



**Agenda Michigan City Public Art Committee**  
**Thursday June 17, 2021 10:00 am**  
**Mayors Conference Room at City Hall**  
**100 E Michigan Blvd., Michigan City, IN**

- **Call to Order**
- **Approval of May minutes**
- **Financial Report**
- **Public Comment**
- **Old Business**
  1. Report on kiosk in Westcott Park- *Subcommittee: Cooper, Ryszka, Kubik*
  2. Final plans for the unveiling of Photos for City Council Chamber, honoring Naomi Anderson and recognition of new art in Westcott kiosk (Planned for June 19 at LPCCVB)– - *Subcommittee: Kubik, Ryszka, Cooper, Jacobi*
  3. Native American Project – *Subcommittee: Cooper, Jacobi, Dennis, Daley, Brown, Kubik*
  4. Discuss Master Plan goals - *Subcommittee: Kubik, Brown, Kohn, Eason, Jacobi, Bloch, Presbylinsky*).
  5. Report concerning 2% for art from Redevelopment – *Subcommittee: Kubik, Brown, Kohn, Eason, Jacobi, Bloch, Presbylinsky*).
  6. Sculptfusion & Kick-off party plans at Artspace placement of sculpture - *Subcommittee: Jacobi, Brown, Eason, Kubik*
  7. Otocast
  8. Fund raisers scheduled.
- **New Business**
  1. Ratify all motions from 2020 – 2021 Zoom meetings
  2. Michigan City Park and Recreation Department’s application to the National Park Service Trails, Rivers and Conservation Assistance Program. Adding a public art element to the proposed wildlife observation deck, overlooking the wetland. *Eason*
- **Committee Reports**
  1. Art Project Requests
  2. Children’s Art Scholarship Requests
  3. PR, Marketing, Press releases - *Subcommittee: Bloch, Cooper, Jacobi, Daley*
  4. Report on Mainstreet
  5. Other MC Commissions/Committee Reports Pertinent to MAC
  6. Announcements
- **Adjournment**

*The major goals of the Public Art Program are:*

- *Implement the Master Plan*
- *Enhance the visibility of Michigan City*
- *Use public art as a means to further the community's sense of spirit and pride*
- *Encourage cultural tourism through public art*
- *Give visual expression to cultural diversity*
- *Involve artists in realizing MAC's mission*
- *Create a strong sense of community*
- *Engage artists in the overall planning and design of the City, including both new projects and rethinking the existing visual fabric of the community Page 6 of 154*
- *To spearhead and encourage the City to develop and institute a Percent for Art Ordinance, using negotiations with potential developers to support public art until such an ordinance is enacted*
- *Increase patronage of public art and art programming*
- *Create partnerships that expand the resources available to the public art program with other organizations, businesses and private individuals interested in and supportive of the arts*