

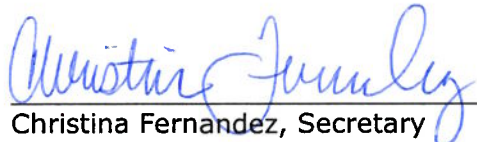
**NOTICE OF REGULAR MEETING OF THE ARTS COMMISSION  
OF THE CITY OF ST. GEORGE,  
WASHINGTON COUNTY, UTAH**


**Public Notice**

Public notice is hereby given that the Arts Commission of the City of St. George, Washington County, Utah, will hold a regular meeting in the Administration Conference Room on the third floor at the St. George City Hall located at 61 South Main Street, St. George, Utah, on Thursday, April 23, 2026, commencing at 8:00 a.m.

The agenda for the meeting is as follows:

- 1. Approval of the minutes from the meetings held on January 27, 2026, and February 26, 2026.**
- 2. Discussion and consideration of updates to the grant report form and grant scoring rubric.**
- 3. Review procedures/timeline for evaluating RAP Tax applications.**
- 4. Reports and updates from Sub-Committees.**
- 5. Reports and updates from the Executive Committee and Commission Members.**

  
Christina Fernandez, Secretary

  
Date

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**ST. GEORGE ARTS COMMISSION MINUTES**  
**REGULAR MEETING**  
**JANUARY 27, 2026, 4:00 P.M.**  
**ADMINISTRATION CONFERENCE ROOM**

**PRESENT:**

Commission President Ginger Nelson  
Commission Member Karin Edwards  
Commission Member Jane Anderson  
Commission Member Tara Griffith  
Commission Member Adam Mast  
Commission Member Glenn Webb – arrived at 5:00 p.m.  
Commission Member Robert Schmidt  
Commission Member Dannielle Larkin  
Commission Member Steve Brough  
Commission Member Jeanine Vander Bruggen  
Commission Member Sarah Reynolds

**CITY STAFF PRESENT:**

Assistant City Attorney Kris Pearson  
City Recorder Christina Fernandez  
Deputy Director of Arts Cody Schmidt  
Community Arts Manager Peyton Lee  
Community Arts Administrative Professional Bree Holmberg

**CALL TO ORDER:**

Link to Commission President Nelson calling the meeting to order and welcoming all in attendance: [00:00:00](#)

**APPROVAL OF MINUTES:**

Approval of the minutes from the meetings held on November 20, 2025 and December 18, 2025.

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Link to discussion on the minutes: [00:02:13](#)

Link to motion: [00:05:35](#)

**MOTION:**

A motion was made by Commission Member Edwards to approve the minutes from the meetings held on November 20, 2025 and December 18, 2025.

**SECOND:**

The motion was seconded by Commission Member Vander Bruggen.

**VOTE:**

Commission President Nelson called for a vote, as follows:

Commission Member Edwards – aye  
Commission Member Anderson – aye  
Commission Member Griffith – aye  
Commission Member Mast – aye  
Commission Member Webb – absent

5 Commission Member Schmidt – aye  
6 Commission Member Larkin – aye  
7 Commission Member Brough – aye  
8 Commission Member Vander Bruggen – aye  
9 Commission Member Reynolds – aye  
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11 The vote was unanimous and the motion carried.  
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13 **ANNUAL TRAINING FOR ARTS COMMISSION MEMBERS:**

14 Link to training provided by Assistant City Attorney Kris Pearson, including discussion  
15 between the Commission and City staff: [00:06:06](#)  
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19 A training video was shown during meeting.  
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21 Link to introduction of Cody Schmitt, the new Deputy Director of Arts: [00:39:56](#)  
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23 The Commission took a short recess.  
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25 **DISCUSSION AND CONSIDERATION OF SPARK THE ARTS GRANT APPLICATIONS:**

26 Link to discussion between the Commission and City staff regarding the application  
27 received from Sarah Reynolds: [00:44:24](#)  
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31 Commission Member Reynolds left the meeting during this item.  
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33 Link to motion: [00:50:55](#)  
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35 **MOTION:**

36 A motion was made by Commission Member Vander Bruggen to approve the  
37 grant in the amount of \$1,200.

38 **SECOND:**

39 The motion was seconded by Commission Member Webb.  
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41 **VOTE:**

42 Commission President Nelson called for a vote, as follows:  
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44 Commission Member Edwards – aye  
45 Commission Member Anderson – aye  
46 Commission Member Griffith – aye  
47 Commission Member Mast – aye  
48 Commission Member Webb – aye  
49 Commission Member Schmidt – aye  
50 Commission Member Larkin – aye  
51 Commission Member Brough – aye  
52 Commission Member Vander Bruggen – aye  
53 Commission Member Reynolds – absent  
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The vote was unanimous and the motion carried.

