

**MINUTES**  
**CITY OF TARPON SPRINGS PUBLIC ART COMMITTEE**  
**SPECIAL MEETING**  
**October 13, 2009**

The Tarpon Springs Public Art Committee met in the Tarpon Springs Library Conference Room on Tuesday, October 13, 2009 with members Marleen Gravitz, Barbara Schnipper, Sue Geier, Mic Poppa, and Beverly Kurpinski present. Also in attendance were City Staff Advisor Kathy Monahan, City Advisor Ginny Haller, and City Liaison Debbie Stott. Guests included Vice Mayor Robin Saenger and Waste Water Treatment Superintendent Ray Page. Board members June Fox and Maria Bobotas were absent as was Asst. City Attorney Shauna Morris.

Chairperson Marleen Gravitz called the meeting to order at 10:05AM. The purpose of this special meeting was to specifically review the Public Art Master Plan item-by-item, line-by-line in preparation for presentation to the Board of Commissioners. With respect to time, Mr. Page was invited to proceed with his presentation.

As Superintendent of the Waste Water Treatment Plant, Mr. Page attended the meeting to request a mural to be painted on a reclaimed water tank located at Safford Ave. and Pine Street near the Pinellas Trail. The entire committee received his request with enthusiasm. Logistics for this project are forthcoming and will be a priority project depending on funding.

Minutes for the September 15<sup>th</sup> meeting were reviewed with two revisions made. Barbara Schnipper moved to accept as revised, seconded by Mic Poppa. All agreed. Minutes for the September 29<sup>th</sup> meeting were reviewed with one correction. Barbara Schnipper moved to accept as corrected, seconded by Mic Poppa. All agreed.

Pages 16 through 23 of the Master Plan were reviewed and revised. It was agreed that spelling and punctuation would be taken care of the with final draft production. Development of this document will continue with page 24 at the next meeting scheduled for October 20<sup>th</sup> at 10AM in the Library Conference Room.

In closing, everyone was reminded of the Focus Group meeting at 6:30PM this same evening in the Friends of the Library Meeting Room. Mrs. Gravitz also announced that the artwork for the tower at Meres Town Crossing was approved by the Commissioners as presented by AG Development.

With no further comments or business Sue Geier moved to adjourn, seconded by Mic Poppa. The meeting adjourned at 12:30PM.

