



**CITY OF LYNNWOOD ARTS COMMISSION
AGENDA
MAY 16, 2023 6:30PM
ONLINE: <https://lynnwoodwa.zoom.us/j/93968503362>**

10. CALL TO ORDER / RECORDING

20. ROLL CALL

	Vacant, Position 1	George Hurst, Council Liaison
	Vacant, Position 2	
	Katie Zeitler, Secretary	Fred Wong, Arts, Culture & Heritage Coord (ACH)
	Robert Gutcheck, Asst. Secretary	
	Rhiannon Kruse, Chair	
	Lynn Hanson, Vice Chair	
	Raniere	

30. STAFF REPORT (Guest: Ashley Murawski, Event Coordinator)

40. APPROVAL OF MINUTES – April 18, 2023

50. COMMISSIONER & AD HOC REPORTS

60. CITIZEN COMMENTS

70. BUSINESS ITEMS

70.1 Bra-Bedazzle	10 min
70.2 Signal Box Art Wrap – Veterans Box	5 min
70.3 Art of Food & Wine	5 min
70.4 Community Justice Center Art Project	5 min
70.5 Fair on 44 th activities: 2x4s, sharpies	5 min
70.6 Summer Events	5 min
70.7 July meeting date change	5 min
70.8 Chinese railroad workers – exhibit at city hall	5 min
70.9 Cultural Access program	5 min
70.10 Poplar Way Bridge	5 min

80. COUNCIL LIAISON REPORT / COMMENTS

90. FUTURE BUSINESS

100. ADJOURNMENT

Upcoming Meetings:
June 20, 2023, Lynnwood Senior Center, 6:30-8:30pm

The public is invited to attend. Parking and meeting rooms are accessible for persons with disabilities. Contact the City at 670-5502 with 24-hours advance notice for special accommodations.

Future Business Items Calendar

Revised 5/11/2023

MEETING DATE	TIME	ITEM	LOCATION
May 16	6:30 – 8:30pm		online
June 20	6:30 – 8:30pm		Lynnwood Senior Center
July 18	6:30 – 8:30pm	Mayor visit?	Lynnwood Senior Center
August 15	6:30 – 8:30pm		Lynnwood Senior Center
September 19	6:30 – 8:30pm		Lynnwood Senior Center
October 17	6:30 – 8:30pm		Lynnwood Senior Center
November 21	6:30 – 8:30pm		Lynnwood Senior Center
December 19	6:30 – 8:30pm		Lynnwood Senior Center
May 29	11am	Memorial Day Ceremony	Veterans Park
June 10, July 8, August 12	10am-2pm	History & Heritage Days	Heritage Park
July 07	5-8 pm	CELEBRATE	Alderwood Mall Terraces
July 20 July 27 August 4	7-9 pm	Shakespeare in the Park The Tempest (Wooden O) Henry VI, Part 1 (GreenStage) Romeo and Juliet (GreenStage)	Lynndale Park
August 01	5:30 - 9pm	National Night Out	
Sept 09	10am-2pm	Fair on 44th	
September 17	1pm	Living Voices: Native Vision	Heritage Park
??		Sound Transit Public Art – ribbon cutting	
Feb 4, 2023 (canceled)		The Art of Food & Wine	Lynnwood Event Center
		LINKS TO MORE EVENTS	

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MINUTES**

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10. CALL TO ORDER at 6:31pm

20. ROLL CALL

	Position 1 - Vacant	X	George Hurst, Council Liaison
	Position 2 - Vacant		
X	Katie Zeitler	X	Fred Wong, Arts, Cultural & Heritage Coordinator (ACHC)
X	Robert Gutcheck, Temp Sec		Sarah Olson, Deputy Director (DD)
X	Rhiannon Kruse, Vice Chair		
X	Lynn Hanson		
X	Raniere		

30. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

L Hanson moved; R Gutcheck seconded; March 21, 2023 minutes unanimously approved.

40. COMMISSIONER & AD HOC REPORTS

- **Fogo de Chao:** Rhiannon and Katie went to pre-opening. Very nice experience! Recommend going.
- **Graphite in Edmonds:** L. Hanson shared info about new art space - gallery, artists spaces, restaurant.
- **Bra Bedazzle:** Becky and Emily from Citrine Health shared past information about this project. Citrine Health is willing to be partners with LAC this year to bring Bra Bedazzle to Lynnwood.

Background: Citrine Health started Bra Bedazzle in 2017, It was “Art with a Purpose” and a great message for October Breast Cancer month. Bras were donated. Have had over 100 bras decorated, which would display at various Everett businesses. Would love to partner with the Arts Commission. Not hosting the event because they are currently moving. Citrine will share lots of items for decorating.

Advertise: Promote at Fair on 44th.

Bra decorating event: Possible dates - September 16, 23, 30. Possible spaces - Verdant Health, Lynnwood Senior Center. Limited to one submission per person, and age 12+ due to hot glue guns. Citrine representatives will see what supplies we can use. Recommend having power strips for glue guns. Rhiannon suggested bringing decorated bras from past to display for inspiration. Open the event up to all of Snohomish County.

