

City Beautiful Commission Meeting Minutes
May 19, 2026 1:30 PM 3427 N. Magnolia, NLR AR

Guests: Austin Floyd – artist

Members: Gayle Fisher, Bubba Earnhart, Betsy Davies, Susan Langley

Staff: Dan Scott

The meeting came to order at 1:35 PM. A quorum was present.

Corrected minutes were approved.

The Commission members discussed painting two shorter concrete walls on 33rd Street at the I-40 Levy Exit. Different levels of pricing were discussed with Austin Floyd. After looking at different design options, Bubba Earnhart made a motion to hire Austin Floyd to paint the two walls for \$8,540.00. Betsy Davies seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.

The North Little Rock Academy School submitted a request to be considered as a special project. The request included amenities for the ongoing garden project at the school and was for items the Community Garden Program would not fund. Betsy Davies made a motion to approve \$ 2,766 for the school project. Bubba Earnhart seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.

The Commission then addressed their interest in painting more traffic boxes/electrical boxes in the city. After discussing locations, it was decided to paint boxes along Pike Avenue and then move into Amboy. Some boxes in Amboy will need to be discussed with the Amboy Neighborhood Association and traffic services/electric department because they have large labels on them that can't be painted over. Betsy Davies made a motion to allocate \$ 5,500.00 to paint ten additional boxes with the contract going to Austin Floyd. Susan Langley seconded the motion and it passed unanimously.

The meeting adjourned at 2:45 PM.

Beginning Balance	\$ 19,574.00
Minus Levy Wall Project	- 8,540.00
Minus NLR Academy School Project	- 2,766.00
Minus Box Painting Expansion	- 5,500.00
Remaining Balance	\$ 2,768.00