



MINUTES

ROCKWALL ART COMMISSION MEETING

Tuesday, April 7, 2026 - 5:00 PM

City Hall Council Conference Room - 385 S. Goliad St., Rockwall, TX 75087

Board Members Present: Mike Rohlf, Mary Jo Marvin, Ashlei Neill, Andrew Hillis, Dennis Lewis

Not Present: Al Lafere

Staff Present: Jodi Willard

I. Call Public Meeting to Order: 5:04 PM by Mike

II. Open Forum

There were no persons present to speak during open forum, it was closed at 5:05 PM.

III. Financial Update

There was no financial update.

IV. Discussion / Action Items

1. Review and act on the March 3, 2026, meeting minutes

Mary Jo motioned to approve the minutes as presented, Ashlei seconded the motion, passing 5-0, all in favor

2. Project pipeline group discussion and possible action.

a. Present an update on the possible mural in downtown – Andrew

i. Andrew to meet with the owner and tenant about themes to bring back to committee.

ii. Andrew will attend next month's DRA meeting for letters of support.

iii. Dennis recommended using high school art students, if possible.

iv. The committee will investigate best practices on Call to Artists on what creative information is given to artists.

b. Present the USA 250 Mural Project as an idea for discussion - Mike

i. No new update at this time.

c. Mosaic tour update and mosaic tractor update – Mary Jo

i. Layout is confirmed at the museum.

ii. Jodi will create an invitation to send out for official unveiling.

iii. Unveiling date – Friday, May 15th and open to public for Founders Day at 4P.

iv. Tractor will be delivered on Thursday at 10A. City staff will be onsite.

d. Metal/Wire/Mosaic art pieces. Horse, train, boat, heron, fish, cotton plant, train tracks. Possibly under large flag after I-30 construction. Will hold off on location until after road construction.

e. Review Project proposals – Andrew

i. Virtual Art Walk will take approximately 6 months to complete– these may not meet ordinances, will have to review. There are no new proposals.

f. Review potential art locations.

i. Potential future locations – Tuttle Field or in front of Animal Shelter.

IV. Adjournment Meeting was adjourned by Mike at 5:56 PM – Mary Jo motioned, Andrew seconded the motioned.

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I, Jodi Willard, ART Commission liaison for the City of Rockwall, Texas, do hereby certify that this Agenda was posted at City Hall, in a place readily accessible to the general public at all times, on 11/24/25 prior to 5:00 PM, and remained so posted for at least 3 business days preceding the scheduled time of said meeting.

Jodi Willard, ART Commission

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