

Meeting of the Hoffman Estates Arts Commission

Monday, May 19, 2025

Minutes

I. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 5:02 pm.

Those in attendance were Chairman Pilafas, Commissioners Anand, Hojnacki, Hood, Morrison, Schmidt, Schneider, Stegall, and Trustee Pilafas, and Guest Erin Stegall

Those absent were Commissioners Ahmed, Kalopisis, Marquardt, Pye, Miletec, and Liaison Kramer,

II. Approval of March 17 Minutes

Motion to approve the minutes of March 17, 2025 by Commissioner Morrison seconded by Commissioner Schmidt

III. Public Comments - Welcome to new commissioner Beth Schneider, artist and graphic designer

IV. Old Business

A. Summer Concerts

1. Band Enablement: Hallie to send packets to the band with the Announcer advancing the bands 48 hours prior.
2. Volunteer Engagement: Commissioners are encouraged to bring guests.
3. Tech and Vendors: Ben Gibbs will manage the lighting/port-o-lets and Levy the food vending.
4. Other: Flyers to be created

B. Children's Entertainment Series:

1. Volunteer Engagement: Commissioner Morrison will be available for most concerts
2. HOTT production was added to the schedule for July 17 at 6:30 for a performance of Shrek Jr. Web update is needed.

C. Zine Fest

Schaumburg Township District Library will be a partner (Bridget O'Kane) including their Teen Staff. Location will be the Village of Hoffman Estates Village Hall. Marketing strategies were discussed. Web presence is needed and flyer corrected to include logos.

D. Gallery

Commissioner Anand reported on the positive experience of the art emersion she lead at Gigi's and their exhibit on display. She will lead the transition for the changing of the gallery for the next exhibitor.

5. New Business - None

6. Adjournment

Motion to adjourn the meting at 6:07 pm by commissioner Stegall seconded by commissioner Schmidt.
Motion carried.