



*151 Martin St., Birmingham, MI 48009  
248-530-1800*

**PUBLIC ARTS BOARD**  
WEDNESDAY, JULY 19<sup>TH</sup>, 2022  
6:30 PM

### **MEETING AGENDA**

***\*\*\* Board members who are not able to attend this meeting are encouraged to notify the staff representative in advance for consideration of a quorum. \*\*\****

- A. Roll Call
- B. Approval of Minutes – April 19<sup>th</sup>, 2023
- C. Unfinished Business
- D. New Business
  - 1. Lincoln Hills sculpture donation**
  - 2. Daxton Hotel mural app**
- E. Communications
- F. Public Comments
- G. Adjournment

**Upcoming PAB Meeting: August 16<sup>th</sup>, 2023**

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## Public Arts Board Minutes - DRAFT

Public Meeting – April 19<sup>th</sup>, 2023

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### A. Roll Call:

**Members Present:** Jason Eddleston, Andi Harris, Barbara Heller, Monica Neville, Pam Graham, Andrew McMahon (Student Rep), Luca Desanto (Student Rep).

**Members Absent:** Anne Ritchie, Annie VanGelderren

**Administration:** Brooks Cowan, Senior Planner

### B. Approval of Minutes – February 15<sup>th</sup>, 2023

Motion to approve made by Barbara Heller, seconded by Jason Eddleston

**Yeas: 5            Nays: 0**

The motion carried.

### C. Unfinished Business

1. There were no unfinished business agenda items.

### D. New Business

The Public Arts Board discussed a potential mural for the N. Old Woodward parking deck. The space is approximately 200' by 9'. The Board preferred to do a call for entry for up to six artists and do every other concrete panel. Renderings from artists would be requested before final approval. Staff would coordinate with the Parking Administrator and discuss budget and payment of artists and supplies for such a project. The PAB hoped to have the murals painted at the same time as an event before the art fair in September.

The PAB then discussed planning for the piano in the park event. Members discussed which times they would be able to volunteer. The PAB also discussed how to manage to variety of painting abilities and various themes during the painting event.

### E. Communications

1. Staff discussed upcoming sculpture installations and grant opportunities

The meeting adjourned at 7:15 pm



## MEMORANDUM

Planning Division

**DATE:** July 13<sup>th</sup>, 2023

**TO:** Public Arts Board Members

**FROM:** Brooks Cowan, Senior Planner

**SUBJECT:** Lincoln Hills Sculpture Donation

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Local artist and golfer Martin Van Almen has applied to donate a sculpture to the City to honor the staff who kept the golf courses operating during the pandemic. He appreciates how staff provided the opportunity to get outside, socialize and engage in a fun activity. The sculpture is a silhouette of a golfer completing a swing and is dedicated to the workers of the City.

