

## League of Women Voters of Pullman Observer Report

Name of Agency: Pullman Arts Commission PAC    Date: April 9, 2019  
Observer Reporting: Uta Hutnak    Length of Meeting: 1 hr. 30 min  
Members Present: Joanne Bailey, Judy Dunn, Jeri Harris, chair, Suzanne Polle, D. Brady Boone  
Members Excused: John Rich, Tyler Kirshner, Megan Conley

Others Present (i.e., media, public): Todd ???, an interested community member, who complimented the Commission Members on their work, specifically the beautifully wrapped utility boxes.

1) **Grand Avenue Greenway Project:** Book Mobile Sculpture; it is a commissioned art piece by Shelly Gilmore; the PAC has to recommend it for approval by the City Council. The piece would be installed in the corner of the library building near the clock. It will be displayed there at ArtFest. PAC members will look at it then and see how it looks and feels and how the community responds and then make a decision for approval.

2) **ArtFest:** 4 restaurants are participating in the Friday night promotion with special offerings: Ricos, Porchlight Pizza, Thomas Hammer and South Fork.

ArtFest will happen rain or shine.

Tom Handy will handle everything with the Beer Garden; PAC will purchase the fencing.

Music groups: Cherry Sisters Revival, Ray Wallace, Hwy 99, WA/ID Symphony, HS students.

The mayor's award ceremony will be on Saturday from 11 – 12;

PAC received 4 nominations for the Mayor's Arts Award and the members recommend Mitch and Mary Jo Chandler to receive the award.

Ads for ArtFest will be placed in the Spokesman Review and Art Chowder magazine

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Everything is in place for a successful Artfest on May 17/18 and the PAC members are working hard to put it all together; it is hoped that the community show its support and come downtown and participate in ArtFest.