

CULTURAL COMMISSION BOARD MINUTES

JANUARY 21, 2020

Virtual Attendees: Meryl Brown, Julia Cozad-Callighan, Ron Crick, Mark Halx, JongHun Kim, Melissa Libert, RJ McCracken, Jeff Pitzer, Angelique Racki, Shannon Ramirez, Tina Sipula, Shweta Sukla | City Hall Attendees: Jim Mack, Kellie Williams | No Public Walk ins

Mission Statement:

The Bloomington Cultural Commission, through advocacy, education and support, is dedicated to inspiring accessible and diverse artistic and cultural experiences, thus enhancing the value of the community's creative and economic life.

Next Meeting February 18, 2020 at 7:30 a.m.

• General Notes

- Minutes approved for December 17, 2020
- Welcome new commissioner Shweta Sukla
- All commissioner seats are filled leaving no vacancies.

• Discussion on creating sub-committees

- Sub-committees may have no more than 3 commissioners, otherwise an official meeting must be scheduled
- Emails should not be sent to all commissioners
- Leaders will report to Melissa Libert or Meryl Brown
- Sub-committees are encouraged to invite community guest
- Stay focused on the group's mission
- The goal is to get more done and share during monthly meetings

• Name and ranking of sub-Committees for 2021

1. Advocacy – Serve as liaison between different group & Invite guest
2. Education – Consider a newsletter
3. Support -

• Homework:

- Commissioners email Melissa Libert directly with your top two sub-committee choices and specify if you'd like to lead.
- Melissa will directly notify each commissioner of their chosen sub-committee. The goal is to have each group start a conversation about priorities before next meeting.