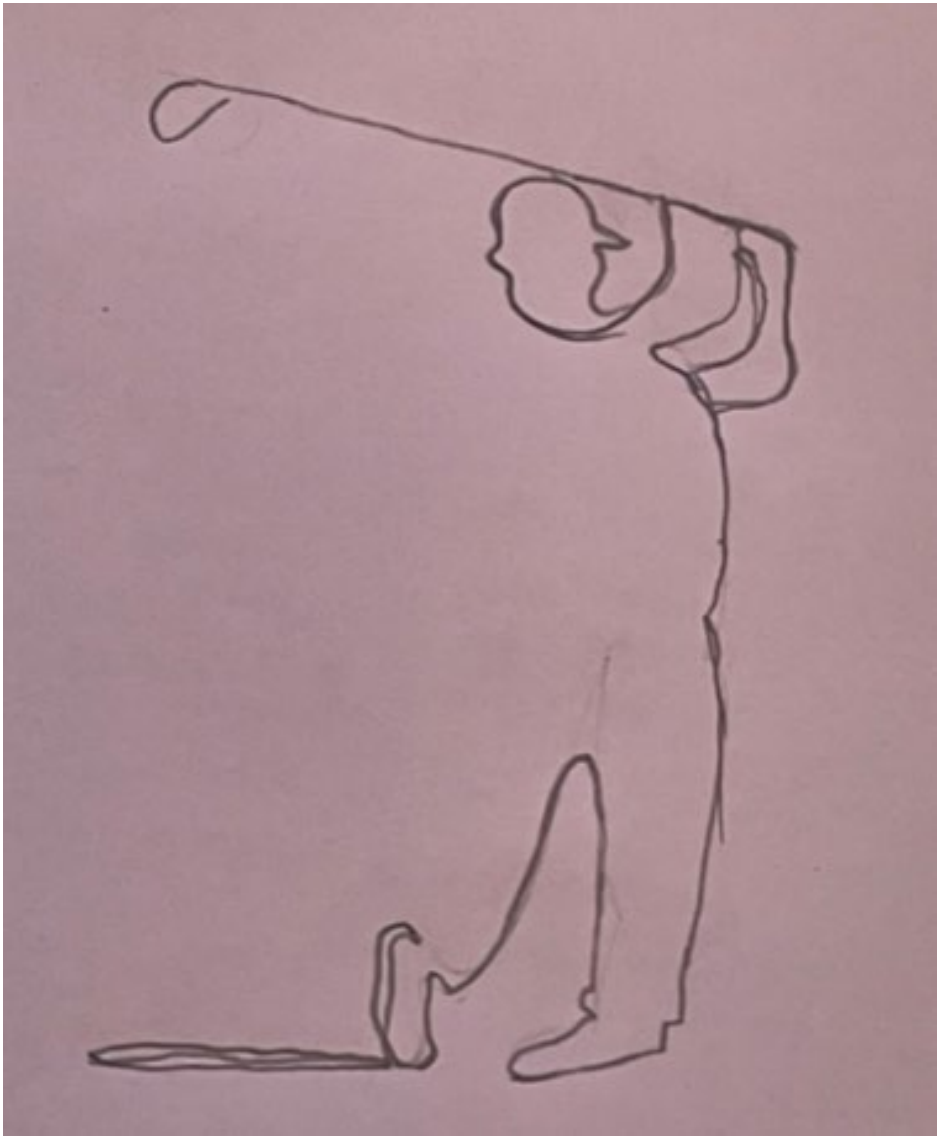
The sculpture will be made of metal with a patina finish. It will be approximately 6 feet in height with a minimalistic design. The sculpture is proposed to be installed with 2-3 ft deep footings and secured on a 2 point stake system. The artist has applied for the sculpture to be placed at Lincoln Hills near the new first tee box and have a plaque dedicating the piece to the City's staff.

The first tee box of Lincoln Hills is still under construction and DPS would prefer to see the finished product before making a final location selection. City staff recommends that the Public Arts Board review the design of the sculpture and make a recommendation for "an area near the first tee box of Lincoln Hills". City staff can then work with the artist and DPS on selecting a location at Lincoln Hills once the work is done for the Parks and Recreation Board and City Commission to review.

**Recommended Action:**

Move to recommend the installation of the golf sculpture by Martin Van Almen to be installed at Lincoln Hills in a location to be determined once construction is completed.

Draft of silhouette golfer sculpture





Cultural Council of Birmingham Bloomfield  
P.O. Box 465 Birmingham, MI. 48012

## APPLICATION FOR ART IN PUBLIC SPACES

\_\_\_\_\_  
APPLICANT NAME

\_\_\_\_\_  
DAYTIME PHONE

\_\_\_\_\_  
EMAIL

\_\_\_\_\_  
DONOR, OWNER, OR AGENT (DEALER)

\_\_\_\_\_  
ARTIST (first and last) or PROJECT NAME

\_\_\_\_\_  
TITLE

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE OF ARTWORK

\_\_\_\_\_  
MEDIUM/TECHNIQUE

\_\_\_\_\_  
PROPOSED

DONATION

LOAN

\_\_\_\_\_  
DESCRIPTION OF ARTWORK  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
HEIGHT

x

\_\_\_\_\_  
WIDTH

x

\_\_\_\_\_  
LENGTH/DEPTH

\_\_\_\_\_  
WEIGHT

\_\_\_\_\_  
OBJECT TYPE(S)/MATERIAL

(i.e., metal, glass, stone, etc.)

\_\_\_\_\_  
DESIGN LOADS

(i.e., wind, and dead loads)

\_\_\_\_\_  
INSCRIPTION/FOUNDRY MARKS

(if multiple, please include edition number)

\_\_\_\_\_  
PRESENT LOCATION OF ARTWORK (where is the work of art?)

