

MINUTES OF DIMONDALE ARTS COMMISSION
REGULAR MEETING
136 N. Bridge Street, Dimondale, MI 48821
August 23, 2023
Denis S. Prisk Jr., Clerk

7:01 p.m. Regular meeting called to order.

Roll call Present: Hadlock, Gnass, Thornton, Pohl, Novasel
Absent: Wilber

Also present: Denis Prisk, Village Manager

Approval of Agenda

Motion by Pohl, second Gnass to approve the agenda. Motion carried.

Public Session

None

Business Session

1. Motion by Hadlock, second Gnass to approve the minutes from the July 18th meeting.
Motion passed.
2. Motion by Thornton, second Hadlock to table all unfinished business items for 90 Days.
Motion passed.
3. Gnass addressed the vacancy and asked if any Community Volunteer Forms had been received. Prisk briefed that none were. Discussion occurred on recruiting and sharing the Village's Facebook Post and other approaches to fill vacancy.
4. Prisk reported that the Storyteller Special Event was approved at the August 14th Village Council Meeting. Discussion occurred regarding planning and approaches to advertise. Hadlock will be the contact on site that day.
5. Gnass briefed that the Island Jam 2023 would be sponsored by the Family Dental Care of Dimondale with a donation of \$250 and by Traction. A Moneyball Fundraiser was supported by members of the Arts Commission with an expected minimum amount of \$550 earned that will be used for this event. Hadlock went over the list of Vendors; Gnass spoke on the poster Traction was providing, and Novasel asked about lighting.
6. Gnass noted that the Bridge Between Banks landscaping was done. Prisk briefed that a thank you letter would be sent by the Village.
7. Gnass again discussed a community mural project that was introduced in July. Discussion occurred on where to place the "paint by numbers" mural where community members could participate. Research on a paint by number template will occur and he asked that a budget amount be determined at the September meeting, with possible release of RFQ in November and planned painting day to be scheduled for April/May 2024 with councils' approval. Pohl asked for information on the desired size from Village Council, Prisk will research the information.

Recommendations: NONE.

With no additional business, Gnass adjourned the meeting at 8:05 p.m.

