

UrbanArt Commission
Public Art Oversight Committee
Wednesday, January 11, 2023 – 1 pm

In attendance: Patty Daigle, Eso Tolson, Nefertiti Orrin, and Mario Walker; UAC staff: Richard Echols, Travis Washington, and Mallory Key

I. Welcome

Echols welcomes everyone to the January PAOC meeting and thanks attendees for their participation.

APPROVALS

II. December 2022 Meeting Minutes

Echols begins by seeking approval for the December 2022 minutes that were shared via email. He calls for a motion to approve. Orrin motions, Daigle seconds and the motion is approved.

III. Cordova Library- Tylur French (Youngblood Studios)- 50% Fabrication

Echols presents images and a short video clip of updates from Tylur French that were shared with the committee via email in December. Echols reviews the final design mock up, reminding the committee that the fabricated metal pieces of words will be installed with a rotating light that will cast shadows of writing onto the library. He reports that all metal has been cut out and the installation site has been cleared. He asks for any questions before calling for a motion to approve 50% fabrication. Walker motions, Tolson seconds and the motion is approved.

UPDATES

- IV. Other Project Updates
 - Ed Rice Community Center- completing schematic design

Echols and Washington share images of Danielle Sierra's almost completed schematic design, which lacks a few photographs she is sourcing from the community. Washington reminds PAOC that Sierra will hand-paint her final design that includes a mural portion for an interior wall and portions to be scanned and applied to glass by LSI.

- Whitehaven Art Club- waiting on mural site agreement form from Whitehaven High School

- Moveable Collection
 - issuing Hospitality Hub artist contracts
- Orange Mound Park- fabricating
- NAI
 - Douglass Community Center- final design in progress
 - Westwood murals- nearing 100% fabrication on phase 1
 - Mallory Heights bus shelters- final design in progress
 - Hickory Hill bus shelters- schematic design in progress, expected in February

After sharing these updates, Echols wishes everyone a Happy New Year and the meeting is adjourned.

Upcoming (Zoom) Meeting Dates:

February 8, 2023 @ 1:00 PM March 8, 2023 @ 1:00 PM April 12, 2023 @ 1:00 PM