

City of Ann Arbor

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Meeting Minutes Ann Arbor Public Art Commission

Wednesday, October 26, 2011

4:30 PM

City Hall - 4th Flr Conf Rm

CALL TO ORDER

4:30pm

ROLL CALL

Members present: M Chamberlin, T Derezinski, E Sims, M Parker, C Zuellig, W

Simbuerger, C Rizzolo-Brown

Members absent: M Winborne, & C Gendron

Others: Bob Miller, John Kotowski, Diane Byrne, Mary Morgan

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Motion by T Derezinski, second by M Parker to approve minutes from the September meeting.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Motion by C Zuellig, second by M Parker to approve meeting agenda.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Presentation by Larry Baranski, of the Detroit Institute of Art Museum, on the Inside/Out program.

The DIA program places reproductions of the museum's collections on the streets of cities and towns throughout Southeast Michigan. The program has run in several Michigan cities and the DIA is making plans to run the program next year. Ann Arbor is one of the cities the DIA is looking to partner with. DIA would like to place eight reproductions in the city. DIA is offering to partner with AAPAC. AAPAC would serve as "Community Curator" help to secure installation agreements with property owners. DIA will provide promotional materials, and media. DIA provides insurance and signage contractor.

MOTION: AAPAC will table a motion on the partnership to the next meeting.

Patrick Judd, of Conservation Design Forum (CDF), and Jerry Hancock, of City Systems Planning Unit, gave an overview of the rain garden project at the soon-to-be newly acquired city property on the corner of Kingsley and First Street. Discussion of the project was presented to AAPAC, with the request, from CDF, for public art to be placed at the site. Kingsley is a fairly busy street and public art will have a good amount of visibility. The property is on a corner and is adjacent to the railroad tracks. A FEMA grant is funding about 75% of the entire project. The rain garden will be

designed in the city and will be installed in the spring. A request was made for the Administrator to fill out a Project Form and submit the completed form to the Planning sub-committee. Planning will then bring it to AAPAC for consideration.

Approved as presented

COMMITTEE REPORTS

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Attachments: Public Relations Committee Report Oct 2011.pdf, Project Committee

Report - Oct 2011.pdf, Planning Committee Report Oct 2011.pdf, Report on Muni Center and River Art Walk.pdf, AAPAC October Work

Session.pdf

WORK SESSION

Prep for City Council Work Session in November. Facilitated by, Connie Pulcipher, City Planning staff. Report of the planning for the work session is attached.

ADJOURNMENT

7:05pm