Franklin Cultural Council Meeting

March 20, 2017

7:30 pm.

Municipal Building, Room 103

- 1. Meeting minutes from Feb 8 approved
- 2. Introduce Lesley McCaffrey, new FCC member
- 3. Old Business
 - a. Basic training Lesley and Teresa need to complete
- 4. Logo design contest voting—winner chosen, which will be announced at reception
- 5. Reception planning
 - a. Attendees 28 grantees are coming, 1 maybe, 2 are not, 7 haven't heard from; plus 7 of us, count from Karen, press?, invite logo winner, MCC Lisa Simmons, LCC and Festivals program manager
 - b. Food tax exempt certificate goes to Barb
 - c. Volunteers/timing for set up and clean up (reception 7-8:30; set up at 6, clean up by 9)
 - d. Agenda for the evening—Karen: who is speaking & for how long?, decisions are Stacey, Lisa Simmons only, including intro and handing out of certificates by Stacey and MCC speech by Lisa, unveiling of logo, performance by Prolatio Singers
- 6. Arts Advocacy Day discussion
 - a. List of who we reached out to:

LCC/Local Org	
Norfolk Cultural Council	
Medway Cultural Council	
Millis Cultural Council	
Wrentham Cultural Council	
Medfield Cultural Council	
Bellingham Cultural Council	
Mendon Cultural Council	
Hopkinton Cultural Council	
Milford Cultural Council	
Holliston Cultural Council	
Other Orgs to Invite	
Franklin Downtown Partnership	
Franklin Art Association	

Franklin Public Library
Franklin Historical Museum
Franklin Senior Center?
Cultural Alliance of Medfield
Southeastern Massachusetts Arts Collaborative (Attleboro)
Newton Cultural Alliance
Blackstone Valley Art Association
RI Watercolor Society
Attleboro Arts Museum
Franklin Cultural District Committee
Dean College Art Dept

- b. Who is interested? Bellingham, Millis, Mendon, Wrentham, Holliston, Norfolk CC's, Attleboro Arts Museum, FAA, Franklin Downtown Partnership; Franklin Cultural District will discuss later this week and let us know interest—minimally Steve Sherlock has committed help with communications—some coming Apr 6, some we have to send mtg minutes to
- c. Can anyone else go to Arts Matter day? Mar 28, 9-3 Stacey will be there until about 1:30; hoping to connect with someone at MassCreative as well as Communications Dir at MCC, via our MCC rep; Susan volunteers to go as well
- d. Date for our day? Would like to announce on Thurs, along with overview of what it is Sat, May 6 or Sun, May 7? Sat, May 20? is Memorial Day a bad weekend because too many other commitments? Decision is May 20.
- e. Pick a name—discussion and brainstorming. Decision is Community Arts Advocacy Day
- 7. New Business -- none presented