



CITY OF FISHERS AGENDA

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BOARD/COMMISSION: Fishers Arts and Culture Commission Meeting

DATE: 9/12/2023, at 6:00 PM

DIRECTIONS: Fishers Pavilion Conference Room, 10 Municipal Drive, Fishers, Indiana 46038

- 1. Call to Order & Pledge of Allegiance**
- 2. Roll Call**
- 3. Ice Breaker**
- 4. Consent Agenda**
 - a. Approval of Previous Minutes (May 2023)
 - b. September 2023 Financial Report
- 5. New Business**
 - a. Fishers Parks Update
 - b. Community and Public Relations Update
 - c. Planning & Zoning Update
 - d. FACC 2023 Business Matching Grant, Cycle

- Whistle Drive Project – Document – Voting Item

e. FACC 2024 Grant Program

- Program One Sheet – Document – Voting Item

f. Creative Council Update

6. Community Comment

a. Nickel Plate Arts

b. Fishers Arts Council

Save the Dates: Second Fridays, FAC Gallery at the HUB, 11810 Technology Drive Fishers, IN1.

1. Second Friday: Celebrating the Bicentennial – Friday, October 13, 6 – 8 PM
2. Second Friday: Watercolor Society of Indiana – Friday, November 10, 6 - 8 PM
3. Second Friday: Emerging Artists – Friday, December 8, 6 – 8 PM

7. Announcements

8. Adjournment



The May 9, 2023 meeting of the Fishers Arts & Culture Commission was convened at 6:00 p.m. by Katie Haigh.

In attendance: Cecilia Coble, Katie Haigh, Ross Hilleary, Jocelyn Vare, and two new members, Angie Frazier and Drew Braley. Marisol Sanchez was absent. Also in attendance, Tracy Gaynor, Kay Prange, Ryan Shelton, Samantha Wisecup, Laura Villanyi, Les Reinhardt. The two new members were introduced.

Drew Braley is Principal & Landscape Architect Studio Director with Browning Day. Angie Frazier is Business Development Director with American Structurepoint.

Katie noted that a new Vice-Chair needed to be elected. Cecilia nominated Jocelyn Vare, seconded by all. The Nomination was approved, 5-0.

Consent Agenda:

Jocelyn Vare made a Motion to approve the Consent Agenda, seconded by Cecilia Coble. The Consent Agenda was approved by a vote of 5-0.

New Business:

Community and Public Relations updates- Samantha Wisecup recapped PR initiatives and discussed the Live Wall, Event Center, City Hall building progress, Farmers Market, Spark! Fishers, the Geist ½ Marathon, Geist Water Park, Summer Concert Series.

Planning & Zoning Update –

a. Ross Hilleary discussed the Professional Services Agreement for the next 6 months with the Fishers Arts Council who will oversee the Creative Council.

Katie asked for a Motion. Angie made a Motion to approve the PSA, seconded by Drew. The Motion was approved, 5-0. Jocelyn thanked Aili and Ryan for their management of the Creative Council.

Laura Villanyi spoke about bringing awareness of arts programs in Fishers.

b. Ross also presented the 2023 Maintenance Assessment, not to exceed \$2000.00.

Katie asked for a Motion. Drew made a Motion to approve, seconded by Cecilia. The Motion was approved, 5-0.

c. Ross also presented the 2023 Matching Grant update. The Alderman Auto project is active. Berkley Grove will reapply to close the gap to the trail. No vote is needed.

Community Comment:

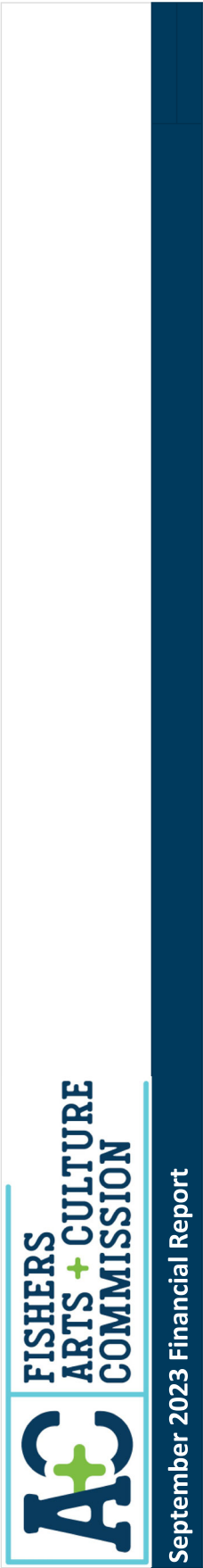
Nickel Plate Arts- exhibits at 4 Day Ray and Meyer Najem.

