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Norton Cultural Council

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Date: March 18, 2015

Time: 7:00

Location: Town Hall Lunch Room

Members Present: Naomi Viglas, Chair, Rowena Koran, Laurie Pleshar, Ann Murray, Daniel Pearson, Janet Linehan

Members Not Present: Megan Wheaton-Book

The meeting was called to order at: 7:00

Minutes from the Meeting of November 12, 2014 were previously reviewed, approved, and submitted.

Note taker and time keeper: Ann Murray. The signature sheet is attached.

Agenda items Please see attached agenda.

Naomi introduced new members Janet Linehan and Daniel Pearson. Both have been approved and officially sworn in. Megan Wheaton-Book has moved to Vermont and is no longer serving on the NCC.

Naomi and others provided historical background on the grant recipient reception and art show. The art show, now in its third year, features work by Norton children grades K – 5. This year the reception and art show will take place in the Norton Public Library throughout May. Our preferred reception date is May 7 if this is possible for the Library. We chose “Fun Things to Do in My Town” as this year’s theme.

As other business, Rowena suggested we apply for an Adams Arts Program Grant from the MCC. These grants are to help towns improve access to cultural events, and we might want to focus on how to make Norton residents more aware of and comfortable with attending the many lectures, art exhibitions, concerts, and theatre performances at Wheaton College, most of which are free of charge. Daniel suggested that public sculpture in Norton might be another initiative for the NCC to support. These and other possibilities will be the focus of our next meeting.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:10 . We will meet on

Minutes Approved by Committee on: March 20, 2015

Respectfully submitted,

Signatures:

Chair Nan J. Vile

Ann H. Murray



Norton Cultural Council Meeting
Wednesday, March 18th, 2015
7:00pm
Norton Town Hall
Agenda

1. Welcome
2. Note taker and time keeper
3. Signature sheet
4. Introduction of new council members
5. Discussion of Grant Recipient Reception and Art Show
6. Scheduling of upcoming NCC meetings
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