SEYMOUR CULTURE AND ARTS COMMISSION

MEETING APRIL 21, 2015

7:00 PM SEYMOUR TOWN HALL

Those in Attendance: Judy Simpson, Kim Osgood, Valerie D’Anna, Priscilla Altorelli, Ann Conroy, Linda Bellavance, Mary Barbin

Others: Tori Marsh Crystal Heiden Samantha Tascano Joe Sorge

Meeting called to order at 7:00PM

PUBLIC COMMENT: None

INVITED GUESTS: Discussion regarding weather vane and sculptures was conducted with materials, time lines and approximate costs reviewed. The members of the Committee were impressed with the sculpture presentation for downtown and asked Ms. Marsh and Ms. Heiden to accompany members to Board of Selectman meeting to assist with presentation. Committee is hoping this project gets approved and started to be completed and in place during the up-coming summer season.

Samantha Tascano, art teacher, from Seymour High School was present to discuss the possibility of High School art students painting a mural downtown. Several areas were discussed and the agreed upon location was the wall under Rt 8 at the entrance to Rt 8 at the on ramp at Rt. 67 and Bank St. The location looks to be large enough to work and yet safe for the students to be far enough away from the cars. Ms. Tascano will discuss this with high school students to see if she would have the involvement from them and the Committee will present idea to Board of Selectman. If approved, then permission from the State will need to be granted. Chairman Simpson will make presentation to Selectman at the same time as she presents for the sculpture project.

Treasurer’s Report: Priscilla Altorelli presented report; to date $4,676.35 in account. Please see attached.

Motion made by Linda Bellavance to accept Treasurer’s Report as presented, second Valerie D’Anna VOTE: 5 YES 0 NO 0 Abstained

Secretary Report: Motion made by Priscilla Altorelli to accept Minutes from last 2 meetings as presented, second by Ann Conroy VOTE: 5 YES 0 NO 0 ABSTAINED

CONCERTS: Mary Barbin reported that she will put out concert sigh at Stop and Shop on Monday the 27th of April. Linda Bellavance will assist. Kim Osgood reported that Culture and
Arts Commission’s advertisement fliers had gone out to all households in town. Kim had been contacted by Mike Kearney from the American Legion and asked if the Legion could POST the COLORS at the patriotic concert by the Naugatuck Valley Comm Band in May. Committee was in full agreement.

Mary Barbin stated that due to family commitments she would be busy during our June activities and asked fellow members to help with her concert responsibilities.

Linda Bellavance stated that the advertisement fliers that had gone out in the mail were great and should help with attendance at concerts. Kim Osgood will try and get the dates put on Ch 10.

Motion to adjourn meeting made at 8:50 pm by Linda Bellavance, second by Priscilla Alcorelli

VOTE: 6 YES 0 NO 0 ABSTAINED

Respectfully submitted,

Linda Bellavance

Secretary
EXPENDITURES SINCE MARCH 10, 2015 MEETING

$2,220.00 P.O. 102443 Premier Graphics (Concert Flyers)
$100.00 P.O. 102470 Nu-Age Design (Concert Signs)

$2,320.00

CURRENT BALANCE

$4,368.95 Purchased Services
$279.40 Supplies

$4,676.35