

Pulaski Elston Business Association  
 SSA 79 Advisory Meeting Minutes -  
 June 3, 2024  
 PEBA offices 4204 W. Lawrence

<b>Item</b>	<b>Information</b>	<b>Action</b>
<b>Introductions</b>	<p><b>Commissioners present:</b> Nick Yassan, Jason Caref, Lisa Orloff, Erin Grabe</p> <p><b>SSP Staff:</b> Amie Zander, Colleen Sweeney</p> <p><b>Guests:</b></p>	NY called the meeting to order at 11:03 am.
<b>Minutes</b>	Review April minutes	NY motion to approve with the modification, JC 2nd
<b>Financial Reports</b>	<p><b>Spending at an average rate: new banners purchased, landscaping cost, additional sidewalk maintenance cost, remainder of snow cost spent</b></p>	JC motion to approve, LO 2nd
<b>Updates on Old Business</b>		
<b>Sculpture</b>	<b>Two have been installed, and we are awaiting the next one.</b>	
<b>Live on Lawrence</b>	<b>All dates and bands have been scheduled, TBD on the food truck, potentially working - banner going up.</b>	
<b>Mural</b>	<b>Finished - Ribbon Cutting on June 27th at 10am</b>	
<b>New Business:</b>		
<b>Art Institute Program</b>	<b>Neighborhood engagement through artist window in the SSA - the goal is to inspire people across the city to come to our neighborhood and create a fun activation. It could be a vacant or active storefront</b>	Motion to approve funding for the art institute up to \$4k made by JC, EG second

<b>2025 Budget</b>	<b>Discussing the additional funds we have added to each category, the levy remains at 0.5%, and the percentage change from last year is only 2.74% - voting to send to the alderman for approval before submitting to the city.</b>	NY motion to approve, LO 2nd
	<b>Meeting adjourned at 11:58AM</b> <b>Next meeting: Monday, July 8th - 11 am</b>	Motion to adjourn made by NY, LO 2nd