

Minutes of the regular meeting of the Winslow Arts Council held on May 19, 2022 at 5:15 p.m. at the City Hall Conference Room, 21 N. Williamson Ave., Winslow, Arizona

**MEMBERS PRESENT**

Chairperson Chavez  
Councilmember L. Sahmie  
Councilmember Weishan  
Councilmember Keams

**MEMBERS ABSENT**

Councilmember Yazzie  
Councilmember R. Sahmie  
Councilmember Williams

**STAFF**

Jessica Lewis, Recording Secretary

The meeting was called to order at 5:23 p.m. by the Chairperson. The pledge was recited. A moment of silence was observed. Roll was called.

Motion: Moved by Councilmember L. Sahmie, seconded by Chairperson Chavez, to excuse councilmember Keams, Councilmember R. Sahmie, and Councilmember Williams. Motion passed unanimously with Councilmembers Chavez, L. Sahmie, Weishan, and Keams voting yes.

**MINUTE APPROVAL OF – May 05, 2022**

Motion: Moved by Chairperson Chavez, seconded by Councilmember L. Sahmie, to accept minutes as written. Motion passed unanimously with Councilmembers Chavez, L. Sahmie, Weishan, and Keams voting yes.

Prior to moving to the next item the councilmembers introduced themselves to the new Councilmember Mckayla Keams

**STATUS REPORT**

None.

**COUNCIL CONSIDERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION**

**A. Discussion and/or action re: Art Car Project – Dave Sheid- Plants- Plaque**

Dave Sheid and his wife would like to collaborate and design an art car for his father whom has passed away. His father was a farmer and a well-known resident of Winslow. Dave would like to find a tractor and have that as his Art Car. He would like to paint it “John Deer” colors (Green and yellow). Councilmembers spoke of possible locations and would like to ask the local community garden if they would be interested in having it close to their business. Councilmembers gave the idea to have the windows cut out of steels like the previous cars and have Daniel Tafoya cut out corn stalks in the steel as that is what Dave’s father farmed. Dave asked the council to help find a tractor local and facilitate a location. Dave would like to come and paint it himself.

Motion: Moved by Chairperson Chavez, seconded by Councilmember L. Sahmie, to collaborate with Dave and create an Art Car. Motion passed unanimously with Councilmembers Chavez, L. Sahmie, Weishan, and Keams voting yes.

Chairperson Opened discussion regarding the plants by the first art car. She would like to plant the following: Spanish Broom, Red hot pokers, Yucca plants, Lilac Bush, and Butterfly

bush. Chairperson Chavez asked the councilmembers if they would be willing to accept any donated plants.

Motion: Moved by Chairperson Chavez, seconded by Councilmember L. Sahmie, to accept any donated plants, and plant the plants listed above. Motion passed unanimously with Councilmembers Chavez, L. Sahmie, Weishan, and Keams voting yes.

The council discussed the plaque and post for the original art car. No decisions were made

## **B. Discussion and/or action re: Blues Festival – F.A.B. Fest**

The Chairperson would like to do the festival at the Route 66 Plaza at 6:00-10:00pm. The council would like to close off Kinsley and have the food trucks there. The Chairperson asked if the Rec. Department can facilitate Corn hole for that weekend. The art will be set up as it was for the Arts Festival with more space and more vendors.

Motion: Moved by Chairperson Chavez, seconded by Councilmember L. Sahmie, to have the F.A.B Fest at the Route 66 Plaza at 6:00-10:00pm. Motion passed unanimously with Councilmembers Chavez, L. Sahmie, Weishan, and Keams voting yes.

Chairperson Chavez would like to invite all the businesses to the Meeting on June 16, 2022.

Motion: Moved by Chairperson Chavez, seconded by Councilmember L. Sahmie, to invite the businesses to attend the meeting on June 16<sup>th</sup> 2022. Motion passed unanimously with Councilmembers Chavez, L. Sahmie, Weishan, and Keams voting yes.

## **C. Discussion and/or action re: Workshops**

Move this item to the next agenda

Motion: Moved by Chairperson Chavez, seconded by Councilmember L. Sahmie, to move this item to the next agenda. Motion passed unanimously with Councilmembers Chavez, L. Sahmie, Weishan, and Keams voting yes.

## **D. Discussion and/or action re: Collaborations**

Move this item to the next agenda

Motion: Moved by Chairperson Chavez, seconded by Councilmember L. Sahmie, to move this item to the next agenda. Motion passed unanimously with Councilmembers Chavez, L. Sahmie, Weishan, and Keams voting yes.

## **E. Discussion and/or action re: Memorial Art Exhibit**

Move this item to the agenda on July 7<sup>th</sup>, 2022

Motion: Moved by Chairperson Chavez, seconded by Councilmember L. Sahmie, to move this item to the agenda on July 7, 2022. Motion passed unanimously with Councilmembers Chavez, L. Sahmie, Weishan, and Keams voting yes.

## **F. Discussion and/or action re: Stickers, Postcards, and T-Shirts**

Move this item to the next agenda

Motion: Moved by Councilmember L. Sahmie, seconded by Chairperson Chavez, to move this item to the next agenda. Motion passed unanimously with Councilmembers Chavez, L. Sahmie, Weishan, and Keams voting yes.

**G. Discussion and/or action re: Donation Box**

Move this item to the next agenda

Motion: Moved by Councilmember L. Sahmie, seconded by Chairperson Chavez, to move this item to the next agenda. Motion passed unanimously with Councilmembers Chavez, L. Sahmie, Weishan, and Keams voting yes.

**H. Discussion and/or action re: Community Painting**

“Painting on the Corner”

Move this item to the next agenda

Motion: Moved by Chairperson Chavez, seconded by Councilmember L. Sahmie, to move this item to the next agenda. Motion passed unanimously with Councilmembers Chavez, L. Sahmie, Weishan, and Keams voting yes.

**DISCUSSION AND/OR ACTION REGARDING FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS**

Working Beer Garden- Local First

**ADJOURNMENT**

Motion: Moved by Chairperson Chavez, seconded by Councilmember White to Adjourn at 6:41pm. Motion passed unanimously with Councilmembers Chavez, L. Sahmie, Weishan, and Keams voting yes.

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Chairperson

ATTEST:

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Jessica Lewis  
Recording Secretary