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City of Glenwood Springs Arts and Culture Board

Meeting of May 21, 2019 6:00 PM

Glenwood Springs Community Center

1. Call to order: 6:08 pm
2. Roll Call:
 - a. Staff: Cristi Newton, Brian Smith, Al Laurette
 - b. City Council Liaison: Shelley Kaup
 - c. Board: Stefanie Davis, Bryana Starbuck, Jonathon Gorst, Bonnie Kratovil, Mary Noone
3. Citizen Comments:
 - a. None
4. Approval of April Minutes:
 - a. No minutes available to approve. No quorum in April.
5. Art Plan:
 - a. At the April 4th meeting staff presented a proposal request for the Art Plan to council. Staff spoke to seven different agencies who had done Art Plans to come up with an estimated cost. The Council did approve the ask of \$20,000 for this Plan. Brian has been working on a rough draft of the RFP for the plan. He asked for input on the scope of work.
 - b. Bonnie thought that over all the plan was well written but might be too broad.
 - c. Discussion on the goals and scope of the RFP document.
 - d. Bryana made a recommendation to remove the word “outlining” in goal #4
 - e. Deliverables: (Last item on document)
 - i. A minimum of 2 public outreach options: meetings or survey
 - ii. Request for GIS mapping component for location of current art and future art
 - iii. Guidelines for public art that reflect the context and character of Glenwood Springs
 - f. Brian will share the document in an editable format so that all board members can make edits and/or suggestions. He asked that all input be submitted by June 1st.
6. Downtown Layout – Mary Noone
 - a. Mary voiced her concerns about the new Bank that was approved to go in downtown that will demolish many downtown buildings. She does not like the idea of losing these buildings as they are a part of Glenwood’s past.
7. Board Comments
 - a. Stefanie:
 - i. Provided a draft letter of support for Jim Pomey “Jammin Jim”. Discussion on Jammin Jim’s request to perform and schedule performers downtown under the bridge. The Board felt the letter was well written.

8. Directors Report

- a. Exit 116 roundabouts and medians need for landscaping/beautification.
 - i. There is no irrigation or landscaping currently in these areas. Al Laurette asked some local artists to come up with an artistic concept to hardscape these areas. Al presented their concept of pallet animals.
 - ii. Bonnie voiced her concern over not going through a more democratic process and thoughtfully placing art in and around town.
 - iii. Mary liked the use of pallets in the project and felt that as a temporary solution it was a good option.
 - iv. Stefanie liked the concept and the whimsy of it. She felt we should move forward with it.
 - v. All agreed that the buffalo were a good temporary solution. They also agreed that they should be natural colors and all the same animal.
- b. The May the Fourth Event went really well, there were approximately 600 participants throughout the day and approximately 250 at the movie. It worked great as a dine and shop event.
- c. Friday evening events will begin on May 31st and will include Jammin' Jim's street performers.
- d. We will be having week long Art Camps at the Community Art Center throughout the summer. Beginning June 10th.
- e. There will be a big New Years Event for 2020. More info to come.

9. Adjourn