

**Newtown Cultural Arts Commission**  
**December 8, 2016**  
**Meeting Minutes**

The Newtown Cultural Arts Commission held a meeting on Thursday December 8, 2016, at Town Hall South.

**Members Present:** Robert Rabinowitz, Laura Lerman, Jen Cebry, Donna Randle, Rob Kaiser, Tracy van Buskirk

**Members Absent:** John Conk, Scott Switzer, Andrea Spencer

**Auxiliary Members:** Elaine Barbera

**Guests:** None

Laura Lerman called the meeting to order at 7:30

- Officers Report:
  - Laura Lerman (Chair):
    - Saying goodbye to Robert and NCAC needs a new Secretary and we also need a Treasure to replace Donna M.
    - Grant O. has been appointed to the Art Commission effective January 2017.
  - Andrea Spencer (Vice Chair):
    - Absent
  - Robert Rabinowitz (Secretary):
    - Robert will be stepping down from the commission and subsequently as Secretary
    - Voting for 2017 officers will take place at the NCAC January meeting.
      - Tracy is interested in the opening for NCAC Secretary
      - Laura L will run for Chair again
- Treasurer's Report (Laura Lerman)
  - Update on accounts
- Firehouse
  - Currently being rented for landscape equipment storage.
- Library Showcase & Municipal Gallery
  - Municipal Gallery: George Duncan is currently being shown in the Municipal Gallery, reception will be held Dec. 29<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 to 9.
  - Library Showcase - Weavers will be the next showcase
- Arts Festival (Jen Cebry)
  - Jen C. is will be the Festival Director for 2017
  - Brainstorming session for 2017 festival
  - Discussion of consolidating Arts Festival Website into NCAC website
  - 2017 Arts Festival Kick Off Meeting January 19, 7pm
- Social Media (Robert R)
  - Robert will continue to post to FB for the commission but other members should start posting on behalf of the commission as well.
- Other Business
  - None

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 7:58pm.

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All meetings to be held at: Conference Room, Town hall South unless otherwise noted.

### **2017 NCAC Meeting Schedule**

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February 9

March 9

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November 9

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