



City of Corpus Christi

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Meeting Minutes - Draft

Arts and Cultural Commission

Tuesday, June 9, 2026

4:00 PM

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

Postponed May Meeting

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A. Call To Order

The meeting was called to order by Chair Sara Morgan at 4:03 pm.

B. Roll Call

Present: 6 - Sara Morgan, Ernest DeLaGarza, Melina Gosa, Oliver Cruz-Milan, Elena Rodriguez, and Adriana Parker

Absent: 2 - Emily Barrera, and Amy Cooley

C. Public Comment

D. Approval of Minutes and Action on Absences

1. [26-0825](#) April 28, 2026, Regular Meeting

Attachments: [2026-04-28 Minutes.pdf](#)

Melina made a motion to approve the minutes as presented, seconded by Elena and passed unanimously.

E. Unfinished Business

2. [26-0828](#) Arts Forum Review

Attachments: [Arts Forum Proposal Adriana.pdf](#)

ACC discussed the possible hosting of a community meeting in conjunction with the Arts Forum. An Open Call to be sent to non-profit organizations to attend the National Endowments for the Arts Assessment Study Presentation at the Art Museum of South

Texas prior to the Arts Forum. An earlier start time may be beneficial due to media scheduling. City Staff to expand contact list.

3. [26-0829](#) Arts Grant Application Review & Revisions

Attachments: [Arts Grant Application Questions.pdf](#)

Tabled for next meeting.

4. [26-0832](#) 2026 Arts Grant Program - Remaining Funds

Remaining funds to be used towards printing new Public Art Collection books.

F. New Business for Discussion and Possible Action

5. [26-0826](#) "National Endowment for the Arts (NEA) Assessment Study" Presentation

Kelly Bezio with TAMU-CC gave a presentation on the research results of the NEA assessment study. The research team focused on Arts and Cultural Equity. Various resident surveys were conducted during the assessment. ACC to work with Kelly in sharing research results.

6. [26-0834](#) Sunrise Over Corpus Christi Bay - Relocation Discussion

A sub-committee to be formed to discuss relocation options. A site-visit to be scheduled with Moroles Art Co. to determine next steps in repair.

7. [26-0843](#) 2026 Mural Fest

A brief update was given by ACC members who attended the Mural Fest Dedication Ceremony.

G. Future Agenda Items

H. Adjournment

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 5:08 pm.