

Greeley Art Commission Minutes

May 18, 2021

Zoom Meeting 4:00 PM

Art Commissioners Present – Ed Rogers, Michelle Lieser-Booren, Danyelle Butler, Caitlin Alexander, Sandy Magnuson, Tony Miller, Rachel Freeman, Eddie Mirick, Dik Munson, Tom Devore, and Louisa Anderson.

Staff Present –Jason Evenson, Andy McRoberts.

Ed Rogers called the meeting to order.

A motion to approve the April minutes was made by Dik Munson and seconded by Tom Devore. The April minutes were approved unanimously.

Announcements

None

Additions to the Agenda

None

Old Business- None

New Business

- a. Geometry of Flight Deaccession – Staff and the RAMP committee recommend deaccessioning the 'Geometry in Flight' sculpture by AJ Davis that is located near 1130 8th Ave. The metal sculpture was installed in 2016. Staff has concluded the artwork is damaged to an extent where repair is unreasonable or impractical. After a discussion Louisa Anderson motioned to vote on deaccession which was seconded by Rachel Freeman. The motion was passes unanimously. Kim Snyder will post the motion for public comment with the final vote taking place at the June meeting.
- a. Arts Picnic Booth – After discussion to have an Art Commission booth at the Arts Picnic this summer, all commissioners agreed to booth sit to help promote the Greeley Public Art program.
- b. Discussion on City Portal for Board Agendas and Minutes; Louisa appreciates the portal.

Non-Action items below on page 3: Please read before the meeting.

These items will only be addressed if you have questions, request more information or if the committee chair would like to share updates:

2. Project Reports:

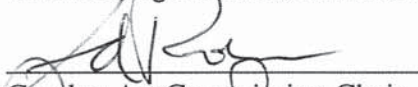
- a. Traffic Cabinet Vinyl Wraps – We are currently contracting with the six artists selected for this round. A map of the locations, requested at the April meeting was provided to all Commissioners by email. Raven Signs is on board to print and install for us in June.
- b. Glenmere Park Art – the project is being contracted and will be installed in July/August.
- c. Art Commission Q2 Inspections - Information was sent out via email. We will be using Survey Monkey once again for commissioners to report any maintenance concerns. Please let Kim know if you have questions or concerns.
- d. InStall Art – Mario Echevarria is currently working with Raven Signs to prep his design for printing.
- e. Winds of Change II – The sculpture has been poured at the artists' studio in Pueblo CO. Art is scheduled to be installed July 2021.
- f. East Greeley Park Art/Chair Danyelle – No changes. Art installations for Balsam Park and the Natural Area are projected for September/October 2021. Wes is happy with the park design and sees lots of opportunities to incorporate his artwork. Wes has been given the 'go ahead' by the committee to create his art 'in the field' as he goes. His ideas will be fluid, yet they will stay true to the concepts we have approved
- g. Fire Station #6 – the model has begun the casting stage. Installation will be pushed out beyond July; no date has been given yet.
- h. IG Trailhead Marker Art – No changes - conversations have begun with artist Marjorie Leggitt for botanical drawings that might be placed at the new Island Grove Poudre trailhead.
- i. Excel Energy Utility Cabinets – No changes - we had request from Xcel asking for box locations for their tech's to check for live/dead fronts; we are hopeful that we can wrap additional boxes this Fall or in the Spring 2022.

3. Maintenance & Repair

- a. Aspens and Moon by Reven Marie Swanson – the four piece series located on the corner of 10th St and 71st Ave at Boomerang Golf Course needed repair. Kim noticed while driving by that the moon was hanging low. A weld had broken from natural aging and wear. Reven drove up from Denver and welded the moon back into place on site within two days of the report and repainted the moon. It looks great once again. Reven is a dedicated artist!
- b. Pioneer Couple tree carving at Plumb Farm update – the Plumb Farm will remain City of Greeley property. The Art Commission deaccessioned the artwork in 2020 due to extensive natural cracking and deterioration. The museum staff will leave it in place until it becomes a danger to the public or it is not longer presentable to the public at which time the public art program will have it removed.
- c. Butterfly Ball – completed, a new clear coat has been applied
- d. 'The History of Greeley Transportation' - Repairs to be made to at the Transit Center have been rescheduled for June 2021. Artist Kirk Seese did bring a new 'Feather' sculpture for us consider purchasing; it is at the NE corner of 9th Ave and 8th Street.

Meeting was adjourned at 4:45pm.

Next meeting scheduled for June 15, 2021


Greeley Art Commission Chair

4-20-21
Date