



MINUTES
TOWN OF LYONS
January 12, 2021 – 4:30 to 6 pm
Lyons Arts and Humanities Commission
Location: Virtual / Zoom Meeting

Members: Lauren Click, Chrystal DeCoster, Jocelyn Farrell, Jacob Leeuwenburgh, Sonny Smith, Cristina Trapani-Scott, Melinda Wunder

Liaisons: Wendy Miller, Arielle Hodgson, Kim Mitchell, Brianna Hoyt

Guests:

ATTENDANCE: Lauren Click, Jocelyn Farrell, Brianna HOyt, Jacob Leeuwenburgh, Sonny Smith, Cristina Trapani-Scott, Arielle Hodgson, Wendy Miller

Absent: Chrystal DeCoster, Melinda Wunder

Start: 4:37

AGENDA

1. Review of December Meeting Minutes
 - a. Motion: Cristina, Sonny Seconds
 - b. All in favor: Yes
2. Public Participation
 - a. No public participation
3. Updates from Town Representative - Wendy
 - a. Summit Affordable Housing being discussed on Thursday
 - i. 30 period for Lyons citizens to apply
 - ii. Can artwork be integrated into the project somehow? Can the LAHC build a relationship with the developer to integrate art? Are there places in the development for sculpture landing stones? Wendy will bring this up with the developers at the next meeting with Summit.
 - b. 2nd Avenue Bridge underway - should be done in the 6 month time frame
 - c. Moving forward with 4th Avenue Pedestrian Bridge should be done by next spring.
 - d. Can we put art near Summit housing division and by the pedestrian bridge? Jocelyn would like to see this on the next agenda.
4. 2021 Work Plan and Budget - Arielle
 - a. Poetry project
 - i. Outdoors?
 - ii. In stores? Poster in the windows with poems - \$6.74 - 9.00/poster \$12.35/poster
 - iii. Partner with the Library to put on a poetry workshop/hold the contest/and print the winners and post in town.
 - iv. Costs: posters, designer for poster, workshop
 - v. Cris will connect with Kara to work on putting together programming or a workshop.
 - vi. Brianna will start building a list of business owners who may be interested in displaying poetry in windows.
 - vii. Will try to aim for April.
 - viii. Lauren thinks dedicating \$1,000-1,500 to project
 - b. Town Hall mural

- i. We would need to do fundraising in order to afford the artist.
 - 1. estimated costs is 7,000 - 10,000 which means we would need to raise at least 3,500.
 - 2. Can we add a poem to the wall? Lyons Got Grit, the River,
 - c. Proposal from Jacob
 - i. abstract figure cut outs - stacked four feet or five feet high put on empty spot or made into a permanent art piece.
 - ii. could potentially move from place to place
 - iii. will bring some interest to Main Street
 - iv. cost estimate is about \$400
 - d. [COVID 19 Work Projects](#)
 - i. City of Boulder has implemented this program.
 - ii. Lyons Economic Development Department wrote a grant that could help support his project.
5. Creative Outlets - Arielle / Lauren
- a. Locations
 - i. LaVern Johnson Park
 - 1. Ute Trail theme?
 - ii. intersection near St. Vrain Market
 - 1. it is a CDOT box so we would have to ask them.
 - 2. Town is working on improvements for Broadway
 - iii. Small box in Marquee Triangle
 - iv. Smaller ones in Bohn Park
 - b. Timing and roll out
6. Painting tree on Main street - Sonny
- a. Tree is going to be sanded next week when it is warm.
 - b. Sonny and Jacob will prime it and paint it
 - c. it will be done by the next meeting
 - d. Can it be done by Valentine's day and tie into heARTS of Lyons?
7. Street painting on 4th and High Street - Sonny
- a. Pride Flag will be painted where piano keys used to be.
 - b. Sonny will send a design mock up
8. Fundraising
- a. Baby Bell Fundraiser
 - b. Business Sponsorships
 - c. Printed cards
9. Clarifier plaque
- a. Fundraising
 - b. Other?
10. "1% for the Arts" program
11. Creative District Research - Lauren // Help needed
- a. DIY 3-step process detailed on CallYourselfCreative.org

- b. [Rural Technical Assistance Program Creativity Lab](#) - this is undergoing a reboot and will likely have some support from federal support through the US Economic Development Administration. Details TBD
12. History Colorado - Lauren // Help needed
 - a. General Update
 - b. State Historical Fund application
 - c. Sheldon Roberts – Sheldonart.com
13. Matters from Commissioners
14. Ongoing: Newspaper Articles - Cristina
 - a. Redstone Review (monthly)
15. Ongoing: Newsletter - Chrystal, Cristina, Brianna
 - a. What do we need for the next newsletter?
 - b. Stats
 - c. Get sign ups! [Here](#) or at this small link: tinyurl.com/LAHCnewsletter
16. Ongoing: heARTS of LYONS - Melinda
 - a. Date for celebration pending
17. On hold: Town Hall / Library Art Shows – Chrystal
 - a. Dates for new exhibitions pending
18. On hold: Painting of the Pride flag on the streets downtown - later this year following street renovation
19. On hold: Colorado Creative Industries Summit 2020 - Lauren
 - a. Postponed indefinitely

Next meeting: Virtual, February 9, 2021 at 4:30 p.m.

Adjourn

Meeting End: 06:00 PM

[2021 priority projects – 2020 Work Plan](#)

OTHER PROJECTS AND PRIORITIES:

- Carving of Tree in LaVern Park
- Town Hall Mural
- Outdoor film screenings
- Painting the Water Tower
- High Water Mark project
- We need to draft a “power policy” for artworks which require power
- Art Target List Merger with Western Stars Database discussion

Bell of Renewal: [YouTube video is here](#)

Ongoing: CLIO tour: <https://www.theclio.com/tour/1091> // tinyurl.com/LAHCwalkingtour

Promote as walking option ([example here](#))

2021 MEETINGS AND OTHER IMPORTANT DATES

MEETINGS

- February 9
- March 3
- April 13
- May 11
- June 15
- July 13
- Aug 10
- Sept 14
- Oct 12
- Nov 9
- Dec 14