

McKINNEY ARTS COMMISSION

JULY 8, 2020

The McKinney Arts Commission of the City of McKinney, Texas met via Teleconference thru Zoom on July 8, 2020 at 3:00 p.m.

Commissioners Present: Molly Brewer, Greg Huckaby, Matt Sheldon, Latisha Nance, Michael McEntire, James Teeling

Absent: Nina Ringley, Soprina Reeves

Staff Members Present: HCD Manager Janay Tieken; Administrative Assistant Lupe Armijo; Jakia Burnell and Amy Rosenthal from MPAC as guest.

Chairman Brewer-Hahn called the meeting to order at 3:13 p.m. after noting the presence of a quorum.

20-0545 Consider/Discuss 2020-2021 Art Grant Applicant Presentations. The Ovation Academy, represented by Angi Burns, is requesting a \$20,000 grant to help with scholarship request. McKinney Community Concert Association was represented by Tomm Schultz and Teresa Golden. They are asking for \$20,000 to support production expenses for their six concerts. Marsha Hope, representing McKinney Community Band, requesting \$20,000 grant. The grant would be used to help with sheet music, facility rental fees, advertising, and insurance. Jo Dell'Antonia and Gayle spoke on behalf of Friends of the McKinney Library. They are asking for a \$5,500 grant to pay for expenses. Odysseus Chamber Orchestra represented by Jason Lim and Cindy are seeking two grant requests. First grant request was for \$20,000 to help fund their five concerts thru Philharmonic. Second grant request was for \$5,000 to help fund their 3 concerts thru Greater North Texas Youth. The Young Actors Guild, represented by Kimberly, Connor, and Tina, are requesting \$20,000 to support venue rental and cost associated with their productions. James representing NTC, requesting a grant of \$6,825 to help support 6 weekend programs. Rosaura Cruz along with Megan and Clare spoke on behalf of Junior Players. They are asking for \$9,000 to help fund artists to teach their program. Ollimpaxqui Ballet Company,

represented by Eduardo Gutierrez, is seeking \$10,000 grant to support their four Folklorico performances. Annie Royer, representing Arts and Music Guild, is asking for an \$8,000 grant to support the Summer Music Intensives program. Doug Valentine and Karen Rose, representing McKinney Youth Onstage, are seeking a grant of \$20,000 to help pay facility rental costs and royalties. Dale Gutt and Mary Kelly spoke on behalf of McKinney Repertory Theatre. Their organization is seeking a \$20,000 grant to help pay rental fees at the MPAC facility.

Commissioners unanimously approved the motion by Commission James Teeling, seconded by Commissioner Matt Sheldon, to adjourn the meeting.

The meeting adjourned at 7:08 p.m.

MOLLY BREWER