

BOARD AND COMMISSION MINUTES
City of Spokane
Tourism and Cultural Investment Committee
City Hall Conference Room 7B
April 15, 2026

Call to Order: 1:30 PM

Attendance

Committee Members Present:

Council Member Zack Zappone, Jon Erickson (virtual), Matt Jensen (virtual), Ginger Ewing, Rose Noble (virtual, arrived at 2:22 p.m.), Cami Aguayo, Michelle Weaver (virtual).

Agenda Items

1. Approval of minutes
2. Fall '26 – Spring '27 Final Recommendations

Approval of Minutes

No Action taken

Committee Action

Motion to approve funding allocation of \$10,000 for South Perry Street Fair passes 6-0
JE moves, CA seconds – Michelle Weaver recuses
Ayes: Zack Zappone, Cami Aguayo, Rose Noble, Jon Erickson, Matt Jensen,
Ginger Ewing

Motion to approve funding allocations of \$10,000 for Terrain 17 and \$5,000 Terrain
BrrrZaar fails 3-3
CA moves, ZZ seconds – Ginger Ewing recuses
Ayes: Zack Zappone, Cami Aguayo, Rose Noble
Nays: Jon Erickson, Matt Jensen, Michelle Weaver

Motion to approve funding allocations as presented passes 7-0
JE moves, CA seconds
Ayes: Zack Zappone, Cami Aguayo, Rose Noble, Jon Erickson, Matt Jensen,
Ginger Ewing

1. GRAINMAKER Fest
2. Feast Fest

3. Garland Pride
4. Boomjam Music Fest
5. Punk Rock Flea Market Spokane

Motion to approve funding allocations of \$10,000 for Terrain on events of their choice passes 4-2

JE moves, MJ seconds – Ginger Ewing recuses

Ayes: Matt Jensen, Michelle Weaver, Jon Erickson, Rose Noble

Nays: Zack Zappone, Cami Aguayo

Executive session

None.

Committee Discussion

General discussion on structure issues with having eligible event organizers on the committee. Noted committee members uncomfortable with committee members applying. Committee members recognize conflicts present and will work towards amending process to solve.

Before approving allocation recommendations, the committee discussed improving future applications to give guidance on multiple applications from the same organization and committee member organizations applying.

Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 4:02 PM

Jackson Deese, Legislative Assistant

Approved by Committee on July 17, 2026.



Zack Zappone
City Council Member