

Bloomington Arts Commission

Full Commission Meeting

September 9, 2026

5:15pm to 6:30pm

This meeting will be held in the McCloskey Conference Room 135 located in City Hall, 401 North Morton Street. This meeting may also be accessed via zoom at the following link:

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Agenda

1. Call to Order & Roll Call
2. Approval of Agenda and Minutes (ACTION)
 - a. August 2026 Minutes
3. New Commissioner
4. Staff report
 - a. BEAD - Statewide Cultural District Designation Recertification
 - b. Professional Development Trainings
 - c. Commissioner Trainings
 - d. Newsletter sign up and headshots
5. Public Feedback on Miller Showers Public Art Piece (Christina)
6. Public Art - Rebecca Keough, Subcommittee Chair
 - a. Deaccessioning discussion (ACTION)
7. Grants - Gerard Pannekoek, Subcommittee Chair
8. [Upcoming events & important dates](#)
9. Commissioner Comments & Announcements
10. Public Comment
11. Call to Adjourn

Commission Membership

Pursuant to applicable law and policy, and in compliance with Indiana Code 5-14-9-6, the following details are provided regarding the officers serving on this committee:

Commissioner	Appointed By	Appointment Date	Term
Nada Abdelrahim (Chair)	Mayor	2/1/2025	2/1/2025 - 1/31/2028
Colin Dugger	Common Council	7/29/2026	2/1/2025 - 1/31/2028
Lynn Hooker	Common Council	9/30/2025	2/1/2025 - 1/31/2028
Rebecca Keough, Public Arts Chair	Mayor	4/15/2026	2/1/2026 - 1/31/2029
Gretchen Nall	Mayor	2/21/2024	2/1/2024 - 1/31/2027
Gerard Pannekoek, Grants Co-Chair	Common Council	2/1/2026	2/1/2026 - 1/31/2029
Robert Shakespeare	Common Council	2/1/2024	2/1/2024 - 1/31/2027
Betsy Stirratt	Mayor	2/9/2024	2/1/2024 - 1/31/2027
Austin White	Common Council	2/18/2026	2/1/2026 - 1/31/2029
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