THE CITY OF SAN ANGELO, TEXAS MINUTE RECORD OF A REGULAR MEETING OF THE PUBLIC ART COMMISSION

Following notice and publication, the *Public Art Commission* convened in a regular meeting at 3:30 p.m., on August 1, 2022 in the Santa Fe Crossing First Floor Conference Room, 702 S. Chadourne St., San Angelo, Texas.

Commissioners present were Mr. Ryan Dalgliesh, Ms. Jamie Highsmith, Mr. Raul Ruiz, and Ms. Elaine Stribling. Staff present were Mr. Carl White, Mr. Roger Havlak and minutes were recorded by Ina Gray.

I. OPEN SESSION (3:30) P.M.

A. Call to Order

Mr. Dalgliesh called the meeting to order at 3:37 p.m. and called for public comment.

B. Public Comment

No comments.

II. CONSENT AGENDA

1. Consideration of approving the December 8, 2021 meeting minutes.

Ms. Stribling motioned to approve the minutes as presented. Seconded by Ms. Highsmith; the motion passed unanimously.

III. REGULAR AGENDA/PUBLIC HEARING AND COMMENT

2. Consider the art and its location of a "Sheep Spectacular" sheep at the Railway Museum near the intersection of Hardeman Pass and South Chadbourne Street.

Mr. White presented images of the proposed location for the art as well as the art on the sheep. Ms. Monica Ramos, Manager of Downtown San Angelo, Inc., spoke regarding the sheep, its art and purpose. Ms. Stribling motioned to accept the location and the art of this "Sheep Spectacular" sheep, seconded by Ms. Highsmith; the motion passed unanimously.

3. Consider the art and its location of a "Sheep Spectacular" sheep at the Downtown entrance arch near the intersection of Concho Avenue and Randolph Street.

Mr. White presented images of the proposed location for the art as well as the art on the sheep. Ms. Ramos spoke regarding the sheep, its art and purpose. She also mentioned that the rainbow was removed from the art. Ms. Highsmith motioned to accept the location and the art of this "Sheep Spectacular" sheep, seconded by Mr. Ruiz; the motion passed unanimously.

4. Consider the art and its location of a portrait of Mr. and Mrs. Powell at the San Angelo Regional Airport.

This item was moved from #6 to #4. Mr. White introduced Mr. Bruce Partain from the Airport Advisory Board and Mr. Jeremy Valgardson, Director of the Airport. Mr. White spoke briefly regarding this art and that the artist is Mr. Alejandro Castanon. Mr. Bruce Partain spoke in detail regarding the idea for this art, project concept, themes, and history of Mr. and Mrs. Powell. He also spoke regarding the exact location where the art would be displayed in the airport. The portrait would be on canvas. Ms. Highsmith motioned to accept the proof of concept for the art and its location. The motion was seconded by Ms. Stribling; the motion passed unanimously.

5. Consider the art and its location of a "Sheep Spectacular" sheep at Fuentes Cafe' Downtown near the intersection of Beauregard Avenue and South Chadbourne Street.

Mr. White presented images of the proposed location for the art as well as the art on the sheep. Ms. Ramos spoke regarding the sheep, its art and purpose. Mr. Dalgliesh motioned to accept the location and the art of this "Sheep Spectacular" sheep, seconded by Ms. Stribling; the motion passed unanimously.

6. Consider the art and its location of a "Sheep Spectacular" sheep at Blaine's Pub near the intersection of West Harris Avenue and North Chadbourne Street.

Mr. White stated that since Mr. Raul Ruiz is the artist for this sheep he would need to recuse himself from discussion and consideration from this item. In doing so, we would lose our quorum. Therefore, this item was not considered and will be considered at the next meeting.

7. Consider the disposition of the RAN sculpture at Civic League Park.

Mr. White gave updates on the RAN sculpture. A resolution was taken to City Council on May 3, which was not adopted. City Council directed staff to get an assessment of if the sculpture could be repaired and refurbished, and if not, then to develop a plan for the sculpture's replacement. SKG Engineering provided the City with a quote for

assessing the sculpture but could not warranty their plans for repair and refurbishment, which could cost more than \$25,000. Discussions were held. Ms. Stribling recommended to remove the sculpture and commemorate it, seconded by Mr. Dalgliesh; the motion passed unanimously.

8. Updates on recently recommended art works, including the water tank murals at Kirby Park and the Bosque, and the storm water drains along Veteran's Memorial Drive.

The water tank murals art project did not progress; the artist backed out for personal reasons. The storm water drains were completed. The paint is peeling off on some of them, and they will be redone.

9. Discuss future agenda items.

Blaine's Pub "Sheep Spectacular" sheep.

IV. ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Dalgliesh motioned to adjourn the meeting at 4:28 p.m. Seconded by Ms. Stribling.

Approved