**(PAC) Public Art Committee Meeting Minutes**

The (PAC) Public Art Committee met on March 7, 2025 at 10:00AM in the Food for Thought Café at the Rommel Center for Entrepreneurship -212 W Main St, Suite 205, Salisbury, MD 21801

In Attendance: Brandon Bell Susan Holt Max Verbits

Opening:

* Meeting called to order at 10:12 AM
* Approval of February Meeting Minutes: Minutes from the previous meeting were reviewed and approved.

1. New Business Board Communication Protocol
   1. Clarification was provided on the proper procedures for maintaining communication with board members and other relevant parties.
   2. It was emphasized that all back-and-forth correspondence must be documented and properly outlined for public record to ensure transparency.
2. Salisbury Prize Updates
   1. Thomas Sterner: Primary concern revolves around ensuring that the sculpture can withstand wind conditions.
   2. James & Jeri: Their key question pertains to how the tree sculpture will be illuminated.
   3. Tessa: Inquired about the rationale behind the addition of extensive text in the latest version of the design.
   4. Howard: Expressed general approval of the proposal with no major concerns or feedback.
      1. Follow-up communication will be conducted with all individuals except Thomas Sterner to further discuss their inquiries.
      2. The TAG Committee will then conduct a comprehensive review of all applications.
3. Study Group
   1. No updates at this time.
4. Light Street Project
   1. The asphalt art installation is scheduled to take place on April 12th.
5. MSAC PAAM Grant
   1. The grant will be revisited and discussed at the next meeting.
6. Next Meeting: April 4th.