



**Meeting of the Beautification and Public
Art Committee
Held at the Elk River City Hall
Monday, November 18, 2024**

Members Present: Committee Member Deb Hjermsstad, Committee Member Melissa McAlpine, Councilmember Jennifer Wagner, Committee Member Ryan Hardin, Committee Member Nic Hahn, Commissioner Dan Tveite

Members Absent:

Staff Present: Economic Development Specialist Josh Mollan, and Senior Planner Chris Leeseberg

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

Pursuant to due call and notice thereof, the meeting was called to order at 3:45 PM by Josh.

2. CONSIDER AGENDA

Moved by Jennifer and seconded by Dan to approve the agenda. Motion Carried 6-0.

3. CONSIDER MINUTES

3.1 10-21-2024 Beautification and Public Art Committee Minutes

Moved by Ryan and seconded by Melissa to approve the October 21, 2024, Meeting Minutes. Motion Carried 6-0.

4. GENERAL BUSINESS

4.1 Public Art

Josh shared the details of the public art reveal event.

Dan shared that he had not heard back from the local banks regarding the sponsorship of *Where Energy Flows*.

Josh shared that he will request the final \$2,000 be covered by the EDA.

Jennifer suggested asking the Mayor to speak at the reveal event.

Josh advised that staff will continue to look into mural repair for the stucco at the Cinema Building.

Jennifer shared that mural repair at Rivers Edge Commons may be a City Council initiative.

Josh shared Noble Wins wind turbine benches as a potential project.

The committee offered staff direction to weigh various public art styles and projects.

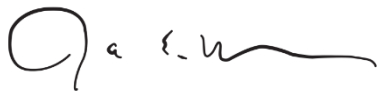
4.2 General Updates

Josh shared that Wayne Swart State Farm is on the EDA agenda for approval of the 2024 Beautification Award.

Josh shared that in the coming months he will provide the Beautification Award policy for the committee to review.

5. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, Josh adjourned the meeting at 4:21 PM.



Josh Mollan, Recording Secretary



Tina Allard, City Clerk