



City of Rockwall
The New Horizon

MINUTES

SPECIAL MEETING OF THE ART COMMISSION
Council Chambers Conference Room, 385 S. Goliad, Rockwall, TX 75087
November 21, 2016
9:00 A.M.

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER/WELCOME

A quorum of members was present to call the meeting to order at 9:02 A.M. Present were Commission Chair, David Sweet and commission members: Kathleen Morrow, Betty Jean Hoaglund and Doug Agee. Also present, City of Rockwall Community Relations Manager, Bethany Browning.

2. DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS

A. Review and approval of the September 22, 2016 meeting minutes.

Commission members reviewed meeting minutes and a motion was made by Betty Hoaglund to accept the minutes as presented. Doug Agee seconded the motion and it passed unanimously 4-0.

B. Review and discuss Isaac Davies's proposed artwork for a future mural to be located at 110 S. Goliad Street and take any necessary action.

Chairman Sweet led the discussion and asked members of the commission to look at the design, one section at a time, discussing each item separately. The group's general consensus; all liked the color scheme, placement of required elements and overall design. After a lengthy discussion, members agreed to remove the monarch butterflies from the mural, as the initiative is relatively new for the community and the group prefers to leave the mural more historically based at this time. They requested that Mr. Davies change a few elements, such as the addition of the Historic Courthouse, just above the Rusk streetscape, as well as replacing the old water tower with the new water tower. Bethany Browning will communicate with Mr. Davies regarding the commissioner's remarks.

C. Discuss future mural locations and art projects for the downtown area.

Commissioner's discussed future projects, focusing on their desire for additional murals in the downtown district. Several locations were voiced, with Chairman Sweet advising staff to make contact with potential clients. A brief discussion regarding artwork for display, such as iron work, cast bronze or the like was also presented.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned at 10:00 A.M.

PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE ART COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF ROCKWALL, TEXAS,
this 12th day of December 2016.

David Sweet
Art Commission Chairman

ATTEST:

Name Title