

**CITY OF COLUMBIA  
ARTS & HISTORIC PRESERVATION COMMITTEE  
MEETING REPORT  
FEBRUARY 26, 2013 – 11:00 A.M.  
PARKING SERVICES CONFERENCE ROOM  
820 WASHINGTON STREET**



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The Columbia City Council conducted an Arts & Historic Preservation Committee Meeting on Tuesday, February 26, 2013 in the Parking Services Conference Room, 820 Washington Street, Columbia, South Carolina. The Honorable Cameron A. Runyan (Chair) called the meeting to order at 11:09 a.m. The Honorable Sam Davis was present. The Honorable Brian DeQuincey Newman was absent. The Honorable Leona K. Plaugh (non-committee member) was present.

**COMMITTEE DISCUSSIONS**

1. Public Art

Ms. Barbara Rakes, Executive Director One Columbia and Ms. Anne Sinclair, Co-Chair for Visual Arts presented the idea for displaying art at City Hall.

They will commence with the first floor and work their way up to the 3<sup>rd</sup> floor. They will work to secure works of art donated by local artists. They suggested using local artists and reframing current photos on display at City Hall.

There was a consensus of the committee to do what they can to help facilitate the process and showcase primarily local artists and artists with disabilities with a focus on Columbia.

2. Hospitality Tax Review

Staff made recommendations to stagger terms for new appointees. The committee discussed setting aside a reserve fund of hospitality tax money.

There was a consensus of the committee to recommend to full council that:

- Stagger terms for appointments to the committee as requested by staff
- Create and maintain a reserve fund to protect debt service.
  
- The meeting was adjourned at 11:45 a.m.

Respectfully submitted by:

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