6 Link to discussion between the Commission and City staff regarding the application  
7 received from Kim Pollock: [00:51:22](#)  
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11 Link to motion: [00:57:35](#)  
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13 **MOTION:**

14 A motion was made by Commission Member Schmidt to reject the grant and  
15 invite the applicant to reapply with better information.

16 **SECOND:**

17 The motion was seconded by Commission Member Webb.

18 **VOTE:**

19 Commission President Nelson called for a vote, as follows:  
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21 Commission Member Edwards – aye  
22 Commission Member Anderson – aye  
23 Commission Member Griffith – aye  
24 Commission Member Mast – aye  
25 Commission Member Webb – aye  
26 Commission Member Schmidt – aye  
27 Commission Member Larkin – abstain  
28 Commission Member Brough – aye  
29 Commission Member Vander Bruggen – aye  
30 Commission Member Reynolds – aye  
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32 The vote was unanimous and the motion carried.  
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34 **DISCUSSION AND CONSIDERATION OF PROPOSED CHANGES TO RAP TAX**  
35 **GUIDELINES FROM GRANT REVIEW SUB-COMMITTEE:**

36 Link to discussion between the Commission and City staff regarding proposed  
37 changes to RAP Tax guidelines from the Grant Review Sub-Committee: [00:59:10](#)  
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39 Link to Community Arts Manager Peyton Lee phrasing the proposed changes,  
40 motion, and additional discussion: [01:40:38](#)  
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42 **MOTION:**

43 A motion was made by Commission Member Vander Bruggen to approve the  
44 changes as stated.

45 **SECOND:**

46 The motion was seconded by Commission Member Anderson.

47 **VOTE:**

48 Commission President Nelson called for a vote, as follows:  
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50 Commission Member Edwards – aye  
51 Commission Member Anderson – aye  
52 Commission Member Griffith – aye  
53 Commission Member Mast – aye  
54 Commission Member Webb – aye

5 Commission Member Schmidt – aye  
6 Commission Member Larkin – aye  
7 Commission Member Brough – aye  
8 Commission Member Vander Bruggen – aye  
9 Commission Member Reynolds – aye

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11 The vote was unanimous and the motion carried.  
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13 **DISCUSSION AND CONSIDERATION OF CHANGES TO SUB-COMMITTEES:**

14 Link to discussion between the Commission and City staff regarding changes to Sub-  
15 Committees: [01:44:00](#)  
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17 Link to motion: [01:52:41](#)  
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19 **MOTION:**

20 A motion was made by Commission Member Webb to approve the changes to  
21 Sub-Committees.

22 **SECOND:**

23 The motion was seconded by Commission Member Schmidt.  
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25 **VOTE:**

26 Commission President Nelson called for a vote, as follows:

27 Commission Member Edwards – aye  
28 Commission Member Anderson – aye  
29 Commission Member Griffith – aye  
30 Commission Member Mast – aye  
31 Commission Member Webb – aye  
32 Commission Member Schmidt – aye  
33 Commission Member Larkin – aye  
34 Commission Member Brough – aye  
35 Commission Member Vander Bruggen – aye  
36 Commission Member Reynolds – aye  
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38 The vote was unanimous and the motion carried.  
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40 **DISCUSSION AND CONSIDERATION OF CHANGES TO COMMISSION MEMBER**  
41 **LIAISON ASSIGNMENTS:**

42 Link to discussion between the Commission and City staff regarding changes to  
43 Commission Member Liaison assignments: [01:53:03](#)  
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45 Link to motion: [02:01:23](#)  
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47 **MOTION:**

48 A motion was made by Commission Member Edwards to approve the changes  
49 to Commission Member liaison assignments.

50 **SECOND:**

51 The motion was seconded by Commission Member Larkin.  
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53 **VOTE:**

54 Commission President Nelson called for a vote, as follows:

- 5 Commission Member Edwards – aye
- 6 Commission Member Anderson – aye
- 7 Commission Member Griffith – aye
- 8 Commission Member Mast – aye
- 9 Commission Member Webb – aye
- 10 Commission Member Schmidt – aye
- 11 Commission Member Larkin – aye
- 12 Commission Member Brough – aye
- 13 Commission Member Vander Bruggen – aye
- 14 Commission Member Reynolds – aye

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16 The vote was unanimous and the motion carried.

