



City of Appleton

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Meeting Minutes - Final Appleton Public Arts Committee

Wednesday, September 3, 2025

8:00 AM

Council Chambers, 6th Floor

1. Call meeting to order

Chair Mische called the meeting to order at 8:00 a.m.

2. Pledge of Allegiance

3. Roll call of membership

Present: 5 - Riesterer, Mische, Vang, Laste and Bauer

Excused: 2 - Fernandez and Hoekstra

4. Approval of minutes from previous meeting

[25-1017](#)

APAC Minutes from 7-2-25

Attachments: [APAC Minutes from 7-2-25.pdf](#)

Vang moved, seconded by Bauer, that the Minutes be approved. Roll Call.

Motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 5 - Riesterer, Mische, Vang, Laste and Bauer

Excused: 2 - Fernandez and Hoekstra

5. Public Hearing/Appearances

[25-1018](#)

Public Participation

There was no public participation.

6. Action Items

[25-1019](#)

Request to approve updates to the Art in Public Places Policy as described in the attached document

Attachments: [Memo_Art in Public Places Policy.pdf](#)
[Art in Public Places Policy 2025 Revisions Marked Up .pdf](#)
[Art in Public Places Policy 2025 Revisions_Marked Up_NotificationHighlight.pdf](#)

Riesterer moved, seconded by Bauer, that the recommended changes to the Art in Public Places Policy be approved subject to retaining the notification language on Page 6. This includes Item #3 under Review Steps and the paragraph entitled Notification which are to remain in the policy. This language is highlighted in yellow in the attached document. Roll Call. Motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 5 - Riesterer, Mische, Vang, Laste and Bauer

Excused: 2 - Fernandez and Hoekstra

[25-1020](#)

Request to approve from Appleton Northside Business Association for light pole banners and holiday decor installations located on Richmond Street (from Northland to College) and Wisconsin Avenue (from Badger to Ballard) based upon the guidelines outlined in the Art in Public Places Policy and as described in the attached documents

Attachments: [StaffMemo_ANBA_Light Pole Decorations.pdf](#)
[Richmond college to Northland.pdf](#)
[Pole-Mounts Instructions.pdf](#)
[MOU - ANBA Banners and deco on Wisconsin and Richmond.pdf](#)
[Art application.pdf](#)
[ANBA Banner 0081125.pdf](#)
[ANBA Wisconsin Ave.pdf](#)
[ANBA snowflake information.pdf](#)
[ANBA Signworld 30.pdf](#)

Bauer moved, seconded by Vang, that the ANBA request for light pole banners and seasonal decor installations be approved. Roll Call. Motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 5 - Riesterer, Mische, Vang, Laste and Bauer

Excused: 2 - Fernandez and Hoekstra

7. Information Items

8. Adjournment

Riesterer moved, seconded by Vang, that the meeting be adjourned at 8:26 a.m. Roll Call. Motion carried by the following vote:

Aye: 5 - Riesterer, Mische, Vang, Laste and Bauer

Excused: 2 - Fernandez and Hoekstra