



**REGULAR MEETING  
FORT WORTH ART COMMISSION**

**Ella Mae Shamblee Library  
1062 Evans Avenue  
Fort Worth, Texas 76104**

**Monday, June 22, 2026, 5:30 p.m.**

**To view the docket for this meeting visit:** <https://www.fortworthtexas.gov/calendar/boards-commission> or <https://www.fwpublicart.org>

**Please note this meeting will be held in-person only.**

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**COMMISSION MEMBERS**

- Philip Newburn, Art Professional 4 (Design), Chair
- Jessica Fuentes, Art Professional 2 (Artist), Vice-Chair
- Denise Turner, Community Representative 1
- Maggie Adler, Art Professional 1 (Curator)
- Dr. Jennifer G. Brooks, Community Representative 2
- Lorie Kinler, Art Professional 3 (Design)
- Cliff Vanderpool, Community Representative 3
- Libby Tilley Hogg, Community Representative 4
- Bernardo Vallarino, Art Professional 5 (Art Professional)

CITY FORT WORTH STAFF

Dana Burghdoff, Assistant City Manager  
Midori Clark, Director, Fort Worth Public Library  
Trey Qualls, Assistant City Attorney

ARTS FORT WORTH STAFF

Wesley Gentle, Executive Director & President  
Anne Allen, Public Art Program Manager  
Michelle Richardson, Public Art Project Manager  
Adam Neese, Public Art Collection & Project Manager  
Alida Labbe, Public Art Project Manager

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***AGENDA***

- I. Call to Order – Chairman Newburn
  
- II. Approval of Minutes – Chairman Newburn
  - a. Regular Meeting of May 18, 2026
  
- III. Report of Chair – Chairman Newburn
  - a. Appointments of Commissioners to Public Art Projects

- IV. Public Comments - General (3 minutes per speaker)  
 [PLEASE NOTE: Speakers addressing a specific action item on the agenda will be invited to speak prior to the Commission taking action on that item.]
  
- V. Non-Consent Action Items
  - a. Adopt Resolution Creating a temporary 2026 Bond Public Art Planning Committee composed of Art Commission Members and Community Members to serve from June 22, 2026-September 30, 2026 (ALL COUNCIL DISTRICTS)
    - i. Report of Staff – Anne Allen
    - ii. Art Commission Discussion
    - iii. Public Comments
    - iv. Vote
  
  - b. Approve appointment of Bernardo Vallarino to the Ad Hoc Gifts & Loans Review Panel and expand role to include development of a policy for care of the City’s portable public art collection
    - i. Report of Staff – Adam Neese
    - ii. Art Commission Discussion
    - iii. Public Comments
    - iv. Vote
  
- VI. Staff Report and Announcements
  - a. Recent/Upcoming City Council Actions
  - b. Collection Management Report: Maintenance and Damages – Adam Neese
    - i. Damages / Incidents
      - 1. *A Very Long Now* hit and run
      - 2. *Carousel* hit and run
      - 3. *East Rosedale Monument* hit and run
      - 4. *Flight* horns
      - 5. Magnolia acorn *Seeds of a New Season* incident – sprayed with bleach during adjacent building cleaning
    - ii. Projects in Progress
      - 1. Public Art Archive CMS Update
      - 2. *Buster Welch and Little Peppy* treatment
      - 3. *Seeds of the Future* treatment
  
  - c. Informal Project Reports:
    - i. Eastchase Parkway – Michelle Richardson
    - ii. Meacham Corridor – Michelle Richardson
    - iii. N. Beach/820 Underpass – Michelle Richardson
    - iv. Northwest Patrol Division – Michelle Richardson
    - v. Fire Station 16 – Adam Neese
    - vi. EMCC – Adam Neese
  
  - d. Recent/Upcoming Community Engagement Events
    - i. Tarrant County Historical Society Presentation on History of Public Art in Fort Worth
    - ii. Coffee and Culture at the Amon Carter Museum of American Art
  
  - e. Announcements of Staff
    - i. Social Media Update –Chris Ireland

- f. Collection Spotlight
  - i. *Freedom Train* – Anne Allen

VII. Announcements of Commissioners -- All

VIII. Requests for Future Agenda Items – All

IX. Next Meeting


- a. Regular Meeting – July 20, 2026, 5:30 pm, Ella Mae Shamblee Library

X. Adjournment – Chairman Newburn

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I, the undersigned authority, do hereby certify that this Notice of Meeting was posted on the City of Fort Worth official bulletin board, places convenient and readily accessible to the general public at all times and said Notice was stamped on the following date and time **Thursday, June 11, 2026 at 3:20 P.M.** and remained so posted continuously for at least 3 business days preceding the scheduled date of said meeting.

  
City Secretary for the City of Fort Worth, Texas