

Minutes from Cultural Council Meeting October 24, 2013:

In attendance, Donnamarie Floyd, Shelley Ryan, Jodi McGowan, Jen Johnson, Julie Johnson, Lynn Housekeeper, Dawn Piedarski.

Meeting called to order.

Shelley Ryan made a motion that Donnamarie Floyd replace Kelly Hurd as Chairperson, Dawn Piekarski seconded the motion. All were in favor.

Dawn made a motion to approve the Minutes from Last year's meeting, Jen Johnson seconded it, all minutes approved.

List of grantee's discussed and approved or declined.

1. William Moffett – concert at St. Gabriels \$200
2. 7th grade show – xmas carol. \$3900 – decided to give \$1513.00
3. Gregory Maichak Upton Town Library \$448
4. No sponsor/no venue (Henry the Juggler) - denied
5. Johnny Dimond – Senior Center \$125
6. Improbable players – substance abuse prevention Nipmuc \$500
7. Upton Historical Commission – Smithsonian Film maker \$2,000 - denied
8. Upton Open Space Committee \$700
9. Ed the Wizard - \$450
10. Blackstone Valley Community Concert Band – three year max/no sponsor no venue
11. Memorial PTO Bubblemania \$800
12. Audio Journal, Inc \$300 - denied
13. Claflin Hill Music Performance \$950 – denied
14. Kammerweke – Tufts \$300 - denied
15. BVHHC Riverbend Canal Concerts \$500 - denied
16. The Mable Collection \$200 – denied
17. Thimble Pleasures The Quilt Show BVT \$500 - denied
18. Fruitlands Museum Anniversary Program June 21st 2014 \$500 – after discussion it was decided to allocate \$250

Funded 50% of total grants submitted.

A motion was made by Chairperson Donnamarie Floyd to see if all in favor of the allocations made, jean housekeeper seconded it, motion approved.

A motion was made to adjourn the meeting by Shelley Ryan, Dawn Piekarski seconded , motion approved.