

Town of Farragut (TOF) – Arts and Beautification Committee (ABC)
January 20, 2026

Members Present: Jenni Craddick, Lisa Hall, Sue-Ann Hansler, Cynthia Howell, Dot LaMarche, Brian Walker, Mayor Ron Williams

Absent: Ashley Lynch, Darryl Whitehead, Ella Woods (student)

Town of Farragut Staff: Kalei Fisher, Arleen Higginbotham, Rachel Malone, Ron Oestreich

The meeting was called to order by Lisa at 11:31AM. The November 17, 2025, minutes were distributed to the members for review; after review, a motion was made by Bryan to approve the minutes with Dot seconding the motion. Motion carried. Along with the meeting agenda and the prior meeting's minutes, the following handouts were distributed to each member: Art & Photography Show Application (3 pages) and the Art & Photography Show Sponsorship Form.

Business Items: None

Discussion Items:

- A. Quilt Show – Kalei gave an update about this event which will take place at the Farragut Community Center (FCC) on Saturday and Sunday, February 21-22, 2026, in the Gym. Saturday the show hours will take place from 8AM to 5PM and on Sunday the hours will be 1PM to 4PM with a reception on Saturday from 3PM to 5PM. Kalei will pass out a sign-up sheet at next month's meeting for committee members to volunteer for this event.
- B. Art and Photography Show – Kalei referred the committee members to the handouts distributed for the Art & Photography Show. The application and sponsorship forms were reviewed and approved by the committee. The show will be held at the FCC in the Gym this year since local polling (voting) will be taking place in the Assembly Hall during the show (April 18 and 19). The on-line application process will be similar to last year but paper applications will also be accepted this year. The application period will be open from February 1st through April 3rd. Lisa added the same two jurors from last year will be judging the show. Rachel asked the committee to review and approve the prize amounts by category listed on the application handout; the committee approved the listed amounts.
- C. Volunteer hours – Rachel reminded the committee to make sure to go online and record our volunteer hours for 2025 (include hours for meetings and events).

There were no communications from the public to discuss.

A motion was made by Lisa to adjourn the meeting at 11:54AM with Dot seconding the motion.

The next meeting will be held on Monday, February 16, 2026 at 11:30AM.

Respectfully submitted, Cynthia Howell