

SIOUX FALLS VISUAL ARTS COMMITTEE

Wednesday, July 16th, 2025, 4:15 pm

Conference Room #203

City Center, 231 N. Dakota Ave., Sioux Falls, SD

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Joe Schaeffer, Board Chair
Maren Engel, Arts Coordinator

Agenda

- ITEM 1.** Call to Order and Quorum Determination Joe
- ITEM 2.** Welcome Members and Guests Joe
- Jana Anderson – Lead Curator, Washington Pavilion’s Visual Arts Center and SculptureWalk
- ITEM 3.** Approval of Regular Agenda Joe
- ITEM 4.** Approval of June 18th, 2025 Minutes Joe
- ITEM 5.** Public Input on Non-Agenda Items (*Chairperson*) Joe
(5-minute comment period per individual)
- ITEM 6.** Old Business Maren
- a. Public Art Policy and Guidelines Approval
 - b. Orpheum Project Update
 - c. Downtown Street Mural Update
- ITEM 7.** New Business
- a. SculptureWalk Best of Show Presentation and Selection Jana
 - b. Chair and Vice Chair Vote Joe
 - c. VAC Applications and Interest Maren
- ITEM 8.** Announcements
- a. Next Regular Meeting, Wednesday, August 20th at 4:15pm

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ITEM 7. Adjournment

Joe

June Meeting Minutes

SIOUX FALLS VISUAL ARTS COMMITTEE

Wednesday, June 18th, 2025, 4:15 pm

Conference Room #308

City Center, 231 N. Dakota Ave., Sioux Falls, SD

Members Present: Scott Parsons, Tyson Schultz, Mike Jamison, Wyatt Dickson, Joe Schaeffer, Kathy Dang

Staff Present: Maren Engel

Guests Present: Rose Ann Hofland, Vice President of Programming – Levitt at the Falls

Agenda

ITEM 1. Call to Order and Quorum Determination

Joe

Committee member Shaeffer called the meeting to order at 4:15pm.

ITEM 2. Welcome Members and Guests

Joe

Rose Ann Hofland, Vice President of Programming – Levitt at the Falls

ITEM 3. Approval of Regular Agenda

Joe

Committee member Dickson made the motions to approve the regular agenda. Committee member Dang seconded the motion. The agenda was approved unanimously.

ITEM 4. Approval of May 21st, 2025 Minutes

Joe

Committee member Dickson made the motion to approve the May 21st meeting minutes. Committee member Schultz seconded the motion. The minutes were approved unanimously.

**ITEM 5. Public Input on Non-Agenda Items (*Chairperson*)
(*5-minute comment period per individual*)**

Joe

Committee member Schaeffer reminded the VAC that the July meeting will be his last meeting and that a vote for a new chair and vice chair should be included in the July agenda. Maren will include any current applications that have been completed for VAC appointment.

Rose Ann Hofland gave an update on the Levitt's expansion project which will include a large painted mural. The open call for art will go out in early August and the Levitt team will adhere to the city's policy for public art commission throughout its process – selecting a diverse selection panel, encouraging artists to include a community engagement plan, and presenting the final design for approval by the VAC, Arts Commission and Parks Board. The Committee members shared some insight on quality materials, RFQ language, and a repair and maintenance plan for the project, which will be gifted to the city once it's complete.

ITEM 6. Old Business

Maren

a. Mural Ordinance and External Mural Info for Website

The committee set a working session for June 25th at noon to work through the mural ordinance language and external FAQs about murals for the City's Arts and Culture page.

ITEM 7. New Business

Maren

a. Sculpture Placement Approvals:

i. "Blast Off" by Steve Bormes at Start-Up Sioux Falls

The Committee discussed the placement of "Blast Off" on the north side of the Start-Up Sioux Falls Building which is city property. Committee member Schaeffer suggested that the city get something in writing about the artist being responsible for the repair and maintenance of the piece despite it being placed on city property. Committee member Schaeffer made a motion to approve the placement of Steve Bormes' "Blast Off" at the Start-Up Sioux Falls building. The placement was approved unanimously.

ii. "Jerry Garcia" by Steve Lester - location TBD

Tabled until further details can be gathered about the donation terms with Fred Gage and the Levitt. The committee recommends considering placement indoors at the Levitt offices.

b. Orpheum Project Update

Maren updated the VAC on the Orpheum Theatre project. An RFQ is set to go out next week for a request for qualifications that will include a plan for community engagement work and a final community inspired design, with no requirement for the artist to pay for materials or installation.

c. McKennan Park Pool Project

Scott

Committee member Parsons shared a conversation regarding a potential art installation project at McKennan park and wondered if there was an available CAD of the McKennan Park pool construction that could be shared publicly. Maren is looking into this.

d. Mural Extension Project on River Road

Maren

Discussion tables until further notice.

