MINUTES OF BASTROP CULTURAL ARTS COMMISSION July 6th, 2021

The Bastrop Cultural Arts Commission met in a Regular Meeting on Tuesday, June 6th, 2021 at 10:18 a.m. at Bastrop City Hall located at 1311 Chestnut Stree, Bastrop, Texas. Members present were Lisa Holcomb, Maria Stayton, Dick Smith, Phil Hurley, Staff Liaison Rebecca Gleason and Candice Butts.

- 1. CALL TO ORDER: At 10:18 am and with quorum in attendance, Maria called the meeting to order.
- 2. CITIZEN COMMENTS: None

3. REPORTS:

- 3a: Phil reported that music is back downtown and well attended.
- 3b: Maria reported first Friday activities are very well attended.
- 3c: Lisa reported on Texas Nonprofit Theatre Youth Conference. Theatre camp coming up June 26-August 8th.
- 3d: Rebecca reported on Summer in the City, Patriotic Festival and Farm St. Opry. Stated that the city rec center is now open.

4. NO PRESENTATIONS:

5. WORKSHOPS:

- 4a. <u>Dick</u>: Would like ideas for optimizing art in the community. Would like Arts Commission to have their name on several projects around town.
- *Would like a "go to place." Website, Facebook, newsletter.
- *Discussed making Alley B a project.
- *Rebecca stated we need to focus on action and finance plan first. Need first year plan by end of fiscal year.
- *Newsletter committee: Mike, Dick, Maria
- *Alley B project committee: Lisa, Phil, Kaye

6. ITEMS FOR INDIVIDUAL CONSIDERATION:

5a: Discussion was had as to whether we want to expend time and energy on ArtIn Public Places. Maria suggested postponing decision but keeping the website.5b: Motion made by Phil to take formal recommendation to take the ArtImmersion Project to council. Second by Dick. Approved without objection.

7. ADJOURNMENT: Phil made motion to adjourn. Dick second the motion. The meeting was adjourned at 11:30 a.m. without objection.

APPROVED:

Insert name and title of signer

ATTEST:

Insert name of person attesting