



Memorandum

To: Mayor and Town Council

From: Patty McKenny, Town Clerk

Date: March 7, 2017

Subject: Two Appointments to Art in Public Places (AIPP)

I. SUMMARY

There are two applicants for two vacancies on the AIPP Board, Margaret Rogers and Susan Bristol, letters of interest attached.

Both applicants interviewed November 2016 when there was one vacancy with the resignation of Amanda Zinn who was hired with the Welcome Center. Since these two people were recently interviewed, it was decided to move forward with the appointments during the evening meeting. Town Council shall appoint two (2) members for terms of two years each ending March 31, 2019.

II. BACKGROUND

Duties and functions of the Art in Public Places Board include:

- Implementation of the AIPP policies and selection procedures.
- Acquiring public art by purchase, donation or other means for Vail's permanent Art in Public Places collection.
- Overseeing the maintenance and preservation of art works displayed in public areas.
- Assisting the Art in Public Places coordinator in obtaining grants and donations to fund public art projects.
- Promoting public art through a public education program that will further community appreciation and understanding of the visual arts.
- Publicizing Art in Public Places projects and recognizing the artist(s) involved with the project.
- Evaluating the Art in Public Places program and commitment of board members annually and setting program goals on a five year basis.

The current make up of the AIPP Board include:

Members	Term Expires
Patricia Donovan	2018
Julie Hansen	2018
Michael Kurz	2017
Nancy Lassetter	2018
Kara Woods	2018
Bill Pierce	2018
Margaret Rogers	2017

The position vacancies were advertised with a public notice in the Vail Daily and posted on the Town of Vail website the past couple of weeks.

Patty McKenny

From: Margaret Rogers <iliveinvail@yahoo.com>
Sent: Monday, February 06, 2017 3:02 PM
To: Patty McKenny
Subject: Art in Public Places Opening

Hi Patty,

Please consider this email to be my application for the opening on the Art in Public Places Board. As you are aware, I was appointed to the AIPP in November, 2016 to finish the term of Amanda Zinn. Since Amanda had only four months left on her term, I have barely had time to get totally up to speed on the current and planned projects of the Board before the term was set to expire. I continue to believe that I can bring experience and enthusiasm to the Board, and would like to be considered for a full term on the AIPP.

I am available for the interviews planned on March 7, and am happy to answer any questions the council may have.

Thank you,

Margaret Rogers

Patty McKenny

From: Molly Eppard
Sent: Wednesday, March 01, 2017 9:42 AM
To: Patty McKenny
Subject: FW: Board Openings_AIPP
Attachments: AIPP BOARD Interview facts.docx

From: Susan Bristol [<mailto:susan.bristol@gmail.com>]
Sent: Wednesday, February 15, 2017 3:22 PM
To: Molly Eppard
Subject: Re: Board Openings_AIPP

Thanks, Molly! I would definitely like to apply again for the AIPP Board.

Slight wrinkle...I will be out of the country until March 8, thus missing the interview date. Hopefully the Council will remember my interview in November.

I've attached the outline of my qualifications from the last interview for you to have.

Thanks very much for giving me a heads-up on the upcoming openings. I'll hope to be able to work with you in the future!

Susan Bristol
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On Tue, Feb 14, 2017 at 10:31 AM Molly Eppard <MEppard@vailgov.com> wrote:

Hi Susan,

I wanted to send along the attached document regarding the upcoming openings on the AIPP board. Please let me know if you have any questions!

Best,

Molly Eppard
Town of Vail
Art in Public Places Coordinator

SUSAN BRISTOL, HON. AIA (AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF ARCHITECTS)
INTERVIEW FACTS RE: AIPP BOARD MEMBERSHIP

HISTORY

- Vail resident since 1970; homeowner since 1972
- Connecticut College for Women – numerous art media and art history classes, BA – German Language and Literature
- Study in Europe and Internship in Berlin, Germany – Informationzentrum Berlin (PR branch of Berlin Senate – city-wide interviews with architects, artists and politicians, copy editing for Berlin brochure series)

WORK

- Worked closely at The Architects Collaborative with Walter Gropius, Bauhaus founder, in Cambridge MA as Public Relations Assistant to Principals
- Worked personally with Gropius on research and design of traveling international exhibit of his life's work
- First Public Relations Assistant to Dale McCall – Vail Resort Association
- First Media Relations Consultant to Bob Parker – Vail Associates
- Design:
 - Graphic design and photo styling for own design/print business – 15 years
 - Design and production of first Beaver Creek brochure – Vail Associates Real Estate
 - Golden Bear – Custom jewelry design and visual merchandizing – 19 years
 - Asian Village – Store/graphic design, media relations, buying, for own business – 15 years

INDEPENDENT CONSULTING

- Research, composition and editing of first published Design Guidelines for Beaver Creek
- Strategist, Researcher and Writer to over 50 Colorado and American architects upon their nomination for Fellowship in the American Institute of Architects – 46 years Made Honorary AIA Member for life.

VOLUNTEER SERVICE

- DeCordova Museum, Lincoln MA – Outdoor Arts Committee
- Vail – Concept development and early publicity – Vail Symposium
- Vail Mountain School Home Tour Co-Chair for ten years
- TOV Committee for interviews and choice of architect for proposed Conference Center

INSPIRATION AND IMAGINATION

- My son, Alex Herzog, is a professional artist who has been on the faculty of the School of the Art Institute of Chicago for ten years and just installed a solo show of his recent work in NYC. I have learned from him.
- Two of my closest friends in Vail, Barbie Christopher and Pam Hopkins – both past AIPP Board Members, have repeatedly encouraged me to apply for AIPP Board Membership. Recently retired, I now have an opportunity to volunteer my time to the Town. Design has been one of the guiding lights of my life and I believe my background, education and experience would be assets to AIPP.
- I have never served on a TOV Board. I am a fresh recruit with an open mind, out-of-the-box thinking, and imagination based in practicality. Enjoying collaboration with others in setting and reaching goals, I am dedicated to the Vail community, its growth in the arts and environmental design, and promotion of art as a vital part of our educational and adventurous experience for residents and visitors.

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From: Molly Eppard
Sent: Wednesday, March 01, 2017 9:42 AM
To: Patty McKenny
Subject: FW: my recommendation for Susan Bristol on the AIPP board
Attachments: Susan Bristol AIPP 1.pdf; ATT00001.htm

From: Pamela Hopkins [<mailto:pamela@hopkinsarchitecture.com>]
Sent: Monday, October 31, 2016 11:25 AM
To: Molly Eppard
Subject: my recommendation for Susan Bristol on the AIPP board

Hello Molly,

I have recently come back from London visiting Whitney and her very new baby boy, Theo Ansel Hopkins Oehmke. It's all so exciting and thought you be interested.

I just learned that there is an opening on the AIPP Board and would like to recommend my good friend Susan Bristol.

Would you please pass my attached letter onto the Council and whom else needs it? Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks Molly, Pam
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