

CALL TO ORDER

The regularly scheduled meeting of the Mundelein Arts Commission was held on September 16, 2024. Staff called the meeting to order at 7:01 PM.

ATTENDANCE

Staff took attendance. It indicated as follows:

Commission Attendance:

PRESENT: Chairman Spicuzza, Commissioner Esson, Commissioner Bayoneto, Commissioner Justman, Commissioner Matousek, Commissioner Yim, Commissioner Woodard

ABSENT: Commissioner Kalmanovsky, Commissioner Koehler, Commissioner Smith

Village Attendance

PRESENT: Colleen Malec, Senior Planner; Jess Marvin, Associate Planner

ABSENT:

PUBLIC COMMENTARY

Peter Rastrelli, Mundelein High School Board President, Kevin Myers, Mundelein High School Superintendent, and Kevin Quinn, Mundelein High School Director of Maintenance and Facilities, presented a presentation to the Mundelein Arts Commission about the high school's upcoming referendum, which will be on the November 2024 election ballot.

MINUTES APPROVAL

Approval of the August 19, 2024 Minutes

Motion by S. Esson, seconded by C. Bayoneto to approve the August 19, 2024 meeting minutes.

RESULT:	Passed [Yes 6, No 0, Abstained 0]
MOVER:	Commissioner Sue Esson
SECONDER:	Commissioner Colleen Bayoneto
AYES:	Aurelia Spicuzza, Sue Esson, Colleen Bayoneto, Jon Matousek, Rachel Yim, Chris Woodard
NAYS:	None
ABSTAIN:	None

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Public Art Plan

There were no updates.

Summer Shakespeare Shorts

There were no updates.

Mundelein Grand Prix

A. Spicuzza would like to purchase additional spray and professional stick chalk for next year's Mundelein Grand Prix with any remaining budget.

Lure of the Local

C. Malec provided a brief update on the Lure of the Local Opening Reception which was held on September 13th, 2024. The subcommittee (S. Kalmanovsky, C. Woodard, and C. Bayoneto) raised over \$1,450 in cash and in-kind sponsorship and donations. All the proceeds raised at the Lure of the Local Opening Reception will go directly to the Kracklauer Fund for Future Public Art. Between 600-700 attended the opening reception and everyone had positive feedback regarding the new location.

Photo Contest

There were no updates.

Indoor Art Collection

There were no updates.

S'Murals

There were no updates.

Stars on Parade

C. Malec informed the commission that staff will promote the call for artists for the monarchs, marigolds, and Mexican heritage star.

Earth Flight Sculpture

There were no updates.

Hand Sculpture

There were no updates.

Writing Contest

J. Matousek informed the commission that the writing contest would move from a fall project to a winter project. The contest will be open from January 15th to March 15th, 2025, and the theme is "Roots."

Christmas Carol

J. Matousek informed the commission that he would host auditions for A Christmas Carol: A Stage Reading on October 6th, 2024, in the Mundelein Village Hall Board Room. The performances will be held on December 6th - 8th, 2024, and the venue is still to be determined.

Beautification Committee

C. Woodard gave the commission an update on the Beautification Committee and their upcoming projects.

OLD BUSINESS

D75 Brat Fest

C. Bayoneto updated the commission and said the event went great, but not many people took the pencils, and she would like to hand out something different in the future.

Mundelein Arts Festival Sponsorship

There were no updates.

Giant Holiday Ornaments (S. Esson)

There were no updates.

Community Band (C. Bayoneto)

There were no updates.

Percent for the Arts

There were no updates.

Textile Workshop

Motion by C. Bayoneto, seconded by A. Spicuzza to approve up to \$65 for the Textile Workshop.

RESULT:	Passed [Yes 7, No 0, Abstained 0]
MOVER:	Commissioner Colleen Bayoneto
SECONDER:	Chairman Aurelia Spicuzza
AYES:	Aurelia Spicuzza, Sue Esson, Jeff Justman, Colleen Bayoneto, Jon Matousek, Rachel Yim, Chris Woodard
NAYS:	None
ABSTAIN:	None

Metal Butterflies

There were no updates.

NEW BUSINESS AND PROJECT UPDATES

There were no new business or project updates.

QUESTIONS, COMMENTS, AND UPDATES

There were no questions, comments, or updates.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion by S. Esson, seconded J. Matousek to adjourn the meeting.

RESULT:	Passed [Yes 7, No 0, Abstained 0]
MOVER:	Commissioner Sue Esson
SECONDER:	Commissioner Jon Matousek
AYES:	Aurelia Spicuzza, Sue Esson, Jeff Justman, Colleen Bayoneto, Jon Matousek, Rachel Yim, Chris Woodard
NAYS:	None
ABSTAIN:	None

The meeting was adjourned at 9:14 PM.

Respectfully submitted,
Jessica Marvin, Associate Planner
Recording Secretary