

Town of Ridgefield- Ridgefield Arts Council Meeting

March 4, 2026 at 7:15 PM

In-Person Attendees:

**Town Hall Small Conference Room
400 Main Street, Ridgefield, Connecticut**

Those Attending Virtually:

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Minutes taken by Tracey Bryggman

Present (in-person): Tracey Bryggman, Colleen Cash, Joe Collin (arr at 7:27), Jennifer Dineen, Pamme Jones, Anna Ciamporcero

Present (virtually): Renee Brown-Cheng, Raje Kaur

Excused: Nick Catino, Danielle Roth

Guests: Naomi Bond (virtually)

MEETING TO ORDER

Jennifer made a motion to call the meeting to order. Anna seconded. The meeting was called to order at 7:17pm.

MINUTES

- Tracey made a motion to approve the February 2026 Meeting Minutes. Jennifer seconded. All else approved.

TREASURER'S REPORT

- Receipts that have been submitted have been paid

Old Business

Behind the Scenes Planning and Nancy Comstock Andrews Award

- Conversation with the Playhouse regarding space use. Conversation will continue about whether or not a new space will be needed.
- Nancy Comstock Award will be voted on at the April meeting

- Responses for honorees continue to come in.

Spring 2026 Scholarship and Fundraiser

- The Lantern is not available on March 26th. New dates proposed are April 16, 23, 30.
- Applicant materials will be circulated to the Council in advance of the April meeting. The recipient of the RAC Scholarship will be decided at the April meeting.

Group Updates as needed

Banners

- All proceeding well, just need a few Banner hardware fixes

Our Artists Our Schools

- An event is scheduled for tomorrow.

EADR (renamed as Executive & Artistic Director Roundtable)

- Next event will be held at Founders Hall on March 20, at 9am in the Art Studio

Cultural District

- Chair Persons attended an ECDC led meeting regarding Ridgefield's Cultural District designation. A summary was provided to the council.
- A sub-committee is being formed. RAC members are asked to consider joining.

MMD

- Organization is proceeding on schedule. The registration site will open to venues first, then performers.
- Sugar Hollow will work with us to find bands for this year. We will need a sound engineer for Ballard Park, which requires additional funding.
- Bach to Rock will be running sound at Town Hall and Library.

New Business

None

ADJOURNMENT

- The meeting was adjourned at 8:03pm following a motion made by Anna and seconded by Raje. All approved.

The next meeting will be 4/8/2026 at 7:15pm.