



Town of Clayton
Public Art Advisory Board Minutes
Wednesday, January 22, 2025 at 5:00 PM
This Meeting Was Held Remotely

Board Members Present:

Dane Martin, Board Chair
Roy White
Tammy Murray
Kelly Miller
Kristin Ryan
Tamara Smallwood
Joanne Thomas
Jess Stambaugh
Nancy Crowder
Aaron Clinard
Lisa Richmond

Staff Present:

Heidi Holland, Town Clerk
Tim Robbins, Public Works Director

Board Members Absent:

Adriana Ameigh
Kathleen Nobles

1 CALL TO ORDER

- a) Due to inclement weather, this meeting was held remotely. Chair Martin called the meeting to order at 5:03 p.m.

2 ADJUSTMENT OF THE AGENDA

- a) There was an adjustment of the agenda to move item 5a. 2025-2026 Sculpture Trail Selections to after 3a. Introduction of New Members.

Motion To Adjust Agenda

RESULT:	CARRIED 11-0
MOVER:	Tamara Smallwood
SECONDER:	Kristin Ryan
YES:	Roy White, Dane Martin, Tammy Murray, Kelly Miller, Kristin Ryan, Tamara Smallwood, Joanne Thomas, Jess Stambaugh, Nancy Crowder, Aaron Clinard, and Lisa Richmond
NO:	None
ABSENT:	Adriana Ameigh and Kathleen Nobles

3 APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- a) Minutes
- November 19, 2024

Adoption of Minutes

RESULT:	CARRIED 11-0
MOVER:	Tammy Murray
SECONDER:	Kristin Ryan
YES:	Roy White, Dane Martin, Tammy Murray, Kelly Miller, Kristin Ryan, Tamara Smallwood, Joanne Thomas, Jess Stambaugh, Nancy Crowder, Aaron Clinard, and Lisa Richmond
NO:	None
ABSENT:	Adriana Ameigh and Kathleen Nobles

4 INTRODUCTION OF NEW MEMBERS

- a) Introduction of New Board Members
- Roy White
 - Kelly Miller
 - Adriana Ameigh
 - Aaron Clinard
 - Lisa Richmond

Presenter: Dane Martin

New members introduced themselves to the board.

5 NEW BUSINESS

- a) 2025-2026 Sculpture Trail Selections
- Presenter:* Dane Martin and Heidi Holland

Tim Robbins, Public Works Director joined the meeting to discuss new procedures for the Sculpture Trail this year which included safety precautions all involved would follow, time restrictions in Horne Square during lunch, and Public Works staff to work with an Engineering firm to decide sculpture locations.

Ms. Holland stated Art Consultant Jim Davis emailed her the art sculpture entries, 61 entries were received. She stated the Sculpture Trail Selection Committee was scheduled to meet today at 2:00 p.m. at Town Hall but due to the inclement weather, the meeting was cancelled. She reached out to all members of the committee and asked them to email her their top 25 selections. The selection committee included: Corie Miller, Parks and Rec. Advisory Board Member; Dee Johnson-Phillips, Clayton Citizen; David Millican, DDA Board; Ruth Anderson, Council Member; Dana Wooten, President of Chamber of Commerce; Sarah Brooks, The Woman's Club; Grace Davis, Library Staff

Member; Steven Langston, Cultural Arts Director; Michelle Snyder, Executive Assistant; and Michael Strauss, The Design Haus.

Shared was the PowerPoint showcasing all the submitted entries. As each sculpture was displayed, the number of votes it received—if any—from the Sculpture Trail Committee was noted for consideration. The board narrowed the selections to their top 25, which would be submitted to the Public Works Director to coordinate with the engineering firm on potential locations. The final selection will be reduced to 12 sculptures.

The board selected these sculptures:

- A2 Open Hand
- A3 Everlasting Arms
- A7 Ethereal Trinity
- A11 Big Al
- A14 Novel Idea
- A16 Allegro
- A20 Troy
- A23 Alpha and Omega
- A4 Dancing Milkweed
- A5 Constellations
- A15 Firehouse
- B1 Oh Deer
- B4 Round Up
- B11 Filed Away
- B12 Reflection
- B14 Along the Water's Edge
- B15 Efflorescence
- B17 Hocus Pocus
- B18 One Spring Day
- B24 Outer Reach
- B32 Comet In Orbit
- B35 Dragonflower
- B21 Dendrite
- B30 Unicorn
- B3 Everlasting Arms

Ms. Holland stated deinstallation for the current sculptures is scheduled for March 13 and 14th and installation for the new sculptures is scheduled for March 21st. She stated once she receives final locations and sculptures, she would notify all board members.

Motion to Move Forward with Noted Sculptures

RESULT:	CARRIED 11-0
MOVER:	Jess Stambaugh
SECONDER:	Kristin Ryan
YES:	Roy White, Dane Martin, Tammy Murray, Kelly Miller, Kristin Ryan, Tamara Smallwood, Joanne Thomas, Jess Stambaugh, Nancy Crowder, Aaron Clinard, and Lisa Richmond
NO:	None
ABSENT:	Adriana Ameigh and Kathleen Nobles

6 OLD BUSINESS

- a) Little Free Library Update
Presenter: Heidi Holland

Ms. Holland shared that she had been working to coordinate with a Clayton Area Ministries staff member to schedule a date for Joe Slaton to install the Little Free Library. Although Mr. Slaton had recently resigned from the board, he has committed to completing this project. Once a date is confirmed, she would notify all members so they could participate. She also plans to have the Communications Department on-site to document the event and share it on the Town's social media platforms.

- b) Flower Knit Project
Presenter: Tamara Smallwood

Ms. Smallwood provided an update on the project, leading to a discussion on whether to proceed or postpone it until next year. The consensus was to move forward. She requested that the Communications Department post on social media to introduce the project, encourage donations, and collect knitted pieces. Ms. Holland agreed to coordinate with them to share the information with the community.

- c) Mural Application Update
Presenter: Heidi Holland

No discussion on this item tonight.

7 ADJOURNMENT

- a) Adjourn

With nothing further, the meeting was adjourned at 6:49 p.m.

Motion To Adjourn

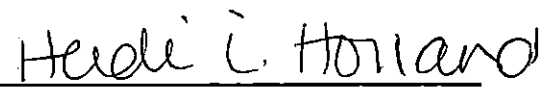
RESULT:	CARRIED 11-0
MOVER:	Dane Martin
SECONDER:	Kristin Ryan

YES:	Roy White, Dane Martin, Tammy Murray, Kelly Miller, Kristin Ryan, Tamara Smallwood, Joanne Thomas, Jess Stambaugh, Nancy Crowder, Aaron Clinard, and Lisa Richmond
NO:	None
ABSENT:	Adriana Ameigh and Kathleen Nobles

Duly adopted this 18th day of February 2025.


Dane Martin
Chair

ATTEST:


Heidi L. Holland, CMC, NCCMC
Town Clerk