Fishers Arts Council- challenge to come to events! The Mental Health event, the Forgiving Sea was discussed. QR codes will be put on Public Art in Fishers which will give artist information and information about the piece. Juneteenth will be held at Conner Prairie.

Jocelyn is going to Fishers Music Works at Hub & Spoke tonight. Drew noted that Browning Day is working with public feedback about Geist Park.

Next Meeting: July 11, 2023, at 6:00 PM **at Pavilion Conference Room.**

Adjournment- As there was no other business, the meeting was adjourned at 6:40 PM.



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Preliminary Sculpture Sketches

8/3/2023

SCULPTURE SHOULD PROVIDE...

SEATING

SHADE

LIGHT

SCULPTURE SHOULD FEEL...

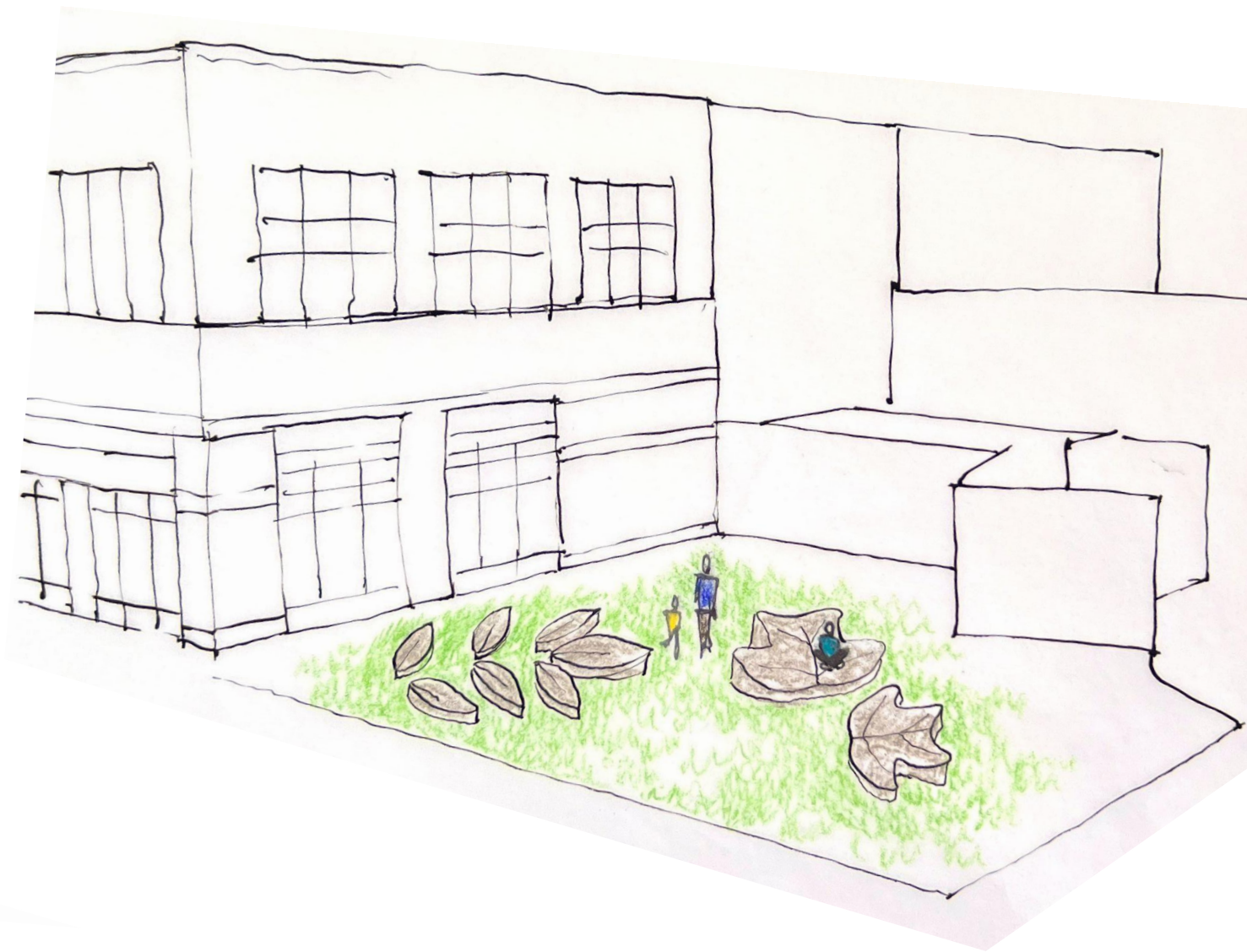
Inviting, vibrant, familiar to Fishers, a little bit whimsical

