



MINUTES

Ogden City Arts Advisory Committee

Regular Meeting

2501 Wall Avenue | Arts Office

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In Attendance:

Stephanie Howerton, Jan Hamer, Camille Washington, Kseniya Thomas, Leon Araujo-Chair, Daniel Jenney, Jake McIntire, Eric Holmes, Sam Gappmayer, Deann Armes, Todd Oberndorfer

Excused:

Absent:

Susan Snyder, Joel Kitamura

Staff Present:

Lorie Buckley, Aliyah Beringer, April Gruber

TUESDAY, February 10, 2026 – 8:30 AM

- Welcome and Call to Order – Leon Araujo
 - Called to order 8:32am
- **Approval of January Minutes**
 - Motion to approve –Stephanie Howerton
 - 2nd motion – Sam Gappmayer
- Public Art Project Updates – Lorie Buckley
 - Municipal Building Stairwell
 - Under artist concept revision.
 - Olympic Mural
 - Kiesel Avenue Cable Project
 - RFQ's for Olympic Mural and Kiesel Avenue Project are live with a deadline of March 20th. Design process anticipated by late Spring, early Summer.
- Ogden City Poet Laureate Call – Aliyah Beringer
 - Call is live. Submission deadline March 20th, 2026.
- FY 2027 Arts Grants Recommendations – Deann Armes
 - Presented Arts Grants Subcommittee's FY 2027 funding recommendations.
 - Motion to approve recommendations – Daniel Jenney
 - 2nd Motion – Todd Oberndorfer
 - Abstention – Camille Washington
 - None Opposed.
 - Motion Passes
- Arts Committee member applications – Lorie Buckley

-4 seats available to be filled in late Spring. Applications are accepted on a rolling basis.

- Sub-Committees:
 - Executive – Leon Araujo
 - Ogden CAN – Stephanie Howerton
 - Ogden CAN is celebrating 10 year anniversary.
 - Board retreat on February 25th from 1-3pm at the First Presbyterian Church.
 - Nine Rails Creative District – Leon Araujo
 - Discussion of potential water-based art projects to signify Nine Rails Creative District.
 - Public Art – Jake McIntire
 - Discussion of how to incorporate public art into the development and refurbishment of Lester Park.
 - Literary – Jan Hamer
 - Discussion of Poetry Walk to occur this Spring at The Junction. Anticipates incorporating performances and business participation along Kiesel Avenue.
 - Arts Grants – Deann Armes
 - Overview of final funding meeting.
- Public Questions: Please email any questions before to arts@ogdencity.gov
 - Megan Gleason: Inquired about arts grants applicant feedback process - Arts Administrator is available for feedback to applicants
 - **Adjourn**
 - There being no further business to come before the Committee, Committee member Stephanie Howerton moved the meeting adjourn at 9:45a.m. Motion was seconded by Committee member Jan Hamer, all voting aye.

Aliyah Beringer
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Aliyah Beringer
Ogden City

APPROVED: March 10, 2026

NEXT REGULAR OGDEN CITY ARTS COMMITTEE MEETING
TUESDAY, MARCH 10th 2026 AT 8:30 AM

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February Minutes; For Signature

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