

Wheeling Arts & Cultural Commission
Minutes
Tuesday, February 11, 2025
5:00 City Council Chambers

- Call to Order: 5:00 pm
- In Attendance: Bethany Decker, Logan Schmitt, Matt Harder, Judi Hendrickson, Bitten Heine, Melissa Marshall, Anna Fonner, Crin Chamberlain, Spencer Porter, Jon Banco, guest Alana Buracchio
- Review prior meeting's minutes:
https://docs.google.com/document/d/1D-YYB00siib0AkFUB5rtm7dN2p0JbV_WzjD47389x8E/edit?usp=sharing
- Approval of minutes: Motion to approve Logan 1st, Crin 2nd. Minutes approved
- Treasurer's Report:
 - The official Budget Proposal was submitted to the City Finance Director on February 6, 2025
 - See Treasurer's full report for balances
- New Business:
 - Welcome new members: Melissa Marshall, Spencer Porter
 - Alana Buracchio proposal for mural at 3400 block of Chapline Street RM Wilson Patrick Dubiel, president and building owner, United Mine Workers Association
 - Perhaps a mining theme
 - No specific muralist in mind
 - Spencer suggested asking the WALs foundation for funding
 - Logan suggested reaching out to the United Mine Workers for possible funding
 - Possibly paint by number with kids
 - Rick Morgan
 - Proposal for Ceramics Takeover Wheeling
 - Request funds for marketing materials, will send exact number
 - Asking for help getting the word out this year Arts Commission involvement next year
 - February 20-23, 2025
 - Nine exhibitions

- Wheeling Park Ask for Arts Commission to participate in art show for 100 year anniversary application review
- Old Business and Committee Reports:
 - Notes from Jan. minutes:
 - Creation of Marketing Committee for Arts Commission: Hayley, Logan, Erin, Bethany for possible website
 - Website update and creation of report to illustrate what we have done with the money in the past
 - Art Fest Planning
 - Meeting setting: River City: Monday, February 17th at 5:00 pm
 - Artsfest date: August 2nd, 2025
- Adjourn: Motion to adjourn Anna 1st, Melissa 2nd
 - Adjourned