\_\_\_\_\_  
CONDITION

\_\_\_\_\_  
MAINTENANCE REQUIRED

(long term care/annual)

\_\_\_\_\_  
VALUE

APPRAISED

OWNER'S STATED VALUE

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FOOTING/FOUNDATION REQUIREMENTS

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NARRATIVE/RATIONALE FOR GIFT/LOAN/TEMPORARY INSTALLATION

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SIGNATURE

DATE

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**\*\*\*Submit application together with prints or digital images of artwork, foundation plans, completed Outdoor Sculpture Agreement (if temporary sculpture), and a vitae or resume of the artist to:**

City of Birmingham  
Attn: City Clerk – c/o Public Arts Board  
151 Martin St.  
P.O. Box 3001  
Birmingham, MI 48012

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PAB Action (Office use only)

Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_

Presented for Public Arts Board discussion: \_\_\_\_\_

Board Action:    Recommended for approval    Not recommended for approval

Insurance:    Provided by CCBB    Provided by City    Other \_\_\_\_\_

Recommendation(s)/Action Taken \_\_\_\_\_

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Routing and dates approved (Office use only):

Y N

Planning \_\_\_\_\_

Engineering \_\_\_\_\_

Public Safety (Police/Fire) \_\_\_\_\_

Parks and Recreation \_\_\_\_\_

Approved by CCBB \_\_\_\_\_

Approved by City Commission \_\_\_\_\_

Y N

Building \_\_\_\_\_

Other \_\_\_\_\_

Other \_\_\_\_\_

Site Location \_\_\_\_\_

(If artwork is to be permanently donated, the City of Birmingham may provide required insurance.  
If artwork is to be on temporary loan, the CCBB may provide required insurance.)



## MEMORANDUM

Planning Division

**DATE:** July 13<sup>th</sup>, 2023

**TO:** Public Arts Board Members

**FROM:** Brooks Cowan, Senior Planner

**SUBJECT:** Daxton Hotel – Mural Application

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The Daxton Hotel has applied for a mural on the north side of their building facing the alley. The artist is James Kaye (Kwiatkowski) from Detroit, Michigan. The mural is proposed to be 6' x 40' in dimension, broken into five panels. The materials and medium will be acrylic painting with steel and aluminum mesh. The installation will be temporary from August to November 2023.

An artist bio and image of the proposal is attached below.

**Recommended Action:**

To recommend approval of the proposed mural on the north side of the Daxton Hotel.





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**(Office use only)**

Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_

Presented for Public Arts Board discussion: \_\_\_\_\_

Board Action:    Recommended for approval    Not recommended for approval

Recommendation(s)/Action Taken \_\_\_\_\_

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**Routing and dates approved (Office use only):**

**Y N**

**Planning** \_\_\_\_\_

**Engineering** \_\_\_\_\_

**Public Safety (Police/Fire)** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parks and Recreation** \_\_\_\_\_

**Approved by CCBB** \_\_\_\_\_

**Approved by City Commission** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Y N**

**Building** \_\_\_\_\_

**Other** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Site location:**

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## MEMORANDUM

Planning Division

**DATE:** July 13<sup>th</sup>, 2023

**TO:** Public Arts Board Members

**FROM:** Brooks Cowan, Senior Planner

**SUBJECT:** Communications

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1. Day on the Town is scheduled for July 29<sup>th</sup>, 2023 with two chalk artists.
2. A mural for the N. Old Woodward will be postponed until more funding can be secured.
3. Piano in the Park received excellent reviews and the piano remains in Shain Park for everyone to play.
4. The Hank Marx sculptures Untitled #1 and Untitled #2 were installed in Martha Baldwin Park in May.
5. Shooting Star by John Henry was installed at S. Old Woodward, Woodward, and Haynes Street on Tuesday July 11<sup>th</sup>, 2023.
6. The basepad for Khyber sculpture was poured at Fairway Park in the beginning of July. Staff is coordinating with DPS on delivery and installation which is projected for August, 2023.
7. Paint was purchased for the "The Counselor" on the N. Old Woodward parking structure and for "X Man Man Ray at Pierce and Brown Street. The sculptures are scheduled for painting late summer/early fall.
8. The City has scheduled a cleaning and rewaxing for Marshall Frederick's "Freedom of the Human Spirit" in Shain Park.
9. The City's Parks and Recreation Master Plan is seeking [public engagement](#)