

Northville arts commission
The Regular Commission Meeting
March 8, 2006, 7:30 p.m.
ART HOUSE

Commissioners Present: Arlene Catrett, Darcey Deneau, Ken Naigus, Sharon Rossow, Sue Taylor, Aaron Timlin (Consultant)

Commissioners Absent: Eric Simmons, Kathleen Tabaczynski

Guests: Mary Step, Nicole Passmore

The meeting was called to order by Commissioner, Ken Naigus at 7:35 p.m.

Approval of Minutes: The regular February NAC meeting was cancelled; a review of our one-year plan was held the following week; no minutes were taken of this review.

Financial Report: None given

Committee Reports:

Art House Consultant: Aaron Timlin, NAC Consultant, discussed building refurbishment starting after March 18 and that the Artist-in-residency program has received lots of applicants. Darcy will forward a proposal to Aaron regarding a fall fundraiser (Art Out of the Box). NAC email to be used is info@northvillearts.org

Old Business:

Student Art Show – This is being planned for May 12, the night of Art House opening 2006 exhibit and will be held in 5 downtown Galleries plus the Art House.

Winter Concert – March 18 at Genitt's; Arlene Catrett will collect money.

First Friday's and NAC role -- It was suggested that NAC take a neutral role in overseeing and facilitating First Friday activities. NAC could provide publicity and advertising and help with getting grants. Further discussion is needed as to our responsibility with this event.

Tracking of Expenses – Sue & Kathleen met and revised the City's forms so that a copy of all forms would be kept in the program file and be given to the NAC Secretary/Treasurer. A budget form for programs and events was also designed to keep track of revenue and expenses in addition to hours worked on the event. This information is important for securing grants. Sue will email new forms to everyone.

Art Market – Jurying will be 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, May 10.

New Business:

Michael Farrell – There will be a lecture on 3/15 at 7:30 p.m.

Public Art Update – New sites are being looked at for “Robert's Rock”

Summer Concerts – Concerts have been booked. A sponsor has not yet been confirmed.

Adjournment: 8:50 p.m.

**Respectfully Submitted,
Sue Taylor, Secretary**

Approved: April 12, 2006