

Stafford Arts Commission
Official Meeting Minutes
Regular Meeting, 7:00 pm, October 17, 2023.

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1. Open meeting

2. Establish quorum

- a. Brian C, Rey F, Michael F, Oliver S, Teri H, Nancy D attending in person. No attendance via Zoom.
- b. Not present: Andie J
- c. Oscar Arredondo attending as a member of the public.

3. Old business

- a. Reviewed and voted to approve October 5, 2023 meeting minutes.
- b. Music Subcommittee: Adjust our contract for next concert season to ensure thorough knowledge of all requirements by musicians. Also, we've got to find an act to play for free in June 2024.
- c. Mural Project: Brian is contacting Amber to ask how we access the ~\$600 in grant money. We will contact Bruce (?) regarding the workspace at Staffordville School; tentatively aiming to start building the mural panels before the end of the year.
- d. Theatre Subcommittee: Start the 2024 season with casual performances during Arts on Main in July.

4. New business

- a. The Arts Commission was asked if we would consider moving our meeting place to the Staffordville School. However, many of our members rely on the ease of our meetings being held at Town Hall downtown, so we unfortunately can't do that.
- b. Create a "photo booth" of sorts with seasonally-rotating images.

5. Tabled discussions

- a. Outreach Subcommittee: Create "liaisons" to other committees in town—use our personal strengths and connections to our benefit!

6. Close meeting

- a. Brian made a motion to close, unanimously agreed.

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