ITEM 8. Announcements

a. Next Regular Meeting, Wednesday, June 18th at 4:15pm

ITEM 9. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 5:19pm.

SCULPTUREWALK Top Six Best in Show:

Cruising Continuity by Luke Achterberg

<https://sculpturewalksiouxfalls.com/sculptures/2025/cruising-continuity/>

Resilient Soul by Ken Newman

<https://sculpturewalksiouxfalls.com/sculptures/2025/resilient-soul/>

Future Focust by Gedion Nyanhongo

<https://sculpturewalksiouxfalls.com/sculptures/2025/futurefocust/>

The Seeker by Cameron Stalheim

<https://sculpturewalksiouxfalls.com/sculptures/2025/theseeker/>

Tetra Totem in Azul Imperial by Laren Thompson

<https://sculpturewalksiouxfalls.com/sculptures/2025/tetratotem/>

Strength and Courage by Catherine Johnson

<https://sculpturewalksiouxfalls.com/sculptures/2025/strength-and-courage/>



Application for Appointment to a City Board, Commission, or Committee

Date: 05/05/2025Employer: ASGName: Nick Adam Bell
First Middle LastTitle/Occupation: Director/Account ExecutiveAddress: 908 S Southeastern Ave
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Sioux Falls SD 57103
City State ZipAddress: _____
Street

City State ZipPhone: 402-278-0089

Phone: _____

Email: nick.a.bell@outlook.com

Email: _____

At which address would you prefer to be contacted? ☒ Home ☐ WorkAre you a registered voter of the city of Sioux Falls? ☒ Yes ☐ NoAre you a resident of the city of Sioux Falls? ☒ Yes ☐ No

Board Choices:

NOTE: You may pick up to three (3) boards to apply for. Please pick with number one (1) being the highest, and three (3) being the lowest of your priorities.

Choice #1 Visual Arts CommitteeChoice #2 Visual Arts CommitteeChoice #3 Visual Arts Committee

Education/Experience:

Please list education or training relevant to your choice(s):

My education and training in the visual arts has mostly been around the designing of logos, materials and website of my business as well as the marketing it.

Please list work experience relevant to your choice(s):

Through my job and business I have been involved in multiple types of committees along with leading projects, managing vendors, collaborating with teams and executing plans.

Please list community volunteer service relevant to your choice(s):

I have previously helped on and led a couple of church committees that were involved in art and landscape design which included fundraising, committee hearings and ultimately execution of the vision.

I would like to serve in the indicated position(s) because:

I have a passion for the arts and would like to contribute to the Sioux Falls community through serving on the Visual Arts Committee and helping with the projects and opportunities that the city receives.

References:

The following references may be contacted:

Name: Wyatt DicksonName: Anthony GoschAddress: Sioux Falls, SDAddress: 6504 West 46th St Sioux Falls, SD 57106Phone: 6055952318Phone: 6054301963

Attachment:

Please submit a resume and/or a brief autobiography.



Legal:

I understand the role and responsibility of membership on these Boards or Commissions and am willing to serve. In applying for appointment, I understand that the Mayor may contact the references listed. I also understand that I might be contacted by citizens or other board members at the address I indicated on the other side of this application.

Signed by:

Mike Bell

Signature ID: 09007DF8498...

Your application will be kept on file for three years. Thank you for applying.

