



CITY OF VINCENT

ARTS ADVISORY GROUP

Thursday, 7 June at 6:00pm

**Venue: Committee Room
City of Vincent Administration and Civic Centre**

UNCONFIRMED MINUTES

Attendees:

City of Vincent Councillors

Cr Jimmy Murphy (Chair) (JM)
Cr Joanne Fotakis (JF)

Community Representatives

Mr Simon Venturi (SV) Ms Kaye Guthrie Adonis (KG)
Mr Graham Hay (GH) Ms Laura Warren (LW)
Ms Claire Stokes (CS) Ms Sioux Tempestt (ST)

City of Vincent Officers

Rosslind Ellis – Manager Marketing and Communications (RE)
Gemma Carter—Marketing Officer (GC)
Tegan Patrucco – Arts and Activation Officer (TP)

1. Welcome / Declaration of Opening – Acknowledgement of Country

Cr Murphy opened the meeting at 6.01pm and acknowledged the traditional owners of the land on which the meeting was held.

2. Apologies

Dr Sandy Toussaint
Ms Julie Rosario
Ms Jessica Darlow
Michael Quirk – Director Community Engagement (MQ)

3. Confirmation of Previous Minutes – 3 May 2018

The Minutes from the previous meeting held on 3 May 2018 were confirmed as a true and correct record.

4. Business

4.1 Action Log

The Action Log was noted and reviewed.

- \$10,000 has been allocated to the Janet Holmes à Court gallery and collaboration with the West End Arts Precinct encouraged.
- Leedy Streets Open report to be provided at the next meeting.
- Percent for Art 285 and 289- RE to report next meeting.
- 297 temporary mural – completed.

4.2 Arts Strategy Draft

The Draft Arts Strategy was Tabled for consideration and the following feedback was given:

- Outlined the art strategy 18 month strategy and process (JM)
- Noted the mission statement to the group and the five focus areas (JM)
- Would like to see more international artists to maintain a fresh approach (KG)
- Would like contemporary artists but don't forget traditional arts as well (GH)
- Make sure we leverage and make the most of the character and history of the area- uniquely Vincent (CS)
- Perhaps an international arts festival to attract high quality artists (KG)
- Agrees that international artists are important but need to ensure we cover three levels of artists – professional, emerging and community (SV)
- Wants to use the light boxes to test the theme concept. Professional or emerging artists could work with community (KG)
- Entry statements can unearth stories of the area to make them cool and relevant (CS)
- The entry statements could move into the place making section (ST)
- Create artistic teams (KG)
- It would be useful to show which of three tiers of target market each action is addressing (JM)
- Create a timeline of project in the strategy to show the events. Good to have a regular annual event that is the same time each year to foster recognition (GH)
- The strategy gives us an assessment criteria for our decisions. Being too specific about actions is almost counterproductive. As long as what we do fits under the five themes (SV)
- The Imagine Vincent data will be incorporated into the strategy, to sit under the 'listen and respond' goal (JM)

ACTION: Arts Advisory Group members to provide feedback on the Arts Strategy draft document to TP by 21st June 2018.

5. **Visual Art Projects/Opportunities**

5.1 Percent for Art: Rosewood Facility

TP provided an update on this project. TP has been involved in the shortlisting process for the project artist in collaboration with the new art consultant, Rosewood facility, and the project architects.

5.2 The Good Grocer: Leederville Mural

TP provided an update that this mural is going ahead after the applicant modified the design based on the AAG's feedback.

KG and ST expressed their disagreement with this decision. Discussion was had concerning a review of the mural policy and assessment process.

ACTION: TP to meet with JM, KG and ST to discuss the mural guidelines and application process.

5.3 Noongar Radio: Mural and Uniforms

TP provided an update that Jade Dolman will be painting the Noongar Radio mural in early July. The uniforms will be designed by local artist Kambarni and made by Noongar-owned company Cole Workwear. The design is expected to be completed by the end of June.

5.4 Lightbox Laneway Gallery: NAIDOC and Pride

TP reported that Charmaine Cole's artwork has been installed in the gallery for the NAIDOC artist slot, with a good response on social media. TP reported that CoV will be partnering with Pride WA to showcase a LGBTQI+ artist for the October- December Lightbox Laneway exhibition. A representative from Pride WA will choose the successful artist in collaboration with CoV and the AAG.

Discussion was had concerning the potential to install more Lightbox Laneway galleries in other CoV locations.

6. **Performance Art Projects/Opportunities**

6.1 Perth Symphony Orchestra

TP and RE provided an update that CoV are currently looking into partnering with Perth Symphony Orchestra to hold fun community music events such as a symphony for dogs and a Halloween event. TP and RE will be meeting with PSO in July.

7. **Quick Wins**

7.1 Lightbox Laneway Free Mural

TP reported that a local artist, Hannah Goggs, has offered to do a free mural on the wall immediately beyond the Lightbox Laneway gallery. Hannah runs the Beaufort St Artisan markets and wants to provide her artistic services for free in the interests of improving the area where the markets are. The mural will be completed in July.

KG enquired if funding had been offered to Hannah. TP clarified that she was directed to the co-funded mural application but opted not to do this.

ST expressed her concern about the mural not fitting in with the aesthetic of the area.

7.2 CoV Film Project

TP informed the AAG that they will be invited to the screening of the CoV film project documentaries, which will screen as part of the Revelation Film Festival event 'Get Your Shorts On', on the 11th July at 6.30pm.

ACTION: TP to inform the councillors of the value of the ticket so they can declare it.

8. **Close / Next Meeting**

The meeting closed at 6.58pm. The next meeting is to be held on Thursday, 5 July 2018.

Signed _____
Councillor Jimmy Murphy (Chair)

Date this _____ day of _____ 2018

Summary of Actions	Responsibility	Due Date
Administration to investigate opportunity including the roof of the Mezz and installation at Hyde Street Reserve	RE	1 July 2018
Leedy Streets Open Data to be brought to next meeting and review of competing events in Perth over the Summer	RE	1 June 2018
Summer Concerts Review of Summer Concerts	RE	1 July 2018
285 and 289 Vincent Street Artworks Percent for Art Policy Review	RE	1 Dec 2018
Develop a Public Art Assessment Panel – planners, art officers & professional artists	TP	To be investigated
<i>Arts Advisory Group members to provide feedback on the Arts Strategy draft document to TP</i>	AAG	<i>21 June 2018</i>
<i>TP to meet with JM, KG and ST to discuss the mural guidelines and application process.</i>	<i>TP, JM, KG, ST</i>	<i>7 July 2018</i>
<i>TP to inform the councillors of the value of the ticket so they can declare it</i>	<i>TP</i>	<i>7 July 2018</i>