**Sterling Cultural Council**

**Zoom Meeting Minutes**

Thursday, March 4, 2021 at 7:03 pm

**Present:** Judith Doherty**,** Rosanne Mapp, Margaret Spaulding, Beth Stephenson, and Patricia Ward. The minutes of the February 18th meeting were reviewed and approved.

**Budget**: Rosanne said we have $600 in excess from last year that we need to spend. Judy asked if the Sterling Recreation Dept. could use extra funds. One thought is that they could add another concert for art in the park. All approved of giving extra funding. Beth will check if the gazebo can handle a dance performance from Paula Meola’s dance studio. All approved increasing amount for the Rec. Department. Rosanne will check with Rec. Department about concert for Art in the Park. All approved increasing the amount to the Healing Garden. Rosanne will draft two new letters for us to sign.

**Poster:** Peg will check with Diane about the poster regarding the drop off to Houghton School. All liked the design. Beth & Peg will check with Pat at the library about dropping off work there. Diane can make posters at Staples and get reimbursed later.

**Art in the Park**: Rosanne has contacted the Select Board about reserving space. She also contacted the DPW and Light Department and will follow up. We will wait for formal approval before we invite artists.

**Art Contest**: We will wait until we see how many entries there are to determine any prizes.

**Next Meeting**: March 18 @ 7pm.

Meeting adjourned at 7:47 pm.