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UNAPPROVED

The meeting was called to order by Chairperson Melissa Wraalstad at 5:08 p.m.

Excused: Council Member Robert Simpson, Deb Mortl

Also Present: City Administrator Mikko Hilvo

City Administrator Hilvo acknowledged that the agenda for this meeting was posted and distributed in compliance with the Wisconsin Open Meetings Law.

MEMBER REPORTS

NEW BUSINESS

City Administrator Hilvo provided a brief summary of the request. He asked if the members had an opportunity to read through the proposal and minutes from the Landmarks Commission meeting on the item. All members stated that they had reviewed both items and did not have any questions on what is being proposed.

Discussion ensued on the content of the proposed mural. Judith Kervin stated that it seems limiting in design and might not show enough diversity, but she likes the fact of having public art displayed on this wall. Lisa Brobst stated that it is beautiful and modern art that will show our diversity in artwork in Cedarburg. Susan Hale agreed and added that it is a fun piece and something new for Cedarburg. Melissa Wraalstad stated that for a couple years this site has been discussed as a potential area for a mural. She

also stated that it shows vibrancy of plein aire art and she appreciates it being multidimensional which provides a more interesting art piece than a mural painted on a wall. The Commission discussed how this will attract visitors and locals and become another area in the downtown district for picture opportunities. It will help promote tourism and continue to show that art is an important component of our community.

Motion made by Lisa Brobst to recommend to the Common Council to approve the proposed mural to be installed on the north wall of the Fiddleheads building located at W62 N605 Washington Ave. The motion was seconded by Blaine Gibson. Motion carried without a negative vote with Deb Mortl and Council Member Simpson excused.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion was made by Kerry Tharp, seconded by Judith Kervin, to adjourn the meeting at 5:47 p.m. Motion carried without a negative vote with Council Member Simpson and Deb Mortl excused.

Mikko Hilvo
City Administrator

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