

Scituate Cultural Council
Fall Voting Meeting – V2.0
November 14, 2022

Members present: Dan Fogarty, Susan Gallagher (joined 12:14), George Humphrey, Tracey Kelly, Michele McGrath, Janice Murphy, Brenda O'Brien, Betty Tufankjian

Members absent: Christine Becker

Meeting called to order at 12:04.

The reason for the meeting is to reconsider the grant requests that had been declined due to misunderstanding on Council's part of eligible dates. These include requests for \$800 from Choral Arts Society of the South Shore: "Tis the Season: Music to Delight"; a \$500 request from the James Library for JT Turner.

It was decided to award the Choral Arts Society of the South Shore: "Tis the Season: Music to Delight"; \$500 via a reduction of the original award to CORSE from \$1500 to \$1000. It was also decided to not award The James Library for JT Turner as other James programs had been awarded. All members agreed.

A discussion took place about the SCC changing dates from the current eligibility time frame (July 1, 2022 – December 31, 2023, for this year). Local councils do have the ability to change dates and inform public via updates on the SCC website. It was agreed that the SCC will continue to utilize the Mass Cultural Councils current date guidelines. The SCC website will be updated to reflect current grant cycle dates by Dan. Michele will send updated wording to Dan.

Tracey will send approval letters for all awarded grants.

A motion to adjourn was made at 12:22, and the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Tracey Kelly