



# City of Ann Arbor

## Meeting Minutes

### Ann Arbor Public Art Commission

301 E. Huron St.  
Ann Arbor, MI 48104  
<http://a2gov.legistar.com/Calendar.aspx>

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Saturday, February 25, 2017

1:00 PM

Ann Arbor District Library - Traverwood  
Branch, 3333 Traverwood Drive, Program  
room

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**Public Art Commission - Special Work Session**  
**Traverwood Branch Library**  
**3333 Traverwood Drive (at Huron Parkway)**  
**Ann Arbor, MI 48105**  
**Telephone (734) 327-4200**

#### **CALL TO ORDER**

*1:15pm*

**Approved as presented**

#### **ROLL CALL**

*Present: C Brown, D Zinn, C Crawley, D Esau, J Kotarski, P Smith, and A Buck*

*Absent: B Miller*

#### **APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

*Motion to amend agenda to include Stadium Blvd art recommendation (Esau /Brown)*

*Motion to approve agenda as amended – unanimous.*

*-Review of Public Art Commission History*

*Commissioner Brown led a discussion of the history of CPAC and AAPAC with highlights and challenges*

*-Two-year Initiatives*

*Commissioner Kotarski led a discussion of AAPAC's initiative to recommend CIP enhanced projects and expand our meeting to include a presentation/educational component. Commissioner Buck gave a general outline of topics for the year with presenters for the March 1 meeting*

*-Long-term Goals/Plans*

*There was general discussion regarding AAPAC's continuation of our CIP and presentation initiatives for this year. Long range goals would be developed after we review our efforts this year.*

*-Stadium Blvd artwork*

*There was general discussion and concern that the selection process used by the City, particularly as it relates to an online vote by residents for a favorite proposal, might mislead residents that the winner of that vote would be recommended instead of the runner up. There also seems to be evidence that the selection process used did not follow what was presented to artists. Without creditable reasons for not selecting the proposal that received the most votes at the online portal, AAPAC may recommend that a second online vote be held between the top two proposals.*

*-Commission Rules/Regulations*

*Commissioner Esau led a discussion of rules and deadlines for action. He will propose Bylaw changes at our March 1 meeting with a more thorough annual review of our guidelines by the end of this year when we will have more experience to make necessary changes.*

**Approved as presented**

**PUBLIC COMMENTARY (5 MINUTE MAXIMUM SPEAKING TIME - NO LIMIT TO THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE SPEAKING IN THIS SECTION.)**

*No public in attendance*

**ADJOURNMENT**

*4:30pm*