

Minutes of the Cultural and Arts Advisory Committee  
for the Corporation of The Town of Tecumseh

A meeting of the Cultural & Arts Advisory Committee for the Town of Tecumseh was scheduled to be held on June 17, 2019, in the Sandwich South Meeting Room at Town Hall, 917 Lesperance Road, Tecumseh at 7:00 pm.

**1. Call to Order**

The Chairperson calls the meeting to order at 7:18 pm.

**2. Roll Call**

**Present:**

Councillor  
Member  
Chair  
Vice-Chair  
Member

Bill Altenhof  
Marian Drouillard  
Rhonda Dupuis  
Charles Gray  
Rita Ossington

**Also Present:**

Manager of Committee & Community Services

Christina Hebert

**Absent:**

Member  
Member  
Member

Dwayne Ellis  
Christopher McNamara  
Kyrsten Solcz

**3. Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest**

None reported.

**4. Delegations**

None.

**5. Communications**

**a. Cultural and Arts Advisory Committee Minutes - May 27, 2019**

**Motion: CAAC - 11/19**

Moved By                      Member Rita Ossington  
Seconded By                Vice-Chair Charles Gray

**That** the minutes of the May 27, 2019 meeting of the Cultural and Arts Advisory Committee as were duplicated and delivered to the Committee members, are accepted.

**Carried**

**b. City of Windsor News Release dated May 29, 2019 Re: Calling All Young Artists**

**Motion: CAAC - 12/19**

Moved By                      Member Marian Drouillard  
Seconded By                Vice-Chair Charles Gray

**That** Communications - For Information Item B as listed on the June 17, 2019 Cultural and Arts Advisory Committee Agenda be received.

**Carried**

**6. Reports**

None.

**7. Unfinished Business****a. Culture Days**

The Committee concurs with planning an 'open studio' tour for this year's Culture Days, taking place September 27 - 29.

It is recommended that the open studio tour be scheduled for the Saturday to encourage greater attendance, from 10:00 am – 3:00 pm approximately.

Showcasing the BIA Banners within the tour is suggested, as well as inquiring if Art Galia Inc. would be interested in participating.

Member Marian Drouillard reminds Members of the upcoming Culture Days webinar on June 26. As the Members' schedules conflict with the webinar, Member Marian Drouillard will share content information following the webinar.

**8. New Business****a. Municipal Culture Grant Funds**

Discussion ensues regarding the creation of a municipal grant program, geared toward cultural initiatives and similar in nature to the City of Windsor, Town of Essex and other area municipalities funding programs.

The program would support local funding initiatives to assist development of the creative community.

The Vice Chair offers to research area municipalities programs for the Committee's review.

**9. Next Meeting**

The next meeting of the Cultural & Arts Advisory Committee will be held on July 15, 2019.

**10. Adjournment****Motion: CAAC - 13/19**

Moved By Vice-Chair Charles Gray

Seconded By Member Rita Ossington

**That** there being no further business, the June 17, 2019 meeting of the Cultural and Arts Advisory Committee now adjourn at 7:46 pm.

**Carried**

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Rhonda Dupuis, Chair

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Charles Gray, Vice-Chair