

Franklin Cultural Council Meeting

Feb 13, 2018, 7:00 pm.

Municipal Building, Room 106

Karen, Susan, Jose, Lillian, Tamara, Taylor, Stacey in attendance

1. Old Business
 - a. Meeting Minutes from Jan 24 approved
2. Community Arts Advocacy Day planning
 - a. Workshops discussed
 - b. Panelists are in the works
 - c. Banner update — discussion with Melanie & Eamon about a banner in town; they are in favor, but Town is not; Stacey to talk to Jamie and Jeff Nutting
 - d. Donations: Tamara—Whole Foods, Panera, Dedham are all in works
 - e. Stickers, hashtag, photo backdrop are being provided by NCC
3. ArtWeek
 - a. Food donations for kick off— need Asian, Gallagher's, Mexican
 - Curry House - In
 - Pie Zoni's - In
 - Rome - Need to follow up later this week
 - Thai - Maybe
 - British Beer Company - In
 - Big Y - Promising, based on the look of it they will probably give a gift card but the manager did not say what they will do
 - Acapulcos - Olivier called them but hasn't made contact with the manager yet
 - Green Mountain Chocolate - No, phone call did not go well
 - Ichigo - No, due to dinner time
 - b. Taste of ArtWeek update: Jamie Barrett & Feet in Motion definite; Dean most likely for actors, CHYS a possibility, Dean dance maybe—should have series of short performances for all
 - b. Grant/sponsorship update: MWVB definite grant—likely \$1,000, Festivals applied for, Dean, BoA, Rockland, Middlesex applied for
 - c. Banner/signage — someone to get pricing to existing sign for Walgreens (80"w x 24" tall) — 1 color and 2 color pricing using the back of existing sign — Signs by Cam and Cavaleiro Signs, would need by April 12—Stacey will contact
 - d. Window clings—Barb found great pricing; we will move forward
 - e. Concert update (plans with Tracy/Carolann)
 - i. Need commitment for ushers, door person, food police
 - ii. Volunteer to get donations from AC Moore or Michael's for paper & crayons—Susan
 - iii. Tix prices: \$15/10/5 for 100 tix each; 800 in auditorium
 - iv. People to tear down panels and remove from art exhibition near end of concert—Jose and Olivier

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- a. Downtown Partnership networking breakfasts - Feb 16 8am; all are invited to attend