

## 4-8-26 Cultural District Meeting Minutes

Roll Call-Frank, Jim, Noel, Andy, Carol, Beth, Pasquilina, Juliette, Halley, Beth M

Beats on the boardwalk starts May 14th. Finalizing call to artists for these events. Mix of response to call to artists and curating.

Mt. Holyoke College paying for an intern which we may use.

The Mayor received a Grant for 8 weeks screening world cup USA games at Millside Park beginning sat June 13. Food tucks etc.

MCC released their finalized requirements for being a district. There is flexibility. 2028 is when we will need to reapply. Funding is still unknown until August.

Talking with a potential program partner of an every other year festival. More info TBA.

Postcards will be made for handing out at businesses and schools. We would also like to make rack cards to be distributed at local events.

Facebook events will be made for these events.

Sidewalk Strut- Music on the boardwalk and municipal lot across Book Moon. Children's programming will also be there. Mini makers market will also be there. Show Circus will have stilt walkers, jugglers, etc. Art in motion will be performing on a smaller scale inside Marigold. Trash cans maybe the city can help with that? Are we having porta potties? Signage for restrooms at Riverside and the safety complex. Talk to Sevens and Marigold about restrooms. 1-4pm Strut and Art Walk 4-7. Looking into curating the "hill parking lot" at Riverside industries.

Adjournment: 9:54am

Next Meeting: May 13, 2026