

## Madison Public Arts Commission August 8, 2024 @ 3:30 pm Minutes

- Call to order at 3:37 by Kim Nyberg. Other members present include Greg Goodknight, Tracy Wyne, and Eric Phagan. David Terrell was absent.
- Others attending include Associate Economic Development Director, Emily McKinney and summer intern, Thomas Loehr.
- Approval of Minutes: Nyberg asked for a motion to approve the minutes from July 11, 2024. Goodknight motioned, seconded by Wyne. All in favor, motion carried (4-0).
- Claims Approval: There were no claims to be approved.
- Old Business:
  - DG Market Sculpture Update
    - Nyberg stated that the DG Market is shaping up well. The call for art for the sculpture was issued a couple months ago. After meeting with the developer, he decided to select two sculptures instead of just one. As a courtesy, the Madison Area Arts Alliance will bring those two sculptures to the Commission soon.
    - One of the sculptures will be located south of the mural wall in a proposed pollinator garden that will be lit. That sculpture will be installed next summer, and the artist will be doing a residency program in Madison. Nyberg said more information regarding the sculptures will be released once things are finalized with the developer.
  - DG Market Mural Update
    - There is also a mural project that will be happening on the side of the Dollar General Market. The call for art will be going out next week, and it explains the project in detail. Proposals are due back to the Madison Area Arts Alliance by September 14<sup>th</sup>. The project will begin soon after that. The wall is currently divided into six bays, but an artist or artists can choose whether or not to do individual murals or one collective mural.

- Goodknight asked if the Arts Alliance is reviewing the Public Art
  Guidelines when going through these processes. Nyberg said yes that
  once the final designs are done the Arts Alliance's Public Arts Team
  will come to the Commission.
- o River's Edge Patronicity Campaign Update
  - Nyberg updated the Commission on the status of Patronicity. The campaign for the River's Edge sculpture starts tomorrow, August 9<sup>th</sup>. This process will be just like the Kindness mural. If the Madison Area Arts Alliance raises \$50,000, the Indiana Housing and Community Development Authority will match those funds. The campaign will run through October 8<sup>th</sup>. Donations can be made through the website or in person at the Arts Alliance.
- New Business
  - o None.
- Nyberg asked for a motion to adjourn. Phagan motioned, seconded by Wyne. All in favor, motion carried (4-0).
- The next MPAC meeting is September 12, 2024, at 3:30.

Kim Nyberg, Chair