**Meeting Minutes
Lenox Cultural Council
April 19, 2021**

Present: Arlene D. Schiff, Beth Tracy Gamble, Erin McNamara, Donna Pignatelli, Katy Holt

* The council approved the modification request for Berkshire Bach Society’s Bach to the Future program. Their award of $400 will be used for a performance to be held either this coming fall 2021 or winter 2022, and we will issue the grant check in advance of the performance, to provide the funds prior to the end of the organization’s current fiscal year.
* We received additional information on the preliminarily awarded grant to Greg Maichack for his program, Express Yourself in Pastel and Sketch Your Berkshire Neighborhood. With this information, we can issue final approval for his program.
* Arlene will follow up on our one remaining preliminarily awarded grant, for Rob Zammarchi’s Elijah T. Grasshopper and Friends performance. We are awaiting details on his venue and performance date.
* We are pleased to learn that two additional members will be joining the Lenox Cultural Council. They were approved by the Board of Selectmen on April 7th. New members Robin Kimborough-Melton and Kimberly Duval are both Lenox residents and will join us later this year.

Submitted by Erin McNamara, Secretary
Lenox Cultural Council