



**MINUTES**  
**KEIZER PUBLIC ARTS COMMISSION**  
**Tuesday, June 2, 2026**  
**Robert L. Simon Council Chambers**  
**930 Chemawa Road NE**  
**Keizer, Oregon**

**1. Call to Order**

Chair Deborah Sisco called to order at 6:02 p.m. Roll call was noted as follows:

**Present:**

Deborah Sisco, Chair  
Claire Juran, Vice Chair  
Kim Steen  
Mario Salazar  
Stacy Madsen  
Lore Christopher, Council Liaison

**Absent:**

Cassidy Kerner, Youth Liaison  
Jim Merrill  
Becka Bonner

**Staff Present:**

Adam Brown, City Manager  
Dawn Wilson, Deputy City Recorder

**2. Approval of Minutes**

**a. May 2026**

Kim Steen had a correction where she wanted a sculpture instead of a mural at the Union Gospel Mission of Salem Simonka Place.

Kim Steen moved for approval of the May 2026 Minutes as corrected. Claire Juran seconded. Motion passed as follows: Steen, Sisco, Juran, Salazar, and Madsen in favor and Merrill and Bonner absent.

**3. Appearance of Interested Persons**

Patricia Young, Salem, presented a concept design for a postcard-style mural at the Los Dos Hermanos. The artwork was handed out to each of the Members.

Ms. Young noted that the artwork was a rendition based upon the AI images that Councilor Christopher sent her.

Discussion ensued on compression, color contrast, the location on the building wall, and movement of the design to reflect the postcard by being more of a rectangle. It was noted that the dimensions were 10 feet by 12 feet. Ms. Young felt that she could complete the mural by the end of June.

Claire Juran moved to approve the mural artwork. Seconded by Stacy

Madsen. Motion passed as follows: Steen, Sisco, Juran, Salazar, and Madsen in favor and Merrill and Bonner absent.

**4. Gallery Display Schedule**

- a. **2026 to 2027 Exhibit Schedule** The 2026 and 2027 exhibit schedule was reviewed.

- 5. Grant Efforts** There were no grant efforts.

**6. Review of Arts Commission Budget**

- a. **Remaining Budget: \$2,451.56 - see page 9 of packet** The budget was reviewed, and pending projects were discussed.  
It was requested that City Manager Adam Brown look into another solution for the re-sealing of artwork.

Councilor Christopher noted that she would ask for a fifty percent discount for Enrique Sepulveda artwork for the utility box wrap because there were wrinkles in the original wrap.

Kim Steen shared that she looked at all of the statues and found several issues with the plaques and some graffiti on one of the statues. Precious Memories and Rejoice was missing its signage. Iron Glory needed a new plaque. The diamond needs a frame. Councilor Christopher thought that G & S Machine made the signs.

It was noted that \$400 was needed for sculpture sign maintenance. Claire Juran would ask about having a frame donated. It was suggested that the members inspect and inventory the outdoor artwork annually to determine any necessary maintenance.

Kim Steen moved to have a reminder for an annual inspection and inventory of the sculptures on the March Agendas. Seconded by Claire Juran. Motion passed as follows: Steen, Sisco, Juran, Salazar, and Madsen in favor and Merrill and Bonner absent.

It was requested to add \$2,000 to the budget for the Street Art Program because the McNary High School students were working on this. It was noted that Chair Sisco asked the Council about extending KPAC's budget for pending programs, and the Council was fine with this.

The anticipated budget should have \$630 added to Deborah Sisco's wrap, even though the wrap was being donated because KPAC would initially pay for it and then the City would invoice the sponsor.

The net was anticipated to be \$3,348. After paying for additional utility box wraps, KPAC would have approximately \$500 remaining.

It was requested that the potential purchase of artwork be added to the July Agenda.

## 7. New/Old Business

### a. Relocating Artwork on River Road, Chemawa, and Lockhaven ~ each member to bring one art location

The members discussed various locations for artwork.

#### List of locations identified:

Cascade Plaza on South River Road  
Bi-Mart side yard  
Bi-Mart Retaining Wall  
Willamette Valley Bank side yard on Claggett Street and River Road  
Union Gospel Mission of Salem - Simonka Place  
Eagles retaining wall  
Crossroads Fellowship on Cummings and River Road  
Keizer Boardwalk Circle  
CanStaff building on River Road  
St. Edward Church

### b. New Policy for Committees, Boards, and Commissions to Apply for Grants

This item wasn't discussed.

### c. Utility Box Wrap Submissions

The utility box wrap submissions were reviewed.

It was requested that all of the artists resubmit their artwork in landscape format. It was requested that the aspect ratio template be added to the application.

It was suggested that the artist share how they envision to have their art displayed. Stacy Madsen offered to provide guidelines for the utility box wrap submission.

The members really liked **Michelle Isaksen's** artwork and wanted it to be used for a utility box wrap or wraps. Stacy Madsen would work with Ms. Isaksen on the design concept and aspect ratio.

Kim Steen moved to accept all eight concept art with the condition that Stacy Madsen would work with the artist to determine how best the art would apply to a utility box. Stacy Madsen seconded. Motion passed as follows: Steen, Sisco, Juran, Salazar, and Madsen in favor and Merrill and Bonner absent.

### d. Consideration of Artwork to

This item was tabled to July.

## **Purchase**

### **8. Member Reporting to Council ~ Mario Salazar on July 6th at 6pm**

It was noted that Mario Salazar would report to Council on July 6th.

### **9. Adjourn**

Meeting adjourned at: 7:34 p.m.

Minutes approved: \_\_\_\_\_