

# ARTS ADVISORY COMMITTEE MINUTES

October 2, 2024  
6:00 PM City Hall

X	Marek Gliniecki, Co-Chair
X	Mary Schulteis, Co-Chair
X	Lynda Leonard, Gallery Director
X	Jan Faidley, Council Representative
X	Matt Lero, Council Representative
A	Jonna Crosby
X	Tim Ross
X	Kelley Nielsen – Staff Liaison

- A. Modifications to the Agenda – Added Nos. 9,10 – See below
- B. Meeting minutes from August 7, 2024 were approved.
- C. Open Action Items – Kelley will check on the printing of the updated art brochure so it can be made available to the public at City Hall and Cedar Roe Library.
- D. New and Old Business
  - 1. Marek and Mary met with Sean Kelly at Public Works concerning “Ballet Mechanique.” The cost estimate for conservation and cleaning is \$550. AAC approved up to \$600 to get it done.  
The committee agreed we should work with the City Attorney to decommission “Torso” and Industrialized Tree.
  - 2. Aldi Stairs cleaning – the process should be with a low pressure hose and a cloth. AAC approved up to \$300 for cleaning expenses. Mary will ask Public Works for assistance.
  - 3. Budget for 2024 and 2025 – Kelley updated a couple of numbers for the remaining 2024 budget sources. Marek and Mary will work with Kelley so we know what's left and what should be spent before 2025. We are waiting on the Master Art Plan to develop before planning projects related to a budget for 2025.
  - 4. Mary will register for the National League of Cities webinar on diversity in art.
  - 5. Master Art Plan – The committee discussed the sample scope of work and schedule for the Merriam example RFP. Six months seems to be enough to produce the plan after a consultant gets started. AAC wants performance art to be included in planning. Mary will collect additional AAC comments this week.

6. Placement of all Structures in Public Works Building – Still need to find a location for “Ballet Mechanique”. City is asking AAC to help clear as much art as possible out of the PW Building.
7. 2024 Kansas Art Symposium – AAC approved travel expenses for Marek to attend.
8. Signs for Art – Trees and Parks has selected a graphic designer for the signs and AAC will review the design when it is available.
9. Nall Park Sculptures – Nall Park Master plan is still a draft plan and not at the stage of identifying sculpture locations.
10. AAC received thanks and compliments for helping local Soroptimists with their planning for a mural.

E. Gallery Update – Mary suggested that AAC consider purchasing one of the pieces being displayed in the gallery. The next exhibition will be local Roeland Park Artists.

**Adjourned**