

ARTS ADVISORY GROUP

Wednesday 24 August 2022
5:30pm – 6:30pm

Venue: Committee Room
City of Vincent
Administration and Civic Centre
244 Vincent Street Leederville

Attendees:

City of Vincent Councillors

Cr Suzanne Worner (Chairperson) (SW)
Cr Alex Castle (AC)

Community Representatives

Claudia Alessi (CA)
Paula Hart (PH)
Marisa Santosa (MS)

City of Vincent Officers

Tara Gloster, Manager Policy & Place (TG)
Lauren Formentin, Place Planner – Pickle District (Arts) (LF)

Apologies

Carolyn Karnovsky (CK)
Sue-Lyn Moyle (SM)
Jo Malone (JM)

1. Welcome/Declaration of Opening – Acknowledgement to Country (SW)

5:45pm SW opened meeting

2. Apologies

Carolyn Karnovsky, Jo Malone, Sue-Lyn Moyle

3. Previous Minutes

SW accepted the minutes.

4. Business

4.1 Hyde Park Meeting Place Kiosk Mural Proposal (LF)

10 mins

Original application proposed mural to be located on roller door. RAPWG feedback was that whilst there is no issue with the proposed artist or artwork design, roller door location not supported as it won't be visible during kiosk's opening hours and an alternative location on the exterior of the building is desired.

Administration to suggest applicant consider applying mural artwork to northern or southern façade of the building. Northern façade would be more directly linked to the business, whilst southern wall faces the playground area. AAG members agreed to put these two options to the applicant, pending approval from RAPWG and Bridya Elders Group.

4.2 Murals (LF)

10 mins

Newly renovated toilet block at Hyde Park has fresh, clean surface on southern wall which faces the playground and would be a great location for a mural artwork. Noting this is a vandalism hotspot and often reports of unsocial behaviour here after hours, with people feeling unsafe. AAG members agreed to make this location available to the Meeting Place Kiosk (item above) for their mural artwork first, and if they do not go ahead with this location then the City will look at initiating a mural project here.

Potential to consider refresh or replacement of Bruno Booth mural at the western end of Leederville Arcade, near Tsuke Ba. Some local businesses brought it to the Leederville Place Planner's attention as the mural is looking tired and there is often unsocial behaviour after hours or homeless people sleeping on the platform. Mural was initially commissioned by City of Vincent in 2016 and a section has since been substantially damaged by paste up posters. AAG members discussed that because this is private property and there are future plans for revitalisation of the area, it is not advisable to put much resourcing towards it. Decision to encourage immediate businesses to consider pooling funds if they agree on a way forward, with potential to apply for co-funding contribution from the City if required.

4.3 Percent for art application – 40 Frame Court, Leederville (LF) 30 mins

In October 2021 Council approved a portion of the percent for art contribution for this development to be expended on the curation and management of an art gallery or cultural production space – details of which will be heavily reliant on guidance from the Arts Advisory Group. The Development Application has now been lodged which includes building plans and a preliminary management plan for the space(s).

AAG members decided that because this is a complex matter and the first of its kind (percent for art contribution going towards arts infrastructure), more time and discussion is required so a special meeting will be scheduled to workshop the proposal.

4.4 AAG Membership – nominations open (LF) 5 mins

Nominations now open, LF to send email to members that they can forward to friends/acquaintances who might be interested. Nominations close Friday 9 September 2022.

5 Close/Next Meeting

Scheduled for 5:30pm Wednesday 2 November 2022