



City of Corpus Christi

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Meeting Minutes - Final

Arts and Cultural Commission

Tuesday, August 26, 2025

4:00 PM

KEDT Board Room,
3205 S. Staples, Corpus Christi, TX 78411

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A. Call To Order

The meeting was called to order by Vice Chair Elena Rodriguez at 4:08 pm.

B. Roll Call

Present: 7 - Simone Sanders, Emily Barrera, Ernest DeLaGarza, Melina Gosa, Oliver Cruz-Milan, Elena Rodriguez, and Amy Cooley
Excused: 2 - Sara Morgan, and Adriana Parker

C. Public Comment

D. Approval of Minutes and Action on Absences

1. [25-1308](#) July 22, 2025, Regular Meeting

Attachments: [2025-07-22 Minutes.pdf](#)

Melina made a motion to approve the minutes as presented and passed unanimously.

E. Unfinished Business

2. [25-1130](#) Public Art Conservation

Attachments: [Public Art Priority List.pdf](#)

City Staff provided an update on conservation projects. The Sunseeker public art piece at La Retama Central Library is under assessment due to renovation projects being done at the library.

3. [25-0970](#) Outreach Events

Attachments: [2025 Grant Recipient Event Calendar.xlsx](#)

An ACC table has been reserved for the Dia de los Muertos festival on November 1. City Staff is pending response from Texas Jazz Festival Society for table reservation. Shifts to be determined at a later date.

Ullburg: Wind in the Sails screening will be held at TAMU-CC on September 12. ACC members to RSVP tickets.

4. [25-0966](#) Social Media Plan

A "CC in a Minute" video will be filmed by the City's communications team to highlight the Public Art Collection.

5. [25-0965](#) T-Shirts & Name Badges

T-Shirts have been approved by ACC & City. City Staff distributed name badges.

F. New Business for Discussion and Possible Action

6. [25-1319](#) Mural Fest Recap Presentation (Downtown Management District)

A recap presentation on Mural Fest was given by DMD to ACC members. There are 21 murals located downtown with the goal of beautifying our open space.

7. [25-1316](#) 2025 Completion Report

Emails have been sent to all Arts Grant recipients regarding the 2025 Completion Report. The City website has been updated with a link to the report.

8. [25-1317](#) 2025 Arts Forum

The Arts Forum has been confirmed for October 16 at AMST in conjunction with the Third Thursday event.

9. [25-1343](#) ACC Reappointment

Reappointments have been made for ACC members. Starting in September, City Staff is required to post any meeting agendas at least five business days in advance.

G. Future Agenda Items

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 5:00 pm.

H. Adjournment