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18 **REPORTS AND UPDATES FROM SUB-COMMITTEES:**

19 Link to reports and updates from Sub-Committees: [02:01:41](#)  
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21 **REPORTS AND UPDATES FROM THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE AND COMMISSION**  
22 **MEMBERS:**

23 Link to reports and updates from the Executive Committee and Commission  
24 Members: [02:08:06](#)  
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26 **ADJOURN:**

27 Link to motion: [02:19:00](#)  
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29 **MOTION:**

30 A motion was made by Commission Member Schmidt to adjourn.

31 **SECOND:**

32 The motion was seconded by Commission Member Reynolds.

33 **VOTE:**

34 Commission President Nelson called for a vote, as follows:  
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- 36 Commission Member Edwards – aye
- 37 Commission Member Anderson – aye
- 38 Commission Member Griffith – aye
- 39 Commission Member Mast – aye
- 40 Commission Member Webb – aye
- 41 Commission Member Schmidt – aye
- 42 Commission Member Larkin – aye
- 43 Commission Member Brough – aye
- 44 Commission Member Vander Bruggen – aye
- 45 Commission Member Reynolds – aye

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47 The vote was unanimous and the motion carried.  
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**ST. GEORGE ARTS COMMISSION MINUTES  
REGULAR MEETING  
FEBRUARY 26, 2026, 8:00 A.M.  
ADMINISTRATION CONFERENCE ROOM**

**PRESENT:**

Commission President Ginger Nelson  
Commission Member Karin Edwards  
Commission Member Tara Griffith  
Commission Member Glenn Webb – left at 8:50 am  
Commission Member Robert Schmidt  
Commission Member Jeanine Vander Bruggen  
Commission Member Sarah Reynolds

**EXCUSED:**

Commission Member Jane Anderson  
Commission Member Dannielle Larkin  
Commission Member Adam Mast  
Commission Member Steve Brough

**CITY STAFF PRESENT:**

Assistant City Attorney Daniel Baldwin – left at 8:50 am  
City Recorder Christina Fernandez  
Community Arts Administrative Professional Bree Holmberg – arrived at 8:20 am  
City Attorney Ryan Dooley – arrived at 8:50 am

**CALL TO ORDER:**

Link to Commission President Nelson calling the meeting to order and welcoming all in attendance: [00:00:00](#)

**DISCUSSION AND CONSIDERATION OF SPARK THE ARTS GRANT APPLICATIONS:**

There were no applications.

**DISCUSSION REGARDING THE RECENT SWEETHEART SWING AND CONSIDERATION OF PROPOSED CHANGES FOR FUTURE EVENTS:**

Link to discussion between the Commission and City staff regarding the recent Sweetheart Swing and proposed changes for future events: [00:00:56](#)

Link to vote, and additional discussion: [00:31:30](#)

**MOTION:**

A motion was made by Commission Griffith to discontinue the Sweetheart Swing in the future.

**SECOND:**

The motion was seconded by Commission Member Nelson.

**VOTE:**

Commission President Nelson called for a vote, as follows:

Commission Member Nelson - aye  
Commission Member Edwards – aye  
Commission Member Anderson – absent  
Commission Member Griffith – aye  
Commission Member Mast – absent

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5 Commission Member Webb – nay  
6 Commission Member Schmidt – nay  
7 Commission Member Larkin – absent  
8 Commission Member Brough – absent  
9 Commission Member Vander Bruggen – aye  
10 Commission Member Reynolds – nay

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12 The motion failed.

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14 **DISCUSSION AND CONSIDERATION OF CHANGES TO GRANTS FROM SUB-**  
15 **COMMITTEE:**

16 Link to discussion between the Commission and City staff regarding changes to  
17 grants from sub-committee: [00:35:02](#)

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19 **REPORTS AND UPDATES FROM SUB-COMMITTEES:**

20 Link to reports and updates from Sub-Committees: [00:36:13](#)

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22 **REPORTS AND UPDATES FROM THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE AND COMMISSION**  
23 **MEMBERS:**

24 Link to reports and updates from the Executive Committee and Commission  
25 Members: [00:45:17](#)

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27 **ADJOURN:**

28 Link to motion: [00:51:42](#)

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30 **MOTION:**

31 A motion was made by Commission Member Vander Bruggen to adjourn.

32 **SECOND:**

33 The motion was seconded by Commission Member Schmidt.

34 **VOTE:**

35 Commission President Nelson called for a vote, as follows:

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37 Commission Member Nelson – aye  
38 Commission Member Edwards – aye  
39 Commission Member Anderson – absent  
40 Commission Member Griffith – aye  
41 Commission Member Mast – absent  
42 Commission Member Webb – absent  
43 Commission Member Schmidt – aye  
44 Commission Member Larkin – absent  
45 Commission Member Brough – absent  
46 Commission Member Vander Bruggen – aye  
47 Commission Member Reynolds – aye

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49 The vote was unanimous and the motion carried.