



**NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING  
CITY OF ALBANY  
ALBANY ARTS COMMISSION**  
City Hall, Calapooia Room  
Tuesday, April 14, 2015  
3:30 pm

AGENDA

1. ROLL CALL
2. APPROVAL OF March 10, 2015 MINUTES
3. BUSINESS FROM THE PUBLIC
4. ACTION ITEMS
5. DISCUSSION ITEMS
  - a. Midsummer Arts Festival
  - b. Doorways Poster Show/Contest
  - c. Retreat
  - d. Corvallis Arts and Culture Commission Networking Event
6. EXHIBITS– approve submissions (if any)  
Tim Jaskoski
7. BUSINESS FROM THE COMMISSION
8. NEXT MEETING DATE  
*The next regularly scheduled meeting is May 12, 2015*

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ARTS COMMISSION  
Calapooia Room, Albany City Hall  
Tuesday, March 10, 2015  
3:30 p.m.**

**MINUTES**

Commission members present: Melissa Babcock Saylor (Chair), Linda Herd, Rinee Merritt, Scott Lawley, Chuck Leland, Lynn Whitacre

Commission members absent: None

Staff present: Ed Hodney, Parks & Recreation Director; Kandice Easdale, Clerk II; Marilyn Smith, Management Assistant/Public Information Officer

Guest present: Jane Donovan

**1. CALL TO ORDER**

The meeting was called to order at 3:30 p.m.

**2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

**MOTION:** Linda Herd moved to approve the February 10, 2015 minutes as presented. Scott Lawley seconded the motion, and it **passed** 6-0.

**3. BUSINESS FROM THE PUBLIC**

None

**4. ACTION ITEMS**

a. Election of Chair and Vice-Chair

The offices open are Chair and Vice-Chair.

Merritt nominated Herd for Chair, and Leland for Vice-Chair. Lawley seconded the nomination.

**Vote:** 6-0 vote for Herd as Chair and Leland as Vice-Chair.

**5. DISCUSSION ITEMS**

a. Facebook, Social Media Policy

Merritt had raised the questions regarding creating a separate Facebook page for the Arts Commission.

Smith presented information regarding the City's social media policy, Facebook pages, and state of Oregon Public Records retention law. Hodney distributed copies of the City policy. Smith noted that information and activities from the Arts Commission could be posted on the Parks & Recreation page. Any information the Commission would like to post on the Parks & Recreation page can be sent to Debbie Little. Brief discussion followed.

b. Retreat

The retreat will be held on Tuesday, May 26, 2015, 3:30 – 7:00p.m. Location- John Boock's loft on 1<sup>st</sup> Avenue.

**ACTION ITEMS:**

- Ed will send out an e-mail soliciting agenda items and possible invitees.

c. 1% for Art Ordinance Relating to New Police & Fire Stations

Hodney distributed a copy of the 1% for Art Ordinance, and briefly reviewed it. He further noted the Council will be further reviewing this issue, as a majority of the space in the new police and fire station buildings will not be accessible to the public. The ordinance is very specific regarding the 1% of total project cost being utilized for the purchase of art work. Herd suggested the Arts Commission formulate a statement to the Council regarding amending or adding an addendum to the current ordinance. Hodney noted the Council will be taking the issue up in a work session soon, and the bond measure election is coming up in May 2015. Brief discussion followed.

## Questions:

1. What is the original intent of the ordinance?
2. What are other Cities doing with their policies/best practices?
3. 1% of total project cost applied to public accessible space vs. private space?
4. Amend ordinance to allow proceeds to be spent in the community (public art plan), not necessarily the project site?

**6. EXHIBITS**

None

Schedule

March – Joseph Stitts will continue

April – Arts Commissioners and staff

May - Mio Streitberger

June – Molly Perry

July – Sharon Prenoveau

August – Open

September – Philomath Open Studios

October – Michael and Billie Moore

November or December will be a fly fishing exhibition, including Bill Marshall and Rinee Merritt. Herd suggested holding a reception for this exhibit.

**7. BUSINESS FROM THE COMMISSION**

Lawley is in the process of exploring the suggestion from the previous meeting for display of musical instruments, maybe a performance. He plans to meet with Warren Chism, who makes violins, to see if he is interested in participating in the exhibition in some fashion. Brief discussion followed.

Jane Donovan's application is scheduled at the next City Council meeting for appointment to the commission.

Jane noted she is on the board for the Midsummer Arts Festival, and would like to see how increase the level of involvement or partnership with the City. Melissa is exploring the idea of holding a "Paint Out", and commented the festival may be time and place to have the activity.

Melissa asked if the artist for the Northwest Art & Air Festival has been selected. Ed suggested she contact Katie Nooshazar, Recreation Manager.

Rinee attend the Buckman Art Show & Sell, and came away with some interesting handmade directories to various attractions like art exhibits or museums. She noted that something like it would be nice for Albany. Ed suggested discussing it further at the retreat.

**8. NEXT MEETING**

The next regularly scheduled meeting is April 14, 2015 in the Calapooia Room in City Hall.

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 4:55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Kandice Easdale, Clerk II, Albany Parks & Recreation



# Art Exhibit Space Application

Albany Arts Commission

Artist / Organization Name: Tim Jaskoski

Date: 3/23/2015

Contact Person (Organization only):

Address: 744 Scenic Hgts. Dr. SE

City: Salem

State: OR

Zip: 97306

Phone: 503-585-7695

Email: tjaskoski.1@gmail.com

Website: <http://tim-jaskoski-photoart-squarespace.com>

<b>Media:</b> Composite photography	<b>Experience/Education:</b> Retired secondary teacher: English, journalism, photography, video productions, computer graphics, drama
<b>Showings/Representation:</b> Bush Barn Gallery, Westminster Fine Arts Festival, James Kirk Retrospective (by invitation), Jupiter Gallery (PDX), & note cards sold locally	<b>Memberships:</b> Salem Art Association, Artists in Action (in past, not currently)
<b>Statement:</b> My works are composed using original photographs through the process of photo compositing. Inspired by the colors, shapes and textures that surround me, I use them to "paint" scenes that photography would not otherwise be able to capture. This way I can highlight that which appeals to me in individual photographs through the use of color combinations, arrangement, relative size, etc. of the combined photographs. As I have progressed in my work, I have noticed a greater awareness of the minutest of details that make up the natural world surrounding me, thus enhancing my appreciation of it. The flowers and leaves I photograph are all from my wife's and my garden. Landscape features are often taken in national parks such a Glacier, Rocky Mountain, Yosemite, Yellowstone, Capitol Reef, Grand Teton and Arches.	

I have read the Call-To-Artist Policy and agree to the terms included therein.

Signature: **Tim Jaskoski**

Digitally signed by Tim Jaskoski  
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Date: 3/23/2015

Submit completed form with submissions to:

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C/O Albany Parks & Recreation  
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