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Nick A. Bell

908 S Southeastern Ave Sioux Falls, SD 57103

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nick.a.bell@outlook.com

Education

University of South Dakota-Bachelor of Science in Kinesiology & Sport Science, Minor in Spanish and Interdisciplinary Studies, Cumulative 3.3 GPA, May 2016

Proficient in speaking and writing Spanish

Professional Experience

March 2020-Present, Angott Search Group, Director of Financial Services, Remote

- Developing new financial business in South Dakota, North Dakota, Minnesota, Montana, Nebraska and Iowa
- Work with banks and credit unions to assess hiring needs, target qualified candidates and conduct early stage interviews
- Work with professionals on career plans and targeted job searches
- Build and maintain professional relationships through cold calls, site visits, etc.
- Negotiate contracts and employment offers for companies and candidates

April 2019-Present, Broken Bone LLC, CEO, Sioux Falls, SD

- Developing and producing high quality dog treats
- Marketing, sales and business development of products and brand

May 2016-February 2020, GPAC, Account Executive/Recruiter, Sioux Falls, SD

- Developed new banking business in Illinois and Indiana
- Built out a database of potential candidates and companies from scratch
- Thoroughly vetted candidates and companies for career fits
- Made 60-80 Cold Calls a day

May 2015-August 2015, Axxis Sports Quito, Intern, Quito, Ecuador

- Assisted with training athletes and physical therapy

Community Involvement

2012-Present, Community Blood Bank Donor

2014-2015, USD Coyote Radio, DJ

2013-2015, Big Pal Little Pal Vermillion, SD

2011, Eagle Scout - Boy Scouts of America



Application for Appointment to a City Board, Commission, or Committee

Date: 07/22/2024Employer: Center for Family MedicineName: Casey Lee Kelderman
First Middle LastTitle/Occupation: Marketing ManagerAddress: 6001 West Misty Glen Place
Street
Sioux Falls SD 57106
City State ZipAddress: 1115 East 20th St.
Street
Sioux Falls SD 57105
City State ZipPhone: 712-578-9389Phone: 605-339-1783Email: caseykelderman@gmail.com

Email: _____

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Bachelors of Media Studies from the University of Sioux Falls (2017)

Please list work experience relevant to your choice(s):

Marketing Manager for the Center for Family Medicine (2022-Present)

Please list community volunteer service relevant to your choice(s):

Event Coordinator for the SiouxperCon Film Festival (2019-Present)Event Coordinator for the Vermillion Vortex Film Festival (2024-Present)

I would like to serve in the indicated position(s) because:

Improving and building the arts and specifically the film community has been a passion of mine since graduating from USF, and has allowed me to help build two area film festivals, and workshops for filmmakers.

References:

The following references may be contacted:

Name: Sam LenzName: Shane GerlachAddress: 2210 W Trevi Place, Sioux Falls, SD 57108Address: 310 S. 1st Ave Sioux Falls, SD 57104Phone: Sam LenzPhone: 605-661-8852

Attachment:

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Sioux Falls, SD 57106
712-578-9389
caseykelderman@gmail.com

Casey Kelderman

SKILLS

Skilled in Customer Service, Communication, Event Organization, Graphic Design, Microsoft Office, Creative Writing, Social Media Marketing and Adobe Premiere Pro. Strong support professional with a Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) focused in Media Studies with an emphasis on Media Production from University of Sioux Falls.

EXPERIENCE

Center for Family Medicine, Sioux Falls, SD – Marketing Manager

January 2022 - PRESENT

- Graphic designer for social media, websites, internal marketing, and external advertising.
- Maintaining up to date content for three Wordpress websites.
- Write, shoot, and edit internal marketing videos for recruitment.

SiouxperCon, Sioux Falls, SD – Film Festival Director

January 2021 - PRESENT

- Film Festival Director for South Dakota's largest pop culture and fan convention.
- Coordinate with studios, distributors and filmmakers to create a 3 day festival of film, including feature length and short films.
- Organize guests for the Film Festival to conduct panels, workshops and meet and greet opportunities.

Universal Windows Direct, Sioux Falls, SD – Marketing Manager

June 2021 - December 2021

- Graphic designer and photographer for social media and Wordpress website.
- Manage and set up home shows, local events, and vendor fairs.

Noteboom RV, Harrisburg, SD – Social Media Coordinator

January 2020 - June 2021

- Photographer for all new and used inventory.
- Edit, shoot and produce videos highlighting inventory and special events.
- Graphic designer for social media, print, and online marketing.

EDUCATION

University of Sioux Falls, Sioux Falls, SD – Media Studies

January 2016 - December 2017

Bachelor's of Arts (B.A.), Media Studies with an emphasis on Production.

Northwest Iowa Community College, Sheldon, IA – *General Studies*

August 2013 - May 2015

Associate of Arts (A.A.), General Studies with an emphasis in writing, mass media, and business.