

# RAYMORE ARTS COMMISSION AGENDA

**Tuesday, Aug. 10, 2021 - 7 p.m.**

City Hall Council Chambers  
100 Municipal Circle  
Raymore, Missouri 64083

\*\*\*Masks are recommended in all City facilities.\*\*\*

**1. Call to Order**

**2. Roll Call**

**3. Pledge of Allegiance**

**4. Public Comments**

*Please identify yourself for the record and keep your comments to a maximum of five minutes.*

**5. Presentations**

**6. Committee Updates**

No update for August.

**7. Staff Reports**

- a. Budget update
- b. September work session

**8. Consent Agenda**

*The items on the Consent Agenda are approved by a single action of the Arts Commission. If any Commissioner would like to have an item removed from the Consent Agenda and considered separately, he/she may do so.*

**a. Arts Commission Meeting minutes - July 2021 (p. 3)**

***Motion to approve the consent agenda***

**9. Unfinished Business**

**10. New Business**

- a. Election of officers:** The Arts Commission will need to nominate and elect a Chair and Vice Chair per the bylaws. A simple majority is all that is necessary.

***Staff will conduct the election***

- b. Approval of the FY2021 meeting schedule.** The Arts Commission meets in its regular business meeting on the second Tuesday of each month. Staff has prepared the official schedule. Commission members can propose additional meetings as set out in the bylaws as necessary. (p. 5)

***Staff will conduct the election***

- c. Sponsorship to Raymore-Peculiar School District High School Choir in the amount of \$2,000 to commission the creation of a piece of music for the choir to perform at the Missouri Music Educators Conference at the Margaritaville Resort at the Lake of the Ozarks in January 2022. (p. 6)**

***Motion to approve***

**11. Commissioner Comments**

**12. Adjournment**

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THE RAYMORE **ARTS COMMISSION** MET IN REGULAR SESSION TUESDAY, **July 13, 2021**, AT RAYMORE CITY HALL, 100 MUNICIPAL CIRCLE. COMMISSIONERS PRESENT WERE: LOREN JONES, PAT SETSER, ROBERT BERRY, JESSICA BERRY, JIM GRIBBLE. COMMISSIONERS COLE YOUNG AND PAM SIMPSON WERE ABSENT.

**1. Call to Order** Commission Chair Jones called the meeting to order.

**2. Roll Call** - Communications Manager Melissa Harmer called roll and a quorum was present.

**3. Pledge of Allegiance**

**4. Public Comments**

**5. Presentations**

**6. Committee Updates**

a. Public Art Committee

Commissioner Bob Berry said the committee discussed another temporary art piece, perhaps at Memorial Park and increasing the Holiday Sing Along budget to accommodate a second show the same evening, and discussed the possibility of another Little Free Library grant.

**7. Staff Reports**

a. Communications Manager Melissa Harmer gave updates on preparations and event details for Summer Scene on July 24 at T.B. Hanna Station. Harmer said that there was approximately \$6,100 left in the current fiscal year budget. Harmer said the banners for Original Town lamp posts were on order- half were for Summer Scene out of the commission's budget, and half are various Raymore banners paid for by the Communications Department budget. The commission will be able to order several more banners for the next season without an additional cost to the commission.

**8. Consent Agenda**

Commissioner Berry moved to approve the May 2021 meeting minutes.

Commissioner Setser seconded the motion. The motion was approved 5-0.

**9. Unfinished Business**

**10. New Business**

**a. \$2,500 sponsorship of sound system at Hawk's Nest benefit concert**

Commissioner Setser moved to approve the agenda item. Commissioner Berry seconded the motion. The motion was approved 5-0.

**b. FY2022 Budget allocation to purchase Sway as a permanent art piece for \$4,500**

Commissioner Berry moved to approve the agenda item. Commissioner Gribble seconded the motion. The motion was approved 5-0.

**11. Commissioner Comments**

Commissioner Setser said the Sounds of South Kansas City band was preparing for their Raymore concert on July 22. Commissioner Gribble had no comment. Commissioner J. Berry had no comment. Commissioner Jones mentioned that the concert series has been very well received by the residents of the City. Jones asked Commissioner Setser to create a working group to research putting on a possible fall art showcase. Commissioner R. Berry thanked staff for the spread for the Chamber Gallery artist meet and greet prior to the meeting.

**12. Adjournment**

- a. Commissioner R. Berry moved and Setser seconded to adjourn the meeting. The motion was approved 5-0.

Submitted by:

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Melissa Farmer".

## **2020-2021 ARTS COMMISSION MEETING SCHEDULE**

**All meetings begin at 7 p.m. and are held in the City Council Chambers**

- Feb. 11, 2020
- March 10, 2020
- April 14, 2020
- May 12, 2020
- June 9, 2020
- July 14, 2020
- Aug. 11, 2020
- Sept. 8, 2020
- Oct. 12, 2020
- Nov. 9, 2020
- Dec. 14, 2020
- Jan. 12, 2021
- Feb. 9, 2021

\*Meetings are generally held on the 2nd Tuesday of the month unless otherwise noted

## **AGENDA ITEM MEMO**

**To:** Raymore Arts Commission

**From:** Melissa Harmer, Communications Manager

**Re:** \$2,000 Sponsorship to fund the composition of a piece of music for Ray-Pec HS Choir to perform at the Missouri Music Educators Conference in the Lake of the Ozarks in January 2022

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For the first time in school history, the Raymore-Peculiar High School choir has been invited to perform in January at the Missouri Music Educators Conference at the Margaritaville Resort at the Lake of the Ozarks. Choir Director Stephen Rew has asked if the Raymore Arts Commission would consider helping fund a piece of music to be written and premeired at the convention. The musical composition would say "commissioned by the Raymore Arts Commission" and have that dedication on every copy sold.

Mr. Rew is seeking out a Missouri composer to write the piece.

<b><i>Motion to approve</i></b>
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