



PUBLIC ARTS & CULTURE ADVISORY COUNCIL

SPECIAL MEETING SUMMARY

August 3, 2016

4:45 p.m.

Master Plan Subcommittee members present:

Chair Lindsay Brubaker – Niles Park District
Mary Dowd Demas – Artist
Debi Gajewski – Artist
Carol Luc – Artist

Staff present: Village Manager and Project Manager Steven Vinezeano
Staff Liaison Cathy Spadoni

I. Call to Order

Chair Lindsay Brubaker called the meeting of the Public Arts & Culture Advisory Council to order at 4:50 p.m. on Wednesday, August 3, 2016 at the Village of Niles Administration Building, 1000 Civic Center Drive.

II. Presentation of Arts & Culture Master Plan Proposals

- a. Solomon Cordwell Buenz – Christine Carlyle and Teresa Fourcher
Ms. Carlyle and Ms. Fourcher presented their approach to creating an Arts and Culture Master Plan for the Village of Niles.
- b. The Lakota Group – Kevin Clark, Nicholas Kalogeresis
Jon Pounds – Mr. Jon Pounds
Bluestone + Associates – Paul Bluestone
Mr. Clark, Mr. Kalogeresis, Mr. Pounds and Mr. Bluestone presented their approach to creating an Arts and Culture Master Plan for the Village of Niles.

III. Post-Interview Discussion

Subcommittee members compared presentations and came to a consensus as to which firm is better suited to create a master plan for the Village. At the August 8 regular meeting of the Public Arts & Culture Advisory Council, the subcommittee will present their findings and the full Council will vote on which firm to recommend to the Village Board for approval.

IV. Next Meeting

The next regular meeting will be held on Monday, August 8, 2016 at 5:00 p.m. at the Niles Historical & Cultural Center.

V. Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 7:00 p.m.