Sandisfield Cultural Council Meeting August 29, 2023 at 7:00pm Via Zoom

MINUTES

Attendees: Alexcia Adams, Karema Almeida, Ellen Croibier, Jennifer Hibbins, Jennifer Lenzi

The meeting was called to order at 7:14 pm.

Alexicia made the motion, Ellen seconded and the minutes were unanimously approved for November 22, 2022.

The following grantmaking priorities for FY24 were confirmed by the members in attendance: The venue should reach a large group in the community. Community-wide gatherings are desired. School children and activities related to learning are a high priority, as well as events for senior citizens in town. Local presenters dealing with the arts, humanities and sciences are encouraged.

The following officers were elected by the Council: Jennifer Hibbins as Chair, Jennifer Lenzi as Treasurer and Karema Almeida as Secretary.

The next meeting date to review grant applications was set to Thursday, November 9th at 6pm, preferably at Firehouse #1 on Route 8.

Members discussed the payments to WAM Theatre, with 2021 still outstanding and Jen L. waiting for word from the Town. Sculpture Now's reimbursement was received and processed. Jen L. will reach out to other 2023 grantees to encourage them to submit for payment before the end of the year.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:35 pm.