



Coeur d'Alene
Arts Commission

The purpose of the City of Coeur d'Alene Arts Commission is to encourage the development of artistic and cultural life and to join with all persons and institutions concerned with the arts to ensure that the role of the arts in our community will grow and play an evermore significant part in the welfare and educational experience of the citizens of Coeur d'Alene.

TUESDAY, September 8, 2026, 4:00 p.m.
CITY HALL, RON EDINGER CONFERENCE ROOM #6
710 E. Mullan Avenue

Agenda

1. Call to Order
2. Conflict of Interest Declaration
3. Public Comments

THE FOLLOWING ITEMS ARE CONSIDERED ACTION ITEMS:

4. Review/Corrections/Approval of Minutes: August 25, 2026
5. Review/Corrections/Approval of Current Financial Reports
6. Commissioner/Staff Comments
7. Selection and Approval of the Coeur d'Alene Arts Awards Recipients-Chair Ryba
8. Subcommittee Assignments and Chair Updates-Chair Ryba

The City of Coeur d'Alene will make reasonable accommodations for anyone attending this meeting who requires special assistance for hearing, physical, or other impairments. Please contact Melissa Brandt, Administrative Assistant, at (208) 769-2252 at least 72 hours in advance of the meeting date and time.

ARTS COMMISSION SUBCOMMITTEES

CHAIRMAN: Mary Lee Ryba

VICE-CHAIRMAN: Abby Light

GOVERNANCE & ADMINISTRATION

Applicant Review, Budget Oversight, New Commissioner Orientation, Policies & Procedures

Mary Lee Ryba, Chair
Abby Light, Vice Chair
Amy Evans, Council Liaison

PUBLIC ART

ArtCurrents, Public Art Collection, Mural Projects, Bus Shelter Design

Lindsey Sichelstiel, Chair
Abby Light, Vice Chair
Kate Walker
Charlotte Doutriaux
Sally Shortridge
Denise Yost
Nora Crabtree
Alysyn Amaya
Lynn Fleming

COMMUNITY OUTREACH & EVENTS

CDA Arts Awards, Oct. Arts & Humanities Month, CACHE, Film Festival, Community Partnerships

Mary Lee Ryba, Chair
Charlotte Doutriaux, Vice Chair
Amy Evans, Council Liaison
Kate Walker
Sally Shortridge
Chuck Ethridge
Abby Light
Duncan Menzies
Cynthia Newkirk
Lindsey Sichelstiel
Tracey Benson
Adam Kroeger
Jackie Butera
Nora Crabtree
Walter Burns
Bill Pfinsgraff

ARTS PROGRAMMING

Performing Arts, Visual Arts, Poet Laureate, Special Arts Initiatives

Tracey Benson, Chair
Kate Walker, Vice Co-Chair
Sally Shortridge, Vice Co-Chair
Denise Yost
Chuck Ethridge
Cynthia Newkirk
Nora Crabtree
Alysyn Amaya

MARKETING & COMMUNICATIONS

Marketing, Social Media, Public Relations, Website, Promotion of all Commission Programs, Otocast

Chuck Ethridge, Chair
Cynthia Newkirk, Vice Chair
Duncan Menzies
Charlotte Doutriaux