



Art is the signature of civilization.

- Beverly Sills, American Soprano

Walla Walla Arts Planning Committee



Moving Forward

An idea must have its roots in a solid and sound
core principle and its head in the clouds where
dreams are made

- Laura Santtini, cookbook author

Tonight's Agenda

1. Where we have been

2. Small Group Breakout

- What does success look like in 10 years
- Top priorities for first 2 years
- Report back to large group
- Develop group consensus on long term vision and short term priorities

3. Next Steps

- Who should be included in these discussions
- Leadership
- Resources
- Timelines

What we heard from you



- Energy to move forward with organization(s) to support arts and culture in WW Valley
- Keep process moving forward
- Many more resources to be explored
- Recommendation?

Recommendation



Combination Model

Non-Profit Arts and Culture agency with
paid staff working in tandem with a
City/County/Valley Arts Commission

Rationale



Non-Profit Arts & Culture Agency

- Leadership
- Funding
- Partnerships
- Art education
- Marketing
- Communication

Commission

- Arts & Culture is part of planning and development
- Vital force in policy and initiatives related to Arts & Culture
- Limited funded need for initial stages

Breakout Work - 20 minutes

- Create a vision of what you see these successful organizations doing 10 years from now
- Based on this long term vision what are the most important things to do in the next 1-2 years
- Capture these on the butcher paper at your table
- Choose a reporter for the group

Next Steps

Based on our shared vision and top priorities, what are our next steps?

- ▶ Who should be included in this discussion
- ▶ Resources - what is needed and where to find them
- ▶ Identify leadership for tasks
- ▶ Timelines