

## Arts & Culture Commission Advisory Board Minutes

Wednesday, May 6, 2026, 5:00p.m.

Meeting link: <https://youtu.be/cDB9cG58-Do>

### Present:

Shatrine Krake, Arts and Culture Commission co-chair  
Julie Matthiessen, Arts & Culture Commission co-chair  
Lauren Beeney, Arts & Culture Commission  
Suzanne Wells, Arts & Culture Commission  
Sheridan Corrie, Arts and Culture Commission  
Charity Hudnut, Arts & Culture Commission  
Christine Linder, Arts and Culture Commission

### Also In Attendance:

Lou Groaner, West Linn City Council  
Jody Carson, Historic Willamette Mainstreet  
Mitzi Kugler, Local West Linn Artist

### West Linn City Staff Present:

Kristen Christnacht, Library Assistant

### Call to Order: 5:01 P.M.

**Approval of Minutes:** Lauren approved February minutes, Julie seconded. 2/4/2026 minutes are approved.

During the public meeting there were technical issues connecting remote members and having the wifi drop every few minutes. These issues greatly affected the meeting.

- **Public Comments:** Jody Carson from the Historic Willamette Mainstreet wanted to give some updates to the group.
  1. The solar panel installation on the kiosk and the addition of a night light inside is completed.
  2. Jody's group is seeking funding for a sign to be placed on top of the kiosk to identify it.
  3. A historic sign near the kiosk is planned, funded partially by a \$3,000 grant from Clackamas County Cultural Trust.
  4. Jody proposed artist-designed wraps for two large electrical boxes, suggesting possible involvement from the arts funding group next year.
  5. The chalk walk event is scheduled for September 12, with an invitation extended for participation or support.
  6. A topper for the City Fountain has been ordered.

- **Shatrine Krake, Arts & Culture Commission co-chair:**

Shatrine asked Julie Matthiessen to discuss the status of the Willamette Art Corridor project. Oregon City and Lake Oswego have identified their art as being the first anchors for the art corridor. West Linn will include a piece at Hammerlee Park, but the project is on hold for a new Parks Director.

Christine Linder will work to get the call for artists form out in June for the Fall Art Exhibit. The Commission expressed to need to meet in August for the decision-making what art to include for the The Fall Exhibit.

Shatrine encouraged everyone to refer to the google calendar for summer programs.

**Board Comments:**

**Adjourn:** Meeting was adjourned at 6:06pm

**Next meeting:** TBA

**Community Room at the library**

**Respectfully submitted by:**

**Kristen Christnacht, Library Assistant 05/11/2026**