

**Meeting Notes**  
**Cultural Leadership Council Meeting**  
Tuesday, March 14, 2023 6 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.  
Webex – Online Meeting

Present:

- Jennifer Gardner, Oshawa Public Libraries, Manager, Programming, Outreach and Community Engagement
- Kim Ellis, Individual
- Lauren Gould, Robert McLaughlin Gallery
- Lisa Terech, Oshawa Museum, Community Engagement
- Moreen Fearon-Tapper, Durham College, Associate Dean for the Faculty of Media, Art & Design
- Samuel Richardson, Ontario Regiment Museum
- Pam Reines, Individual

Regrets:

- Alyssia Nelson, Individual
- Amanda Robinson, Ontario Tech University
- Karen Coyle, Individual
- Kevin Maina, Trent University, Manager, Community Engagement
- Tracy Callahan, Oshawa Seniors Community Centres

Staff: S. Kordalewski, B. Waite

1. Recognition of Indigenous Lands (5 minutes)
2. Welcome (5 minutes)
3. Declarations of Pecuniary Interest (5 minutes)
4. Approval of Previous Meetings Notes (5 minutes)
  - February 7, 2023
5. Art Festival Brainstorming (20 min)
  - The group reviewed different types of arts festivals and examples from across Canada, and discussed and brainstormed the benefits, challenges, and potential of each model for Oshawa.
6. Member Roundtable (20 minutes) (SK)
  - Members shared information on their upcoming projects and community initiatives.
7. Staff & Committee Updates (20 minutes)
  - Public Art Task Force
    - An update was provided on the Public Art Task Force including current and potential upcoming public art projects.

- Open Call
  - An update was shared on the recently launched open call for artist-initiated projects.
- Culture Counts Awards
  - An update was shared that the Culture Counts Awards recently closed.

8. Other Business (5 minutes)

- Invitation to review the Culture Counts award submission
- Open spot for a member to join the [Community Centennial Committee](#)
- Culture Counts newsletter – send Bethany your events

9. Adjournment

**Upcoming meetings –**

Tues May 9, 2023 @ 6 p.m.

Tues July 11, 2023 @ 6 p.m.

Tues Sept 12, 2023 @ 6 p.m.

Tues Nov 14, 2023 @ 6 p.m.