



AGENDA

Raymore Arts Commission Regular Meeting
City Hall – 100 Municipal Circle
Tuesday, June 10, 2025
6:00 PM

- 1. Call to Order**
- 2. Roll Call**
- 3. Pledge of Allegiance**
- 4. Public Comment**
- 5. Presentations / Awards**
- 6. Committee Updates**
 - Public Art Committee - sculpture install/updates
 - Working Group - Station Stop Art Party
- 7. Staff Report**
 - A. Budget update
 - B. Upcoming events
- 8. Consent Agenda**
 - A. Approval of Minutes from the April 8, 2025 Meeting
- 9. New Business**
- 10. Commission Member Comment**
- 11. Adjournment**

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THE RAYMORE **ARTS COMMISSION** MET IN REGULAR SESSION **TUESDAY, APRIL 08, 2025**, AT RAYMORE CITY HALL, 100 MUNICIPAL CIRCLE. COMMISSIONERS PRESENT WERE: BOB BERRY, CHERYL CUNNINGHAM, GARY GRAVES, PAT SETSER, COLE YOUNG. ABSENT: JESSICA BERRY.

Call to Order Commission Chair Bob Berry called the meeting to order at 6:05 p.m.

1. **Roll Call** - Communications Director Melissa Harmer called roll and a quorum was present.

2. **Pledge of Allegiance**

3. **Public Comments**

4. **Presentations**

5. **Committee Updates**

6. **Staff Reports**

- a. Communications Director Melissa Harmer updated the commission on the Missouri Arts Council Express Touring Grant for the Power of Perspectives Art Competition awards reception and shared a timeline of activities for the event. Harmer met with members of the Missouri Arts Council in Hannibal at a one day conference on April 7, and shared notes from the conference.

7. **Consent agenda**

- a. Commissioner Setser motioned to approve the minutes from the Feb. 11, 2025 meeting. Commissioner Graves seconded the motion. The item was approved 5-0.
- b. Commissioner Setser approved an updated version of the March 11, 2025 minutes (amended for correction on Item B approvals). Commissioner Young seconded the motion. The item was approved 5-0.

8. **New Business**

Sounds of South Kansas City Community Band Sponsorship

This item seeks Commission approval to continue the annual sponsorship of the 50+ piece Sounds of South Kansas City Community Band in the amount of \$750. The band plays two concerts each summer in Raymore. The sponsorship assists with the purchase of music and supplies.

Commissioner Young motioned to approve the item. Commissioner Setser seconded the motion. The item was approved 5-0.

9. **Commissioner Comments**

Commissioner Cunningham suggested a potential judge for the art competition. Commissioner Graves had no comment. Commissioner Setser thanked staff for the work on events. Commissioner Young said it was exciting to see things coming along and it was the Arts Commission's time to shine. Harmer was reminded to share information

about the charcoal drawing event on April 12 in partnership with the new Laney's Gallery in Raymore. Commissioner Bob Berry thanked staff for work and travel to Hannibal and reminded commissioners about the sign up sheet to help with the Power of Perspectives event.

10. Adjournment

- a. Commissioner Cunningham moved to adjourn the meeting at 6:21 p.m. and Commissioner Young seconded to adjourn the meeting. The motion was approved 5-0.

Submitted by:

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Melisse Harmer". The signature is written in dark ink on a white background.