



A Grand Vision for the Heartland

## Grow Grand Island Arts & Humanities Committee Meeting

<b>Date*Time*Location</b> 3-2-17 * 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM * Tom Dinsdale Auto	<b>Recommendation Number and Name</b> Arts and Humanities Committee
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Attending: Tricia Beem, Tammy Morris (via phone), Ralph Brown, Don Deitemeyer, Mari Paramo, Miranda Keiper, Susan Nickerson, Mandy Burkett, Sharena Anson, Karen Neppl, Charity Watts, Kevin Hendrix, Curt Vodehnal, Margaret Hornady, L.J. McCormick, Deb Sweley, Georgene Smidt, Carol Schooley, Nicki Stoltenberg,  
 Discussion: Strategic Discussion

TOPIC	DISCUSSION	ACTION/WHO	WHEN
Community Update	The group shared upcoming events and activities. See the "Your Ticket" page of the Grand Island Independent for arts and humanities activities. This page is loaded with arts and humanities related events in Grand Island, Hastings, Kearney and even Lincoln and Omaha. Instructions were handed out for marketing your destination on the VisitNebraska.com website. Additionally, several locations are part of the 2017 Nebraska Passport Program to include Stuhr Museum, Crane Trust, The Chocolate Bar and Studio K.	None	n/a
Committees	Public Art – will be meeting to discuss project options and explore the Downtown Painted Planter Project. Marketing –will be meeting and is working on a Facebook page to promote the arts and humanities. Leadership – Moonshell is going through a strategic planning process so this will resume in about 90 days. Executive – The mission of this group is to support the awareness, development and empowerment of arts and humanities organizations in Hall County.	Each Committee	TBD
Presentation	Joe Black of Stuhr Museum presented about the purpose, events, activities and programs taking place at Stuhr Museum. Stuhr brings together the past with the past, the modern with the old, and brings them together to interact together. Lots of great history was shared and this is history to be learned at Stuhr Museum. Stuhr is part of the 6% of museums in the nation accredited by the American Alliance of Museums and part of the 4% of accredited Nebraska museums.	None	n/a

Next Meeting: Thursday, April 6, 2017 at Dinsdale Auto from 12:00 - 1:00 p.m. The presenter will be Todd Williams. Todd is a painter and native of Central City. He painted the series of Nebraska County paintings for the sesquicentennial. It will be a great presentation.

Volunteer Hours: 24.5