OFFICIAL MEETING NOTICE
TOWN OF SANDWICH

Sandwich Cultural Council

Meeting Location: Virtual Zoom Meeting
Meeting Date: February 25, 2021
Meeting Time: 6:00 PM

Minutes

Attendees: Peter Fondulas, Amy Neill, Anne Sayer, Melinda Gallant, June Bowser-Barrett, Beth Lind, and Julia Blakely. Not present: Christa Danilowicz

Meeting called to order 6:07 PM

New Business
*Welcome to new council member Beth Lind.
*Approved the minutes of January 21st meeting. Vote: unanimous
*Peter Fondulas provided an update on the 2020 grantees whose programs were not completed. Four of the grantees will be going forward with their programs in 2021.
*Review of available funds for grants. Since some of the 2020 grants were not completed, an additional $1,978 is available to award in 2021. Moved to award to each approved applicant the full amount they requested. Vote: unanimous. In addition, Peter Fondulas will query the Recreation Department’s after school art project and the Friends of the Sandwich Glasstown Cultural District’s art project to see if they could accept additional funds. Proposed additional $450 for the Recreation request and $1500 for the Friends of the Sandwich Glasstown Cultural District. Voted unanimously to take $43 from the administration budget to cover a small shortfall in funding the former. If the additional funding is acceptable, no further action is need by the Sandwich Cultural Council.

Old Business
*Update on the public art initiative. Amy Neill reported that there has been no communication from the Recreation Department concerning a public art installation at the skateboard park. After several attempts at contact proved unsuccessful, the Sandwich Cultural Council has decided not to pursue the project.
*Peter Fondulas reminded attendees of the ethics requirement due in April.

Other
*Peter Fondulas and Amy Neill urged council members to keep in mind projects the SCC may want to support for the 15% of the grant money set aside for public art. A possible project site could be the new senior center.

Meeting Adjourned:  7:24 pm
Signed: June Bowser-Barrett
Name (print): June Bowser-Barrett, secretary
Date: February 26, 2021

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