

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE PUBLIC ARTS COMMISSION
OF THE CITY OF LOS ALTOS, HELD ON THURSDAY, AUGUST 27,
2020, AT 5:00 P.M. HELD VIA VIDEO/TELECONFERENCE**

ROLL CALL

PRESENT: Chair Ellickson, Vice Chair Waldman, Commissioners Horine, King, Rini and Strock

ABSENT: Commissioner Yee

PUBLIC COMMENTS ON ITEMS NOT ON THE AGENDA

None

ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION/ACTION

2. Proposed public art installation: Discuss a potential public art installation proposed by Los Altos Rotary Club

Carol Dabb, representing the Los Altos Rotary Club, presented the proposed public art installation.

Direction: The Commission discussed the proposal and requested the Rotary Club return to the Commission after finalizing details of the project.

3. Proposed Public Art Display in Downtown: Discuss a proposal to display a large redwood root in Downtown Los Altos

Staff presented the report.

Action: Upon a motion by Commissioner King, seconded by Chair Ellickson, the Commission declined the proposal, by the following vote: AYES: Ellickson, Horine, King, Rini, Strock and Waldman; NOES: None; ABSTAIN: None; ABSENT: Yee.

4. Midnight Stomp Series: Discuss the potential purchase of the Midnight Stomp Series

Staff presented the report.

Direction: The Commission requested staff and Commissioner Strock discuss with the artist the potential for a donation of the pieces to the City.

5. Promotion of public art during COVID-19 Shelter-in-place order and overall public art marketing strategies: Discuss the potential for promotion of public art during the COVID-19 Shelter-in-place and overall public art marketing strategies

Commissioners discussed the recent downtown art scavenger hunt and overall marketing strategies for public art.

6. Community Art Project – Kids in Quarantine: Discuss a community art project related to Kids in Quarantine

Chair Ellickson presented the proposed community art project.

Action: A subcommittee of Chair Ellickson and Commissioners King and Strock was formed to develop a plan for the community art project.

7. Walter Singer Bust: Discuss the Walter Singer Bust

Commissioners discussed the Walter Singer Bust.

Direction: The Commission directed Chair Ellickson to reach out to a community member regarding helping write the language for the plaque for the bust.

8. Commission Minutes: Approve the minutes of the meeting of July 23, 2020

Action: Upon a motion by Commissioner Rini, seconded by Commissioner Strock, the Commission approved the minutes of the meeting of July 23, 2020, by the following vote: AYES: Ellickson, Horine, King, Rini, Strock and Waldman; NOES: None; ABSTAIN: None; ABSENT: Yee.

ADJOURNMENT

Chair Ellickson adjourned the meeting at 6:59 p.m.