Reception/Exhibit: At City Hall. Possible dates: October 11, 12 or 19. Hangers used to display bras. Message to crafters - “Your bra may be displayed.” Commission will choose the ones to be displayed. We could store bras on a coat rack and wheel them over to City Hall to hang on Monday. Bras will be exhibited throughout October. Artist’s names were on cards attached to bras. Some people took bras home afterwards. We could use and display in City Hall the posterboard with mammogram information.

Next steps: Fred will find out about space to use for decorating event. Raniere will look into possible grant funding for buying supplies.

50. STAFF REPORT

F Wong –

- Volunteer Appreciation Dinner at Homage is 4:30 on April 25.
- Garage at Link Light Rail station has opened on Monday. Hummingbird art installed on 3/24.
- Fred sent a letter and card to Kona Kitchen, thanking them for donating to Lynnwood Artists Show.
- Exhibit at City hall is coming down on May 1. Next exhibit is going up on May 3 – photographs. Show may end sometime in July.
- Applied to Snohomish County for grant to wrap Veteran's box, but was not awarded.
- Got a \$15,980 grant from a different branch of Snohomish County for Historic Preservation. Using it to buy wheelchair lift for trolley at Heritage Park and to adjust hatch (either add springs or replace material).
- Northline Village park - hope is for artist designed playground. Fred suggested that for this playground to qualify as art, artist must be involved in the design and be paid appropriately.
- Robert asked about Shakespeare in the Park: It is happening, one of the troops is able to only do one. Event person is finalizing dates. Will new events person be coming to introduce themselves to LAC? Fred will invite her to an LAC meeting.
- Fred is on panel of judges for Mountlake Terrace public art piece at transit center. About 30 artists applied, narrowed down to 4 finalists. Tomorrow, panel may choose artist.

60. CITIZEN COMMENTS – Becky Jones and Emily Gardner from Citrine Health.

70. BUSINESS ITEM

70.1 Signal Box Art Wrap – Veterans Box

196th and 40th has new boxes, that are painted grey. Fred got confirmation that we can wrap them. Deadline is April 30th for submitting photos. Deadline may be extended if there are not enough submissions. Would like photos of individuals to be in uniform. Need 30 for the boxes. Contact press. Reach out to assisted living facilities, recruitment center. G Hurst's wife is on the Heroes' Cafe board; he will ask her to spread the word about photos.

70.2 Art of Food & Wine

G. Hurst will reach out to possible spaces, Porsche and Mercedes car dealerships.

70.3 Healthy Lynnwood Arts Grants

Now that we are officially doing Bra Bedazzle, there will not need to apply for this grant.

70.4 Community Justice Center Art Project

Fred is still working on contract for engineer/welder. Some artists are starting to fabricate.

70.5 Fair on 44th activities: 2x4s

Raniere will email list of supplies to Fred (2x4s and sharpie markers). Decorated 2x4's will be given to Habitat for Humanity. We will also be passing out flyers and information about Bra Bedazzle.

70.6 Summer Events

Shakespeare in the Park schedule hasn't come out. "Celebrate" is on July 7 - live music at the Alderwood Mall and beer and wine garden.

80. COUNCIL LIAISON REPORT

- Hazelwood 5th graders' portraits/caricatures of council & mayor are on display at Council chambers hallway. Very fun.
- Edmonds School District Board is having a meeting right now to consider cutting the arts budget. G Hurst emailed two board members.

90. FUTURE BUSINESS

Going through state legislature is a piece of legislation called Cultural Access WA, which allows local cities or counties to impose a sales tax to go for arts, heritage and science organizations. King County has already set up their mechanism for this. Fred will report back.

100. ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 8:04pm.

Staff Report (Program & Project Updates)

DATE: May 11, 2023

TO: Arts Commission

FROM: Fred Wong, Community Programs Coordinator

Commission Member Recruitment

We are recruiting for vacant positions #1, #2. [Info and to apply here](#).

Visual Exhibits

- Evangeline Alvarez-Cupat from May 3 to July ?. Bra Bedazzle from September ? to November ?. Reception on Oct 12.
- Rec Center Art Exhibits: Heart Art Healing.
- Council chambers hallway Art Exhibits. Empty. Taken down 5/11, Hazelwood 5th graders' portraits of council & mayor.

Sound Transit Art (STart) Program – Claudia Fitch's Curtain & Hummingbird (3/24) have been installed. Preston Singletary artwork is scheduled to be installed in Spring.

Signal Box Wrap Project

- Future boxes: Veterans, Indigenous people, EdCC, Neon signs, South Lynnwood, Lund's Gulch.
- Veterans box – [calling for photos](#).

Community Justice Center – Public Art Project

Engineer and welder contract signed May 1, 2023.

The Art of Food & Wine

- ~~Feb 4, 2023~~. Canceled. To plan for 2024. Looking for alternate locations.

44th Ave W / I-5 Underpass

Artist and Architect team will visit us in 2023 to get our input.

Alderwood Mall - Art

Re-negotiating new agreement for sculpture loan.

Covid

In-person hybrid meetings will start in June at the Lynnwood Senior Center

Cultural Access Program

House Bill 1575 passed. Cities and counties may now implement a Cultural Access program through a public vote or councilmanic authority, to expand access to science, heritage, and arts programs.

Cultural Access Program

About \$14 M in budget cuts including Arts Coordinator position (Visual & Performing Arts).