

Marquette Arts & Culture Advisory Committee Meeting
February 7, 2022
5:30 PM
Minutes

- I. Call to Order (5:30 PM)
- II. Roll Call
 - A. Maddie Arquette, Peter Felsman, Jamie Weeder, Jon Teichman, Michael Bradford
- III. Public Comment – None
- IV. Consent Agenda – January Works Session Minutes tabled.
- V. Reports Manager — Tiina Morin
- VI. Old Business - Arts and Culture Master Plan

Work Session Summary: Need prepare for developing the new master plan, the Arts and Culture committee members met and reviewed our last master plan on 1/17/23.

Reviewed 15 categories of priority and action and agreed on three Major priorities for the upcoming plan.

- 1. Material Support for Artists: Our artists need resources. Given the value we place on and derive from the arts in Marquette, we ought to offer resources that support and sustain our artists. These resources may be in the form of subsidized rehearsal/performance/gallery space, direct financial compensation, office of Arts and Culture infrastructure to ease the organizational burden of local artists, etc.
- 2. Coalition Building: our artists and audiences are often isolated from one another. Yet, they need one another for arts and culture to thrive. We need to enhance the connection among artists and audiences, in the UP, and in Marquette.
- 3. Economic impact assessment and articulation we need to continue to get public input on the impact of the arts, and to communicate that impact.

- VII. Good of the Order

Adjourn (7:30 PM)

Respectfully Submitted: Jamie Weeder, Chair

