



**City of Moorhead  
Art and Culture Commission  
Meeting Minutes  
August 17, 2020  
Online Virtual Format via Webex**

Pursuant to due call and notice thereof, a regular meeting of the Art and Culture Commission was held virtually with an online meeting using Webex on August 17, 2020 at 4:30 PM.

Commissioner attendance was follows:

Board Member – Ward 1:	Dennis Krull	Present
Board Member – Ward 2:	Timothy Wollenzien	Present
Board Member – Ward 3:	Tim Beaton	Absent
Board Member – Ward 4:	Jeremiah Jones	Present
Board Member – At-Large:	Carrie Wintersteen	Present
Board Member – At-Large:	Kenyon Williams	Present
Board Member – Mayor/Council:	Larry Seljevoid	Present

**1. Call to Order**

Chair Tim Wollenzien called the meeting of the Art and Culture Commission to order.

**2. Agenda Amendments**

None.

**3. Approval of Minutes – July 20, 2020**

Dennis Krull suggested an Amendment to correct the timing for the Fargo Moorhead Visual Artists – FMVA Studio Crawl to read “first weekend,” not “first week” in October.

**Motion to Approve, with Amendment, to the July 20, 2020 meeting Minutes by Dennis Krull and seconded by Larry Seljevoid.**

Motion Passed: For: 6; Against: 0; Abstain: 0; Absent: 1

**4. Citizens to be Heard**

None.

**5. Reports and Information**

**a. Update on Arts – Guest: Maxine Adams, Executive Director of Lake Region Arts Council**

Maxine Adams provided an update regarding Lake Region Arts Council and Minnesota State Arts Board’s grants in response to the pandemic. Discussion outlined many uncertainties regarding gatherings or virtual options for artistic expression and future grant funding.

**b. Consider Public Arts Geocache Project – Guest Gia Rassier**

Gia Rassier, Park Advisory Board member and local geocaching guru introduced herself and outlined geocaching projects she has implemented in the metro area. Discussion on logistics and destination options were shared regarding an upcoming geocache Adventure for Greater Moorhead Days.

**c. Project Updates**

**i. I-94 Identity Watertower Art**

**ii. Art Bench and Box Project**

Kim Citrowske provided project updates on current projects currently underway in Moorhead which were outlined in the packet.

**6. Member Reports and Updates**

- Kenyon Williams stated that the Dragon Drumline will be available for upcoming events in October. Dennis Krull suggested they be present if the Art Bench and Box Project has a ribbon cutting event.
- Jeremiah Jones shared an update regarding Minnesota high school rodeo.
- Larry Seljevold shared his idea to explore adding lighting on the Main Avenue Bridge to celebrate Fargo-Moorhead's Sesquicentennial in 2025. He suggested including live acts at the Woodlawn Amphitheatre.

**7. Adjourn - Meeting adjourned at 5:26 PM**

The next meeting is scheduled for September 21, 2020.