



Town of Yountville

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Staff Report

Item #: A

Yountville Arts Commission Staff Report

DATE: December 4, 2023

TO: Yountville Arts Commission

FROM: Geoffrey Leigh, Subcommittee Chair

SUBJECT:

New Event, Poet Laureate Conversation, for consideration and approval

DISCUSSION/BACKGROUND

The Literary Subcommittee is proposing a new event that will feature current and previous Poet Laureates. The guests will share some of their experiences and highlights from their time as Poet Laureate, including their insights for improving poetry and prose writing. They also will share some of their favorite works and answer questions from the audience.

The event is proposed to be held on Thursday, March 21, 2024 from 5:30 – 7 PM in the Community Hall, Heritage Room.

Event budget for Marketing and Promotion and supplies is proposed at \$500 which was already approved in the 01-5415 Arts General fund programming budget for the fiscal year.

FISCAL IMPACT

Is there a Fiscal Impact? Yes

Is it Currently Budgeted? Yes

Where is it Budgeted? 01-5415

Is it Mandatory or Discretionary? Discretionary

Is there a Staff Resource Impact? Nominal

RECOMMENDATION

Receive report and direct questions to Subcommittee.

Receive public comment.

Conduct discussion.

Motion and second to approve Poet Laureate Conversation, a new Yountville Arts Literary Event for 2024.