



# June 2023 Mid-Month Newsletter

## Virtual PPA Board/Community Meeting

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**All are welcome!**

**Monday, June 26, 2023, 6:30-8pm**

Meeting access starts at 6:20pm.

Regularly scheduled meeting will be hosted via Zoom.

[Click Here for Meeting Agenda](#)

To get Zoom meeting access, fill out the Google Form below. All Zoom information will be emailed to you directly following submission of the form.

Assistance? please email [staff@prospectparkmpls.org](mailto:staff@prospectparkmpls.org)

Thank you and we look forward to seeing you at the meeting!

[Register here for the the Board/Community Meeting \(new\)](#)

## Upcoming Meetings (Virtual)

**Community Building Committee**

Thursday August 3, 4:30 PM

**Land Use & Planning Committee**

Thursday July 13, 7 PM

**Environment Committee**

Tuesday July 11, 6:30 PM

**Transportation & Safety Committee**

Wednesday July 12 7:30 PM

**Finance & Administration** does not meet in July

[Click here for the PPA Event Calendar and Meeting Access Information](#)

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# COMMUNITY NEWS

**Nine new murals coming to parks across Minneapolis this year!**



*An early illustrated concept for one of the walls at the Van Cleve Park pump house. Artist: Constanza Carballo*

The Minneapolis Park and Recreation Board (MPRB) is excited to announce a public art project that will create nine new murals at park locations across Minneapolis this year!

This project was created to build awareness about Parks for All, the new MPRB Comprehensive Plan, and reduce the amount of tagging and vandalism in the park system. All mural concepts and sites were developed in collaboration with local artists and MPRB staff.

The first mural is complete at the Lake Harriet Trolley Tunnel (see above by artist Jacqui Rosenbush). More murals will be painted this summer and fall, stay tuned for updates.

Check out the [Minneapolis Parks Mural Project Story Map](#) about this project.

## Murals and Artists

These artists are nationally and internationally renowned and all have local ties to Minneapolis. Each artist was paired with a site and a goal from [Parks for All, the new MPRB Comprehensive Plan](#) to represent in their mural.

**Goal 1:** Foster belonging and equity

**Artist:** Aaron Johnson-Ortiz

**Location:** Powderhorn Park restroom building

**Goal 2:** Steward a continuum of nature and recreation

**Artist:** Jacob Dwyer

**Location:** Franklin Steele Square park building

**Goal 3:** Provide core services with care

**Artist:** Melodee Strong

**Location:** Cleveland Park restroom building

**Goal 4:** Work from our strengths and determine our role in partnerships

**Artist:** Jacqui Rosenbush

**Location:** Lake Harriet trolley tunnel

**Goal 5:** Expand focus on health equity

**Artist:** Constanza Carballo

**Location:** Van Cleve Park pump house

**Goal 6:** Strengthen ecological connections

**Artist:** Thomasina TopBear

**Location:** Bde Maka Ska Parkway wall

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