



## MINUTES

Ogden City Arts Advisory Committee

### Regular Meeting

2501 Wall Avenue | Arts Office

Ogden, UT 84401

801-629-8718

#### *In Attendance:*

Deann Armes, Chair; Camille Washington; Jake McIntire; Leon Araujo; Shane Osguthorpe; Eric Holmes; Stephanie Howerton; Susan Snyder

#### *Excused:*

Todd Oberndorfer; Jan Hamer

#### *Absent:*

Joel Kitamura; Joseph Blake; Kseniya Thomas

#### *Staff Present:*

Lorie Buckley; April Gruber

**Tuesday, May 13, 2025 – 8:30 A.M.**

### **In-person and Zoom Meeting**

**Welcome and Call to Order** – Deann Armes, Chair

8:33am call to order

- **Approval of April Minutes**
  - Motion to approve – Eric Holmes
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> motion – Camille Washington
- **Public Art** – Lorie Buckley
  - **Olympic Mural Update**
    - Weber County RAMP granted \$62,500 to project.
    - Actively acquiring permissions to paint parking garage structure.
    - Reviewed City Council approval process and national RFQ plan.
  - **Kiesel Cable Art**
    - Engineering assessment nearly complete.
      - 1. Fabricating new brackets.
    - Art expected to coordinate with Olympic Mural design.
  - **Marshall White Center Update**
    - 5/22 at 5pm | Ribbon Cutting Ceremony
    - 5/22 | Damon Reed returns to Ogden to complete final touch up work.
    - 5/28 (estimated ) | LaToya Peoples returns to Ogden to finish mural.
  - **Utility Box Art Call Update**
    - Graphic sizing being finalized.
    - Awaiting proofs from printer.
      - 1. Installations to follow.
- **OCAAC Vice Chair Nominations** – Lorie Buckley
  - Stephanie Howerton elected Vice Chair for 2025-2026 (Vote 8-0).

- **OCAAC Member Nominations** – Lorie Buckley
  - Seeking new members.
  - Committee to review interested applicants.
- **Arts and Culture Master Plan Objective Review** – Deann Armes
  - Draft available online.
    - Comments encouraged.
- **June Meeting Reminder** – Lorie Buckley
  - Hybrid June meeting will be held in the Wattis Dumke Room at Union Station.
- **Sub-Committees:**
  - *Executive* – Deann Armes
  - *Ogden CAN* – Leon Araujo
  - *Nine Rails Creative District* – Leon Araujo
    - 5/16 at 12pm | Brown Bag Brigade at Two Bit Street Café
      - Exploring career development workshops this summer.
    - 5/16 at 5pm | Dumke Arts Plaza “This Was Water” exhibition opening reception
  - *Public Art* – Jake McIntire
    - Considered opportunities for temporary art activation in Lester Park this summer.
  - *Literary* – Jan Hamer
    - Recapped the Ogden Poetry Festival and future plans.
  - *Arts Grants* – Shane Osguthorpe
    - 5/20 (tentative) | Presentation of arts grants recommendations at City Council Work Session
    - Deann Armes to step into role as Chair of Arts Grants Subcommittee.
    - Shared upcoming Arts Grants grantee events.
- **Committee Member Updates**
  - 6/11 at 11am | Creative Aging reception at the Eccles Arts Center
  - Request for volunteers to coordinate performing artists during Ogden Arts Festival
  - Ogden Marathon artist call is live
- **Public Questions & Attendance**
  - Attendance: Sarah Nielsen

### Adjourn

There being no further business to come before the Committee, Committee member Susan Snyder moved the meeting adjourn at 9:17 a.m. Motion was seconded by Committee member Stephanie Howerton, all voting aye.

  
 April Gruber  
 Ogden City

APPROVED: June 10, 2025

NEXT REGULAR OGDEN CITY ARTS COMMITTEE MEETING  
June 10, 2025  
 HISTORIC UNION STATION