



**AGENDA
CITY OF CREVE COEUR
ARTS COMMITTEE
CITY COUNCIL CHAMBER
300 N. NEW BALLAS RD.
MARCH 25, 2026
6:00 PM**

CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. Approval of February 25, 2026, Minutes

NEW BUSINESS

2. Update from Brittany Sievers, Recreation Supervisor
3. Arbor Day Art Contest Judging

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

4. Plein Air Art Event 2026
5. Sculpture on the Move 2026
6. Venable Park Memorial

BUSINESS FROM MEMBERS

BUSINESS FROM STAFF LIAISON

ADJOURNMENT

Posted by: _____

Date/Time posted: _____

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CALL TO ORDER

ROLL CALL

Committee Chair Robert Morrissey - Present
Committee Vice Chair Sara Friedman - Present
Committee Member Pier Yvette Alsup - Present
Committee Member Michele Chapman - Present
Committee Member Lisa Hilton - Absent
Committee Member Nan Kulkarni - Absent
Committee Member Linda Kusmer - Present

Council Liaison Scott Saunders - Absent
Staff Liaison Melissa Bradford - Present

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

1. Approval of November 20, 2025, Minutes

RESULT: Motion to approve the November 20, 2025, minutes
MOVER: Pier Yvette Alsup
SECONDER: Sara Friedman
AYES: Robert Morrissey, Sara Friedman, Pier Yvette Alsup
NAYS: None

2. Approval of January 28, 2026, Minutes

RESULT: Motion to approve the January 28, 2026, minutes
MOVER: Linda Kusmer
SECONDER: Sara Friedman
AYES: Robert Morrissey, Sara Friedman, Pier Yvette Alsup, Linda Kusmer
NAYS: None

Michele Chapman joined the meeting after the minutes were voted on.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

3. Venable Park Memorial Update



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Melissa Bradford provided an update on the Venable Park memorial, stating that the installation is scheduled for April and the grand reopening celebration is scheduled for May 16.

4. Sculpture on the Move 2026

Robert Morrissey stated that Creve Coeur was the 19th city to pick during selection day and received its first choice. The red heart sculpture titled Low-Poly Heart No. 4 (Red) by Matthew Duffy will be installed outside the Dielmann Recreation Complex this spring.

5. Plein Air Art Event 2026

The Committee discussed possible dates for this year's Plein Air Art Event and agreed to hold the event in September, with the artist reception coinciding with the summer concert on Thursday, September 10.

The Committee discussed the idea of purchasing one artwork each year to be donated to the city. Sara Friedman suggested confirming whether the city would want artwork donated to its collection.

Robert Morrissey suggested adding a fourth sponsored prize based on feedback from participants in previous years. The Committee discussed adding a "People's Choice Award." The winner would be selected by popular vote, and the sponsored prize would be \$100. The next step will be for the Committee to find community sponsors for the prizes. Robert Morrissey agreed to start by reaching out to previous sponsors.

Melissa Bradford stated she will update the event and sponsorship flyers for this year's event, as well as send out an email to past participants to save the date.

Pier Alsup suggested bringing the strategy document to the next meeting to help with planning.

BUSINESS FROM MEMBERS

No discussion was held.

BUSINESS FROM STAFF LIAISON



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Melissa Bradford stated the next meeting will be held on Wednesday, March 25. The Committee will be judging the Arbor Day art contest entries at this meeting.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 6:35 p.m.