



GARLAND

MINUTES

The Garland Cultural Arts Commission of the City of Garland convened in regular session at 5 p.m. on Tuesday, September 17, 2024, in the Meeting Room of the Granville Arts Center, 300 North Fifth Street, Garland, Texas, with the following members:

- Present:** DeAnne Driver, Chair
Blanca Sanchez, Vice-Chair
Chip Van Pelt, Treasurer
Mitch Carr, Commissioner
Beena Varnan, Commissioner
Felicia Fuller, Commissioner
Reuben Griffin, Commissioner
Reta Day, Commissioner
- Absent:** Lupita Torres, Commissioner
- Staff Present:** Amy Rosenthal, Cultural Arts Director
Theresa Clapper, Cultural Arts Business Manager
Dominique Stansberry, Cultural Arts Marketing Supervisor

1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

a. Approval of Minutes

Consider approval of the minutes from the July 16, 2024, meeting.

Motion was made by Commissioner Mitch Carr, and seconded by Treasurer Chip Van Pelt to approve the minutes of the July 16, 2024 meeting as submitted.

Vote: 8 - 0

2. PUBLIC COMMENTS

Persons who desire to address the Committee on any item on the agenda are allowed three minutes to speak. Testimony may be held until the item is considered or given at the beginning of any committee meeting. Invited testimony may also occur at any time, subject to a request of the Member of the Committee and with the approval of the Committee Chairperson.

No announcements at this time.

3. ITEM(S) FOR INDIVIDUAL CONSIDERATION

a. Monthly Reports for The Granville Arts Center, The Plaza Theatre, and The Atrium

Commissioners will review attendance figures for July - August 2024 for the aforementioned spaces.

Commissioners were provided handouts of the attendance figures for the spaces.

b. Director's Update

Cultural Arts Director Amy Rosenthal will update the Commissioners regarding City of Garland initiatives.

The Cultural Arts Director, Amy Rosenthal, updated the commissioners regarding the City's comp plan, were presented design pictures for the Duck Creek Mural, and notified of dates for upcoming events and meetings.

4. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

No agenda items suggested.

5. ADJOURN

Motion was made by Vice-Chair Blanca Sanchez, and seconded by Commissioner Beena Varnan to adjourn the meeting at 5:20pm.

Vote: 8 - 0

CITY OF GARLAND, TEXAS

/s/ DeAnne Driver, Chair

/s/ Theresa Clapper, Secretary