Encouraging of quiet interaction

Fishers wants sculptures that are: “family-oriented, playful, fresh, inclusive, engaging”

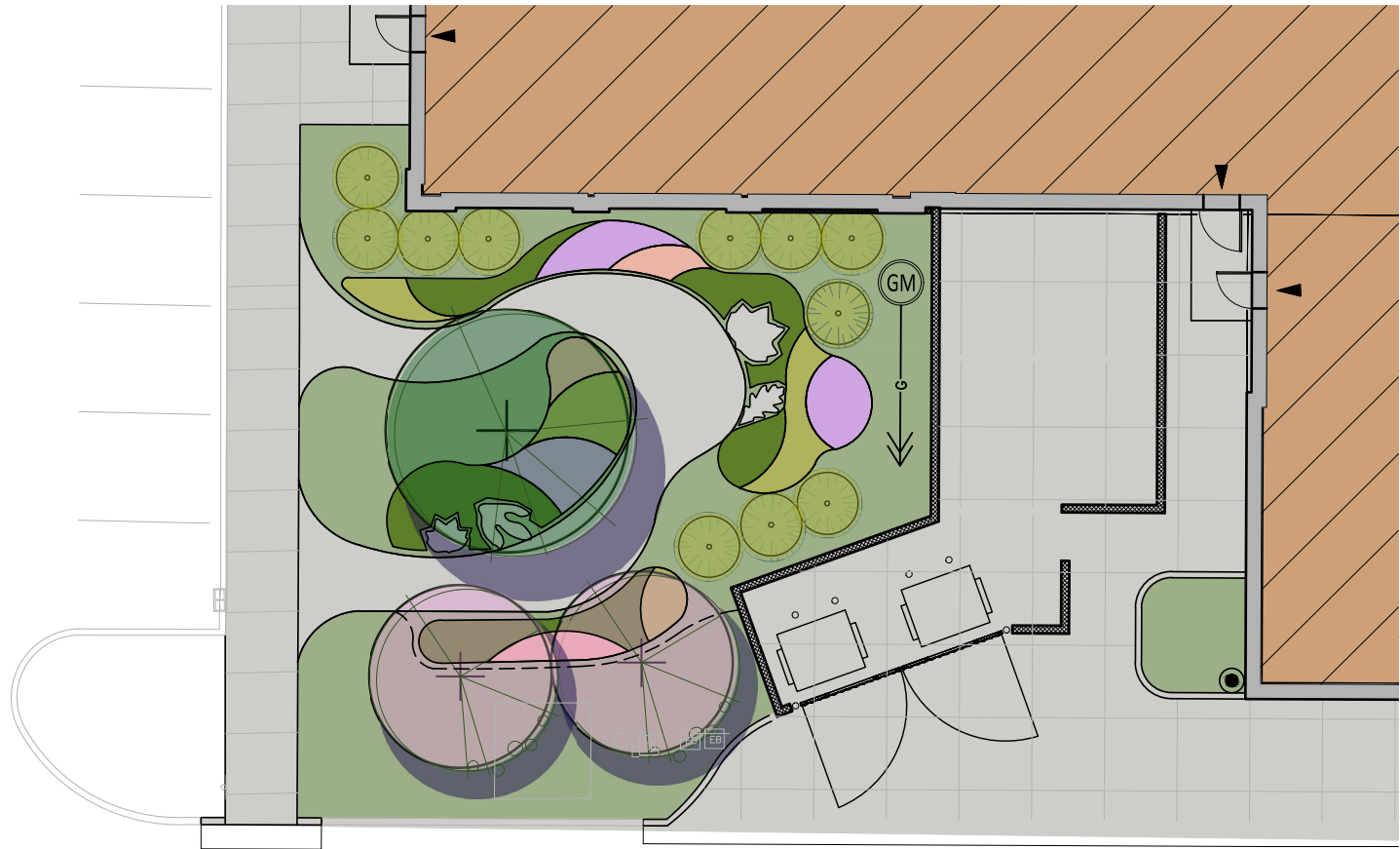
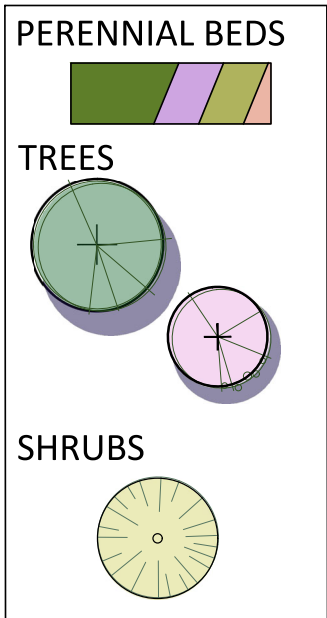
PROPOSAL 1: LEAF SEATS









