Centerville Arts Commission Meeting

February 4, 2015

Members Present: Ginny Strausburg, Chair, Tom Bankston, Betty Lou Carney, Jim Collins, Kathleen Jablinski, Sierra Kelley, Marlene Orendorf, and Mary Scott

Also Present: Kristen Gopman, Assistant to the City Manager

Meeting was called to order at 7:00pm by Ginny Strausburg, Chair

Minutes from Janurary 7, 2015 were presented and approved

<u>Staff Report</u>: meeting minutes have been assigned to commission members through October 2015. Review the directory included in our meeting packet for accuracy and let Kristen know if there need to be any changes made to your information. There will be no April meeting scheduled unless a need arises.

<u>Art Gallery</u>: Mary and Jim reported May and December are available and there are artists who are interested in these spots. Lloyd Greene will have a closing reception on February 27th from 6:30-8:30pm. An information sheet about the art gallery for artists interested in exhibiting at the Police Department has been discussed.

<u>Classical Series</u>: An outline of potential events for this year has been approved by the commission. Kristen will look into potential venues and dates for Sid the Serpent and Dayton Opera Artist in Residence programs.

<u>Art at the Trace</u>: flyers with a list of artists present will be available at Yankee Trace. We have sold approximately 100 pre-sale tickets. Three artists have offered to donate pieces for raffle. Young Professionals will be on hand to help work the ticket desk, work as event staff as well as move walls/displays after the event. 24 artists are booked.

<u>Summer Concert Series</u>: the schedule is all set and contracts are being received back from bands, March 31 is the contract deadline. Sponsorship packets are being sent out and so far there has been a positive response. We have new business sponsors this year and we have opened up to individual sponsorships.

Interactive Committee:

- FM Poster Contest: No report
- Digital Photo Contest: No report
- Cultural Day: there will be planning for 2015 cultural day later this month

Meeting Adjourned: 7:42pm

Respectfully submitted by Sierra Kelley