



MEETING MINUTES
Culture and Arts Commission
February 17, 2022

1. **CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL: Vice Chair Monaghan** called the meeting of the Culture and Arts Commission to order at 6:34 p.m. Commissioners Present: Vice Chair Janet Monaghan, Pamela Gamble, Jeanne George, and Melissa Rohlfs. Absences: Chair Madden and Tobin. Staff Present: Wallace.
2. **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Commissioner George** led the Pledge of Allegiance.
3. **REVIEW OF AGENDA:** No changes.
4. **ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES:** Minutes from January 20, 2022. **MSC George/Gamble.** Accepted 4-0-2.
5. **CONSENT CALENDAR:** None.
6. **PUBLIC COMMENT:** None.
7. **UNFINISHED BUSINESS:** None.
8. **NEW BUSINESS:**
 - a. Receive Presentation From Dennis Sharp of the SFO Museum – Due to technical difficulties, the presentation will be moved to a later meeting.
 - b. Community Gallery Scoring Process Review – **Superintendent Wallace** presented the staff report.

Commissioner Rohlfs asked if a Google form would be an easier way to submit the information. She also asked why sculptors and potters haven't been asked to submit artwork. **Superintendent Wallace** thought the Google form was a good idea and will research. He explained that there is wall space, but not display space for such pieces.

Commissioner George asked about the nature of the work section and thought that their opinions would be valuable. **Superintendent Wallace** stated that it is all subjective. Under nature of the work, there is a subcategory for "beauty" where the commissioners can write their opinions about how they feel about the work.

Commissioner Rohlfs asked about the distribution list announcing the search for artists. **Superintendent Wallace** stated he distributes to a list of artists who have previously applied or have expressed an interest in art as well as people in the art world in the County. Also, it is announced in the newsletter which goes out to about 4,000 email

addresses.

9. **ITEMS FROM COMMISSION MEMBERS:**

Commissioner Rohlfs asked if the search for artists could be opened up to muralists and they could paint a wall somewhere. She suggested San Mateo Avenue where the mural could be on display for a year or two. **Superintendent Wallace** stated that this would be a different project separate from the Community Gallery and could be discussed in a future meeting. Commissioners discussed other murals.

10. **ITEMS FROM STAFF:**

a. Tanforan Memorial update – **Superintendent Wallace** was approved by City Council on February 8th and there was a lovely groundbreaking last Friday.

11. **ADJOURNMENT:** With no other business to be conducted, **Vice Chair Monaghan** adjourned the meeting at 7:02 p.m.