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Portland Public Art Committee

Wednesday, November 16, 2016

4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Portland Public Library, Room 3

Attendance: Lin Lisberger, Chair, Julia Kirby, Vice-Chair, James Cradock, Jenna Crowder, Christopher Devlin, Penny Harris, Pandora LaCasse, Corey Templeton. Staff: Caitlin Cameron. Members of the Public: Dinah Minot. Not in attendance: Alison Hildreth, Tony Muench, Councilor Duson.

Call to Order 4:04pm

Approve Minutes from October 19, 2016. Harris, Devlin unanimous (6-0) approval

Project Reports

Langlais: Harris recommended the stair location for the abstracts but the location still needs to be determined. Three bids for the vitrine are needed.

[4:08pm Lisberger and LaCasse arrive]

Art in Our Front Yard: CTN still owes the Monica Wood, Jetport, and Conservation videos.

Room 24: The photographs are hung, Cameron still needs to hang sign. Future meeting to be held there.

Creative Portland: Minot introduced self and briefly explained her goals for Creative Portland and the upcoming Cultural Plan process.

Art Underfoot: Crowder continues to be in contact with staff at MECA and the artist on the progress of the memorial bricks. The committee requested a photo or other image of what is proposed. Lisberger pointed out the two vacant brick locations are not adjacent and asked whether that was a problem.

Maintenance and Conservation: Lincoln Park Fountain will be removed Nov 29 with CTN present to film. The Parks Department plans to restore the sidewalks in summer of 2017 and asks the PPAC to consider that schedule with the fountain conservation work and funding of Phase III. Lisberger reported that Taggart quoted the Puffin repair at \$250. The bus shelter additional work will need an estimate. The base of Our Lady of Victories needs additional repointing.

Congress Square: LaCasse recapped call with Sze Studio and WRT.

Subcommittee Reports

Governance Subcommittee: Convention & Visitors Bureau is seeking board members.

Communication Subcommittee: Cradock and Cameron will shift the website to new host server.

Site Selection Subcommittee: Potential Anderson Street site for new work – Lisberger will contact Portland Trails.

Gifts Subcommittee: none

Strategic Planning: The committee spent the remainder of the meeting on the strategic plan. Some comments below:

- Lisberger mentioned a USM class that will be producing commercials as a class project – PPAC will submit a proposal.
- Minot: Suggests commercial should be 30 seconds max or 15 seconds for social media to get posted in more places. Creative Portland offers to review a rough draft.

- Crowder asked who the target audience will be. The engagement/education should be targeted.
- Lisberger suggested a fundraising opportunity by selling greeting cards and postcards of Templeton's work.
- Minot added that Creative Portland can help give PPAC exposure with materials at the office and First Friday listings.
- Kirby suggested a featured first Friday artwork or event planning.

Adjourn at 6:01 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted:
Caitlin Cameron