

EXCERPT

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CITY OF CORAL GABLES  
ARTS ADVISORY PANEL MEETING  
Wednesday, May 29, 2019 9:00 a.m.

CORAL GABLES MUSEUM  
285 Aragon Ave., Coral Gables, Florida 33134

MEMBERS	J	J	A	S	O	N	D	J	F	M	A	M
	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	19	19	19	19	19
Herbert Brito*	-	P	E	P	E	P	-	P	P	P	P	P
Dr. Carol Damian	-	P	P	P	P	P	-	P	P	P	P	P
Dr. Jill Deupi	-	P	P	P	P	E	-	P	P	E	E	E
Emily MacDonald-Korth*						P	-	E	E	P	P	P
Jacek Kolasiński	-	P	P	P	P	P		P	E	P	P	P
Juan Roselione-Valadez	-	P	P	P	E	P	-	P	P	E	P	P
Freda Tschumy	-	E	P	P	P	P	-	A	P	E	P	P

LEGEND: A = Absent; P = Present; E = Excused; \* = New Member; ^= Resigned Member;  
- = No Meeting + = Special Meeting

STAFF:

Dona Spain, Historical Resources and Cultural Arts Director  
Catherine Cathers, Arts and Culture Specialist, Historical Resources and Cultural Arts

GUESTS:

Kelly Davidson, Scott Davidson, Glenn Reiss

MEETING RECORD / MINUTES PREPARATION: Catherine Cathers, Arts & Culture Specialist,  
Historical Resources & Cultural Arts Department

Dr. Damian called the Arts Advisory Panel meeting to order at 3:06 p.m.

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NEW BUSINESS:

a. TEMPORARY EXHIBITION – CARLOS ALBERT

The Panel was provided with an application requesting the temporary exhibition of a single sculpture by Carlos Albert on private property that is in a prominent, accessible, and frequently used plaza at 2655 Le Jeune Road on the corner of Le Jeune Road and Valencia Avenue across from Publix.

Property owners Kelly Davidson, Scott Davidson, and Glenn Reiss introduced themselves and spoke of their fondness for the artist and his work, stating that the artist received the highest award for living sculptors in Spain. Ms. Davidson showed the Panel a maquette made by the artist that is similar to what the artist is

currently making for the proposed installation. Ms. Cathers reviewed the artist's CV and biographical information for the Panel, discussed the proposed location, and noted that the request is for a thirteen-month exhibition from November 2019 through December 2020.

Panel members asked that (if approved) a title plaque and information about the work be included with the installation.

Ms. Spain asked if the tenants in the building had been informed. Mr. Davidson responded that the Spanish Consulate is in the building and is excited about the project. Mr. Roselione-Valadez noted that he liked the connection between the doorway image of the artwork and the portal that a consulate symbolizes.

The Panel was advised that although the artwork is on private property, it's visible in the public realm and goes through the Panel and Board approval process.

**A motion was made by Ms. Tschumy to recommend the temporary exhibition of a sculpture by Carlos Albert at the corner of 2655 Le Jeune Road for a period of up to thirteen months from November 2019 through December 2020. Mr. Roselione-Valadez seconded the motion, which passed unanimously.**

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Respectfully submitted,

Dona M. Spain  
Historical Resources and Cultural Arts Director