



INDIANOLA PUBLIC ARTS COMMISSION

Agenda
Thursday, October 28th, 2021
6:00 p.m.
City Hall Council Chambers

1. Call to Order
2. Approval of Minutes
 - a. August 12, 2021
 - b. August 26, 2021
3. Old Business
 - a. Pianos on the square status
 - b. Community survey status
 - c. Streetscape status
4. New Business
 - a. Historic figure benches
 - b. Hometown grants
5. Comments
6. Adjourn

Indianola Public Arts Commission

Special Meeting via Zoom

Meeting Minutes - August 12, 2021

Members Present: Dan Anderson, Grant Darrah, Kim Guilford

Members Absent: Monica Weinman, Tim Wilson, Laurel Halstead

Also Present: Jackie Rafferty

Dan called the meeting to order at 5:00 pm.

Those present discussed the current state of the piano painting project. Dan indicated he has a few small tuning adjustments yet to make. Kim primed the piano and it is ready to be painted. Kim suggested it has taken much longer to paint the piano than intended and the project needs to be completed. Kim offered to paint the piano with a simple design. The group decided to determine at the August 26th meeting whether to stay with the existing design and whether Monica and Laurel are still able to paint it before making any design changes. Paint will be purchased from McCoy True Value if Laurel is not donating the paint.

Dan indicated Joyce Godwin has a piano she will give IPAC if the group would like another piano project. It was decided that IPAC will take the piano and store it for a future project. At this time, the group's focus is on completing the painting of the current piano.

Dan motioned to adjourn the meeting at 5:40 p.m. Grant seconded the motion and the motion carried.

Minutes recorded and submitted by Kim Guilford, Secretary

Indianola Public Arts Commission
Meeting Minutes – August 26, 2021

Members Present: Monica Weinman, Grant Darrah, Kim Guilford, Laurel Halstead

Members Absent: Dan Anderson, Tim Wilson

Also Present: Jackie Rafferty

In Dan's absence, Laurel called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Grant motioned to approve the July 22, 2021 meeting minutes. Laurel seconded and the motion carried.

Grant and Jackie will get paint and supplies to complete the painting of the piano. Kim, Laurel and Monica will paint with projected completion date before September 10th and dedication at Pageturners on September 10th. Arrangements will be made with Independent Advocate and Indianola Chamber of Commerce to attend the installation and possibly host ribbon cutting. Laurel will visit with Kathy at Pageturners to see if she has a pianist who would like to play during the dedication/ribbon cutting. The piano cover is here and in Jackie's office.

Kathy Koester at Parks & Rec will need to be contacted to feature an article on the piano and the efforts of IPAC in the next issue of *Indianola* magazine. Deadline for the next issue is November.

The group discussed the second piano being secured from Joyce Godwin. The group agreed the painting of this piano will not take place until next year once successful completion and rotations of current piano is executed.

The group discussed ways to promote the arts during Arts & Humanities month in October including:

- History/map/numbering system of current works of public art in Indianola
- Education on the different art classes offered and teachers/professors at IHS and Simpson College
- Scavenger hunt to locate existing art, music, murals, theatrical items, etc.

Grant will look into the Grow, Invest, Gather grant application process to see if current application deadline is feasible and what requirements need to be met for IPAC to submit a grant request.

Kim motioned to adjourn the meeting at 6:40 p.m. Grant seconded the motion and the motion carried.

Minutes recorded and submitted by Kim Guilford, Secretary