

**Arts & Beautification Commission  
City of Huber Heights  
Aug 19, 2019 Meeting  
6:30 P.M.**

- I. Chair Cheryl Thomas called the meeting to order at approximately 6:30 p.m.  
A moment of silence was observed for the Oregon District victims

II. **Present at the meeting:**

Malissa Tracy, Lee Cromer, Cindy Davidson, Rhonda Sumlin, Gavin Wilson, Cheryl Brandenburg, and Cheryl Thomas.

Staff present at the meeting: Geri Bellinger, Administrative Assistant.

III. **Opening Remarks**

Ms. Bellinger clarified that board members may reach out to Staff Members, but they can go through her as not all staff members know all board members.

IV. **Citizens Comments**

Pat Stephens from the Historical Society gave an update to their remaining calendar for the year. Also, some dates for next year. They will be at the Marigold Festival selling their new city blankets. December 2, 2019 16<sup>th</sup> Annual Tree Lighting.

V. **Old Business**

**Marigold Family Festival**

27 craft vendors as of today, last year there were 70. 6 food vendors, last year there were 12. 2 non-profit vendors. Vendors can start at 8:00am. Reminded everyone of their shift.

Restrooms, trash receptacles, tents and picnic tables in place.

Face painting, nothing confirmed. Author confirmed. Rotary will have a selfie booth. YMCA checking on volunteers. Hula Hoops, bubbles, and spray chalk. Discussion on making bubbles. Marigold seeds donated by Burpee. Ms. Thomas will check on some different places to get more. Innergize Dance Party and bounce house confirmed. Table and color supplies maybe. Easels and tablets. Maybe cornhole, tic tac toe, hopscotch. Bean bags, plastic toys.

Entertainment; 3 bands with sound, start playing at 11:30. Closing with Jamie Suttle. Zoot Puppets \$200-\$300.

Ms. Davidson moved to approve the Zoot Puppets at the Marigold Festival.

Seconded by Mr. Wilson. Roll call showed: YEAS: Mr. Tracy, Ms. Cromer, Ms. Sumlin, Mr. Wilson, Ms. Brandenburg, Ms. Davidson, and Ms. Thomas. NAYS: None. Motion to approve carried 7-0.

## **VI. New Business**

### **Movie Night, Coco 9/28/19**

Confirmed Skull Dolls and LANA. Pizzas being donated, 8 large pepperoni from Marco's and 6 large from Casey's. Set up table with our paper plates and napkins, and water.

Confirmation on this being a Saturday. Ms. Tracy mentioned Lauri Chaves demonstrating Latin dancing.

Ms. Sumlin talked about foot painting, will get with Josh from Parks.

### **Movie Night Hocus Pocus 10/18/19**

The Rose Music Center. Ms. Thomas asked if there would be interest in looking for other activities like a trunk or treat with a church. Costume parade. Mayor not grilling per Ms. Thomas. Discussion on the Rose opening for general concessions. Food trucks vs. free food.

Andi Otto asked if city staff would participate in trunk or treat. She can probably get us hotdogs. Ms. Davidson asked about smores. Encourage kids to come in costume. Discussion on city staff event, each department, traveling trophy. Even non-profits. Contact radio station.

### **Lights in the Heights**

We need to promote early. We had 30 participants last year. Can someone other than Ms. Davidson take this on?

Ms. Pat Stephens suggested putting our information in the water bill, flyers in the schools.

Ms. Tracy asked if businesses are asked to join. Ms. Davidson said yes, they are allowed. We did have them last year.

The Art Sub-committee will do it this year.

### **Christmas Concert – 12/7/19**

Eichelberger Amphitheater, Santa, letters, cookies and hot chocolate. Casey's would like to donate cookies and their toppings that the kids can decorate. Tea lights, birdseed, white bags for Lumineers. Ms. Davidson offered for her husband Scott to play Santa. Will try to get hot chocolate donated. Cincinnati Circus provided jugglers on stilts. Will get a quote.

### **Art Events**

Ms. Sumlin said that they have been having sub-committee meetings regularly. Mike Meholick from Alematic came to today's meeting. He will allow us in 2020 to do a February Valentine's Day art exhibit. More currently we want to have people go in have ale and just preview the art that is already displayed. A&B will sponsor, and he will give us a definite date.

We also have an anonymous \$600.00 donation for the Brick City Music Festival. We'd like 9/27/19 or 10/8/19 at Eichelberger. We're going to negotiate the rate for the band, Hal Harris Orchestra. One to two food trucks. Hal Harris has his own sound equipment. Ms. Sumlin offered to send a sample to the board.

Ms. Sumlin asked if we wanted to do something at the Rose in the spring, like an Art Show, who makes that decision. Ms. Bellinger said she would check on the date they wanted.

Ms. Brandenburg asked about the Art in the Park that fell apart, are we still trying to do something. Ms. Bellinger said when Josh from Parks gets back from vacation we will discuss.

Mr. Wilson asked about 1 central community calendar.

Ms. Davidson said that we could check with Wayne Alumni Band also.

Ms. Cromer asked about the Wayne Alumni Band performing the National Anthem before the Marigold Festival.

Ms. Cromer said idea for next year, print t-shirts and sell them at the Marigold Festival.

### **VII. Additional Business & Announcements**

### **VIII. Approval of the Minutes**

Without objection, the minutes of the Jul 15, 2019 Arts & Beautification Commission meeting are approved.

### **IX. Upcoming Meetings**

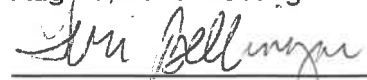
The next scheduled meeting is Monday, Sep 16, 2019

### **X. Adjournment**

There being no further business to come before the Commission, the meeting was adjourned at approximately 7:49 p.m.

  
Rhonda Sumlin, Chair

  
Date



**Geri Bellingar, Administrative Secretary**



**Date**