



**The City of El Paso Public Arts Committee (PAC)
Tuesday, January 27, 2009, 3:30 PM
City Hall 1st Floor Conference Room**

Minutes

1. Meeting called to order at 3:35 p.m.
2. **Roll Call. Members Present:** Katherine Brennand, Amy Parker, Kate Bonansinga, Ken Gorski, Anna Pilhoefer, Michael Nash, Martina Lorey and Elizabeth Thurmond-Bengtson. **Members Absent:** Floyd Johnson. **Others Present:** Sean McGlynn, MCAD Director; Patricia Dalbin, Public Art Program Coordinator; Marisol Lopez, Public Art Program Specialist; and Trenda Rocha, Senior Office Assistant.
3. **Public Comment.** None.
4. **Approval of Minutes.** Ken Gorski moved to approve the minutes for December 9, 2008, as stated; Michael Nash seconded; all members voted in favor, none opposed, and motion passes unanimously.
5. **Recommendation of Artist for the Oregon Street Project.** Pat Dalbin reported that there was an Artist Selection Panel for this project and that Ken Gorski was on the panel. Ken Gorski gave background on the Artist Selection Panel. The artist that was picked was Miguel Echevarria. Kate Bonansinga moved to approve and recommend commission for the artist that was picked; Ken Gorski seconded; all members voted in favor, none opposed, and motion passes unanimously.
6. **Artist Selected for Downtown Terminal.** Pat Dalbin reported that there was an Artist Selection Panel for this project and that Ken Gorski was on the panel. Ken Gorski gave some background on the Artist Selection Panel. The artist that was picked was Cynthia Patterson and Hank Saxe.
7. **New/Old Business.**
 - Special Meeting for the PAC to revisit the ordinance and guidelines for Artist Selection Panel.
 - Pat Dalbin met with Mr. Torres in Economic Development Services Department to go over the dark sky ordinance.
 - Ray Parish will be completed with the project in the next two weeks and the whole project will be completed in six to eight weeks.
 - Crime Victims project will be completed in six to eight weeks.
 - Cleveland Square Project proposals are now on display at the Museum of Art. It will be coming down January 31, 2009. There will be an Artist Selection Panel and they will be meeting February 2, 2009 at the Museum of Art 8:30am - 1pm.
8. **Adjournment.** Meeting adjourned at 4:30 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,
Trenda Rocha, Senior Office Assistant

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