2019, and the Joint Special meeting for the Cultural Arts Commission, Parks and Recreation Commission, and Public Safety Commission on May 29, 2019.

**ITEM 4 OLD BUSINESS**

A. Art Utility Box Program

Recommended Action: 1) Review artist submissions for the City Utility Box Art Program; and 2) Approve the selected artist(s) and artwork for the project.

Community Services Deputy Director Riesgo presented the staff report.

The Commission reviewed the 14 artist submissions.

**MOTION** Vice Chair Cherin moved and Commissioner Eldon seconded a motion to approve Mark Allen as the selected artist to complete two utility boxes on Civic Center Way near Webb Way and Malibu Canyon Road; Shannon Celia as the selected artist to complete the utility box located at Winter Canyon Road and Civic Center Way with the surfboard, seagull, surfer, and palm tree design submitted; and Flavia Monteiro as the selected artist to complete the utility box located at Civic Center Way and Cross Creek Road pending reference checks from staff. The motion carried 3-0, Commissioners Holland and Jones absent.

**ITEM 5 NEW BUSINESS**

None.

**ITEM 6 STAFF UPDATES**

Community Services Deputy Director Riesgo presented information regarding upcoming CineMalibu events.

Community Services Director Bobbett presented information regarding the Anchor for Malibu sculpture and plaque.

In response to Commissioner Eldon, Community Services Director Bobbett stated he would review the plaque wording and bring it back to the Commission for review if necessary.

Community Services Director Bobbett presented information on the Stormdrain Art Project.

**ITEM 7 COMMISSIONER REPORTS, COMMENTS AND INQUIRIES**

Commissioner Eldon indicated support for beginning Commission Regular meetings at an earlier time.

**CONSENSUS**

By consensus, the Commission agreed to place an item on the July 2019 Commission agenda to discuss an earlier start time for Commission Regular meetings.

Commissioner Eldon suggested the City host artwork from the City Hall art exhibits on the Malibu Arts and Culture website.

Community Services Deputy Director Riesgo stated that she would confirm with the City Attorney if hosting the artwork online would be allowed.

**FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

Commission Regular Meeting Start Time

**ADJOURNMENT**

MOTION At 8:38 p.m., Commissioner Eldon moved and Vice Chair Cherin seconded a motion to adjourn the meeting. The motion carried 3-0, Commissioners Holland and Jones absent.

Approved and adopted by the Cultural Arts  
Commission of the City of Malibu on July 23,  
2019

  
VERONICA BRADY, Chair

ATTEST:

  
JESSE BOBBETT, Community Services Deputy Director