



**18 October 2021 Meeting
7:00 pm**

**Committee
Members In
Attendance**

Bethany Bryant, *Vice Chair*
Tom Colwell, *Chair*
Sean Durham
Anissa Ortiz
Ewan Pritchard
Taylor Wray, *Staff Liaison*

Call to Order – Tom

Approval of 20 September 2021 Meeting Minutes – Tom

- 1st motion to approve: Bethany
- 2nd motion to approve: Anissa

Town Liaison Report – Taylor

- On 26 October 2021, the reappointment of Tom Colwell and Bethany Bryant will be proposed to the Apex Town Council. Their membership terms are proposed to be extended until June 2024. This request is also proposing to reappoint Tom as the chair and Bethany as co-chair.
- Nothing outside of the Old Business

Chairperson's Report – Tom

- Nothing outside of the Old Business

Public Comment

Old Business

- Sculpture Show – Tom & Taylor
 - 2021-2022 show
 - A Purchase Order will be processed by the Town to purchase Ethan Morrow's "Uphill Battle". This invoice will need to be sent to Taylor Wray to submit the P.O..
 - 2022-2023 show
 - This "Call for Artists" is officially released! As applications come in, they will be sent to the committee on One Drive. All members should have received a link to access the drive.
 - We need to determine who is on the selection committee for this show. Possibly asking a council member to be a part of this process.
 - We will possibly do voting at the December 2021 meeting to determine the committee's choices.
 - We will be using the same locations as the current show, with the exception of where Ethan Morrow's sculpture is right now. May need to have another concrete pad poured depending on applications.
- Selfie Station – Renisha
 - Renisha not in attendance. Tom informed the group that the station needs to be deconstructed.
- Unity Mural – Tom

- New location of being by the Apex Police Department has been approved.
- A “Call for Artists” will be posted online.
- Bethany to get dimensions of the retaining wall.
- T-Shirt Order – Sean
 - T-shirts are in and distribution took place today.
- Downtown Enhancements (crosswalks, benches, trash receptacles) – Sean
 - Sean talked with Colleen Merays who connected him with Russel Dalton in TOA Public Works.
 - Discussion was leaning towards not doing crosswalks as this would possibly create too many issues
 - Do we want to work on public or private property?
 - Possibilities could be Police Station crosswalk on Saunders and/or Fire Station crosswalk on Seaboard.
- Holiday Window Painting – Anissa
 - Anissa was able to get into contact with Thales and Apex Friendship High Schools.
 - Painting day will be Monday, November 29, 3pm meeting at The Halle.
 - Anissa is not available to be present on the day of, but Tom and Bethany will be.
 - The youth group from United Church will be bringing hot cocoa for the painters.
 - All paintings will want to remain at least 1 inch from the boarder of the window.
 - Locations: The Halle & Fire Station.

New Business

- Living Wall Project- TOA Sustainability Team
 - Presentation for this was given to the committee by Megan Pendell and Valeria Mera.
 - They proposed a pilot for this project: 10x10 feet proposed downtown location
 - The budget has been approved for this.
 - Factors they are thinking about are: Location, design, plants, water maintenance, plumbing
 - Megan and Val are going to be meeting with the Apex Bee City Committee to discuss this pilot as well as thoughts on what plants to utilize.
 - Ewan would like to be the APAC liaison for this project.

Motion to Adjourn

- 1st motion to adjourn: Sean
- 2nd motion to adjourn: Bethany

Meeting ended at 7:48pm