



# City of Ann Arbor

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## Meeting Minutes Ann Arbor Public Art Commission

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Wednesday, December 16, 2015

4:30 PM Marcom City Hall, 301 E Huron St, Basement, conference room

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### CALL TO ORDER

*Meeting called to order at 4:30pm*

### ROLL CALL

*Present: Bob Miller, John Kotarski, Jim Simpson, Connie Rizzolo-Brown, Marsha Chamberlin, Lauren Thompson  
Absent: Patti Smith*

### APPROVAL OF AGENDA

*Add New Business to the agenda*

### PUBLIC COMMENTARY - No public comments

### APPROVAL OF MINUTES

### NEW BUSINESS

*Vote for New Chair and Vice Chair*

*\*Nominations for the Chair position were opened. John Kotarski was nominated. John received (6) votes and accepted the chair position for the Public Art Commission*

*\*Nominations for the Vice Chair position were opened. Jim Simpson was nominated. Jim received (6) votes and accepted the vice chair position for the Public Art Commission.*

### OLD BUSINESS

*Art in the Sky - Voting Results. The City received 3200 entries for the Art in the Sky project. Commission is excited for the overwhelming support from the public. This turnout seems to support the idea that art is important to the citizens in and around the Ann Arbor area. Commission appreciates the support of the community. Communication Unit will work with staff to inform the public of the result and next steps.*

*Stadium Bridges Update - City has has a successful worked with A2 Golf & Golfing and we plan to move forward. Mike Nearing has a proposal to Arts Ctr for them to oversee the project. Managing it similarly to the Canoe project. Commission should*

*begin thinking about a liaison form the Art Commission. Total budget in the range of 70-80K.*

*Arborwinds - Cost to Replace Damaged Glass - One of the glass panes on the 2nd set of steel structures installed on the west end of E Stadium was broken around the weekend of Nov 28th. Mike Nearing has received a price from the artist to fabricate a new glass panel and have it shipped to Ann Arbor. Unfortunately, its not cheap aprox. \$8100 which includes fabricating a new panel, shipping to US, tax and installation. If the City performs this work, Mike will get a better handle on the costs from the folks that assisted Catherine with the original installation.*

*Jewett Memorial -*

*\*Donor Plaque Cost. Received two estimates 1) Arnets \$9800.00 and 2)International Bronze Ltd. \$2695.00 (Includes free ground shipping with the US) Each approx 30 x 36 in size in bronze with gold lettering.*

*\*Location. Still working with internal City units to finalize placement of the chairs. Craig will reach out to parks for further discussion. Artist Tad McKillop has received initial payment to begin the project. Commission is committed to exploring all options in support of the Coleman Jewett memory.*

*Review of Mural Program Site Selection and Evaluation Criteria - Documents will be placed in a shared location for commissioners to add their input/suggested changes.*

## **PUBLIC COMMENTARY - No public comments**

## **ADJOURNMENT**

*5:38pm*