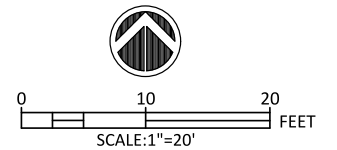


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WHISTLE DRIVE DEVELOPMENT ART EXHIBIT

8-28-2023



FISHERS ARTS + CULTURE COMMISSION GRANT

The purpose of this grant is to foster creative partnerships within the Fishers arts community by providing funds for a wide variety of arts and cultural related activities within the City.



WHO CAN APPLY?

Artists, Creative Companies,
Non-Profits and For-Profit
Businesses that are in or do work
within City Boundaries.

GRANT SNAPSHOT

- 2024 is the fourth year of the grant program
- Grants will range up to \$7,500
- No Match is required
- Projects can be exhibits, events, programs, displays, or other artistic or cultural expressions.
- Projects must be accomplished by the end of 2024
- Projects must take place within City Boundaries

Since 2021 the Arts Commission has distributed over \$142,000 in funds to 37 projects or organizations. For 2024, the Commission is proud to announce its fourth grant program aimed at continuing to foster creative partnerships within the Fishers arts community.

The Commission is seeking a diverse grant application group that will highlight the contributions to our innovative and vibrant community. People and organizations are especially encouraged to submit that are from a diverse racial / ethnic background, underserved populations, and/or are persons with disabilities, so that the Commission can fully represent our community's cultural diversity.

Projects can be exhibits, events, programs, displays, or other artistic or cultural expressions and should relate to two or more of the Commission's core values: Inclusive, Authentic, Engaging, Collaborative, Innovative, and Educational.



The En Pointe Indiana Ballet hosted a public mixed rep showcase.



Fishers Arts Council hosts monthly art receptions at The Hub at HCCF.

GRANT OVERVIEW

Applications are open from October 2, 2023 to December 15, 2023. Late or incomplete applications will not be considered. Apply through ViewPoint Cloud at www.thisisfishers.com/arts-culture/grants/.

1. Grants will range from \$1,000 to \$7,500.
2. Grant funds will be issued in full upon execution of a Memorandum of Understanding with the City of Fishers on behalf of the Commission via DocuSign® electronic signing.
3. If awarded, applicants will coordinate with Fishers Public & Community Relations Department to provide project information for Featured Arts & Culture Stories and Event information for the community calendar on www.thisisfishers.com.
4. If awarded, applicants will submit a Final Report to the Commission by January 2025.



The Fishers Arts & Culture Commission's core values are: Inclusive, Authentic, Engaging, Collaborative, Innovative, and Educational.

FINAL REPORT

Awarded projects will submit a report of its completed project to the Commission by January 2025. A report of the project will include:

1. Completed project overview:
 - Brief description of the project.
 - Where the project occurred.
 - The number of participants or those in attendance (in-person or virtual).
 - The number of artists and creatives impacted.
 - A statement about the overall impact of how your project relates back to the Commission's Core Values.
2. Final project budget.
3. Provide one (1) piece of marketing material including funding acknowledgment (Commission digital toolkit will be provided upon grant award).
4. Up to five (5) photos of the project so that the Commission can share its success with the Indiana Arts Commission and the greater community.



315vn Dance Academy's break dancing battle.



Art, Kulture & Appetizers Event at Hub & Spoke.



A student makes art with Sewful Cheryl.

Application & Award Process

Grant Applications Open: October 2, 2023, at 8:30 AM EST

Grant Applications Close: December 15, 2023, at 11:59 PM EST

Grants Winners Announced: Week of January 8, 2024, via email followed by a press release.

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