Dancing Spirit Center for the Arts

Board Minutes

September 19, 2024

Call to Order: 6:15 p.m.

Attendance

Jenny Long Mikayla Robinson Jakob Box Margie Coates

Present Excused Present Excused Present Excused Present Excused

Dr. Carrie Bergfalk Kasey Correia, ED

Present Excused Present Excused

Dancing Spirit's Mission is to provide a community arts center that enhances creativity and fellowship; that promotes the education, appreciation and enjoyment of the arts; and that celebrates the cultural heritage of our population.

1. Approval of Agenda

Additions & Changes

• Amend the agenda to add the closing of the First Southwest savings account

Motion: Jakob Box

2nd: Margie Coates

Approved / Not Approved / Tabled

- 2. Approval of minutes for August 2024
 - The minutes were amended to clarify the approved check signers

Motion: Margie Coates

2nd: Mikayla Robinson

Approved / Not Approved / Tabled

3. Approval of Financials for August 2024

Artist Sales \$149.87 General Acct \$6,930.44 Savings \$1989.68 1st SW \$6,539.68

Motion: Jakob Box

2nd: Margie Coates

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Action Items

Old Business

4. The 990 form was submitted. Jenny Long to sign 990 form as Board President

Motion: Mikayla Robinson

2nd: Margie Coates

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New Business

5. Close the savings account at First Southwest Bank that held the Frankenhaler grant interest and move it to a checking account at the same bank.

Motion: Margie Coates

2nd: Jakob Box

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Grant Update

See attached file.

Dancing Spirit Director's Report

See attached file.

Director's Report additions

- Flooring is the biggest project left. We have enough to buy the flooring but it still needs to be installed. IDR may donate some time for installation.
- The mortgage loan is being updated.
- We are starting the process for building insurance as we currently have liability on the lots only.
- Electrical, plumbing, and mechanical were inspected. A few small fixes need to be made. We are waiting for the fire and safety inspection.
- The gravel was delivered and needs to be moved before the certification of occupancy.
- Other small things need to be done such as installing a ladder.

Grand Opening October 25th

- Ribbon cutting at 5:30
- Eddie and Betty Box may do a blessing
- Need more money for soundproofing at a later date
- Hotdogs for an easy food option
- Grand opening will be from 5-8
- Need big scissors
- Have music in the back parking lot
- Silent auction
- Sign out front for parking

- Invites:
 - o Representative for tribal council
 - o Boys and Girls Club
 - Potentially town mayor
 - o Representative for Ignacio school district
 - o SUIMA
 - o Southern Ute economic development
 - Maybe Southern Ute Community Center Director
 - o Press (The Drum, The Herald, KSUT, etc)

Things to think about

- Volunteer applications with background check
- How will the co-op work?
- Define volunteers for grand opening
- Feedback cards
- Annual memberships for the futre
- Jobs required for the new arts center

Next Board Meeting

October 10th at 6 p.m.

Meeting adjourned at

7:38 p.m.

Motion: Jakob Box

2nd: Mikayla Robinson

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