



**MINUTES**  
**KILLEEN ARTS COMMISSION**  
REGULAR MEETING  
UTILITY COLLECTIONS CONFERENCE ROOM  
210 WEST AVENUE C  
May 10, 2019  
12:15 P.M.

**Call to Order**

Acting Chairperson Cossey, Jr., called the meeting to order at 12:23 p.m.

**Roll Call**

Attending: Commission Members: Elizabeth Blackstone, Nelson Santiago, Morris Melton, Sean Payton, and Ralph Cossey, Jr.

City Staff: Traci Briggs, Deputy City Attorney  
Latashia Cherry, Accounting Manager  
Tsui Cheung, Staff Accountant

Absent: Commission Members: John Miller, Darlene Golden, Roxanne Flores-Achmad, and Nina Cobb

Commissioner Cossey acted as chairperson in the absence of the chair and in the vice chair's place due to laryngitis.

**Discuss and Consider Approval of Agenda for the May 10, 2019 Regular Meeting**

Commissioner Blackstone moved to approve the agenda, seconded by Commissioner Payton. The motion passed unanimously.

**Discuss and Consider Approval of Minutes for the March 8, 2019 Regular Meeting**

Commissioner Payton moved to approve the minutes, seconded by Commissioner Blackstone. The motion passed unanimously.

**Review Arts Commission Attendance Record for FY19**

Attendance record was reviewed.

**Review and Discuss Account Activity for Administrative Funds**

Account activity report was reviewed and no funds have been spent since previous report.

**Receive briefings by sub-committees**

- A. Rules and Regulations  
No updates were reported.
- B. Marketing  
No updates were reported.

**Discuss Arts Commission Funded Events Attended by the Arts Commissioners**

Commissioner Santiago attended the Unnecessary Farce and thought it was great.

**Select Six Representatives to Attend Arts Commission Funded Events**

Event: Celebrate Killeen Festival  
Date: May 16, 2019 – 6pm to 8pm  
May 17, 2019 – 6pm to 8pm  
May 18, 2019 – 12pm to 6pm  
Location: Special Events Center Complex

Commissioners Melton, Cossey, Jr., Payton, and Santiago plan to attend.

Event: Epically Geeky Expo (EGX)  
Date: May 17-19, 2019  
Location: Central Texas College,  
6200 West Central Texas Expressway  
Killeen, TX 76549  
Admission: VIP Passes \$50, 3 day wristband \$20 until May 16, 3 day wristband \$30 at the door, 1 day Saturday only wristbands \$15 until May 16 and \$20 at the door, 1 day passes for Friday and Sunday \$12 until May 16 and \$15 at the door. Discounts are available at the door for military ID card holders, CTC students and CTC employees.

Commissioners Payton, Melton, and Cossey, Jr. plan to attend.

Event: 24<sup>th</sup> Annual Spring Event  
Date: May 25, 2019 at 7:00 pm  
Location: Killeen High School Auditorium

Commissioners Blackstone, Cossey, Jr., Payton, and Melton plan to attend.

Event: Mamma Mia  
Date: June 7-8, 2019 – 7:30 p.m.  
June 9, 2019 – 2:30 p.m.  
June 14-15, 2019 – 7:30 p.m.  
June 16, 2019 – 2:30 p.m.  
Location: Vive Les Arts Theatre  
Admission: \$15/\$18/\$20 - Child/Student, Senior & Military/Adult

Commissioner Blackstone and Santiago plan to attend.

**Next Meeting Date**

The next regular meeting is scheduled for Friday, June 7, 2019 at 12:15 p.m.

**Adjournment**

City staff announced that the FY 20 Grant Application binders would be available for the Commissioners to pick up at the Finance Department starting May 21, 2019. The meeting adjourned at 12:47 p.m.

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John Miller, Chairperson

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Latashia Cherry, Accounting Manager