

## September 2012 MAC Administrative Report

July 12 2012 Madera/Iheukumere/Wolf Quarterly Meeting

July 15 – July 22, 2012 Artist Aaron Stephan in town for on-site residency and collaboration meetings with the Rotary Plaza Design Team.

July 24, August 28, August 30, and September 4, 2012 Make Music Madison Meetings  
Next year, on June 21, 2013, Madison will join New York, Denver, L.A., Paris, and 460 other cities around the world as they open their neighborhoods in a global celebration of music on the first day of summer. From the morning to evening, musicians of all ages, creeds, and musical persuasions perform on streets, sidewalks, stoops, parks and gardens. Imagine a cluster of public spaces in your neighborhood hosting alive with local talent from high school jazz ensembles and local garage bands, to the UW Opera performance student, or the accomplished musician next door, all making music in the hub of your neighborhood.

July 31, 2012 – Public Art Tour with Amy Scanlon, Preservation Planner. Began discussion of starting a joint effort to determine the fate of the Annie Stewart Fountain between the Madison Arts Commission, Parks, and Landmarks (2013 project)

August 1, 2012 – Final Statue of Liberty Meeting before the Re-dedication ceremony.

August 2, 2012 – Performing Arts Facilities Study RFP review.

August 12, 2012 – Statue of Liberty Rededication Ceremony (Patty Elson represented MAC Sarah Busse created and read an occasional poem)

August 21, 2012 – Met with Atty O'Brien to discuss draft proposed ordinance change for MAC.

August 24, 2012 – District 6 Alder Marsha Rummel meeting to discuss arts issues in her district, & NEA Central Park Final Report Meeting with Engineering and Parks.

September 5, 2012 Performing Arts Facility Study Hiring Team - Interviews

September 6, 2012 & September 12, 2012 Rotary Plaza Design Team Conference calls.

September 11, 2012 Leadership Greater Madison Panel Discussion with new Arts Leadership (Patty Elson and Nick Schweitzer attended)

### Other Projects

- Participating in Mayor's Neighborhood Conference on October 13
- Make Music Madison MAC presentation for Oct 10 meeting)
- Navigating City review process for AIPP & Blink funding recipients
- Central Park NEA final report
- North Side Public Art Selection Committee (need to establish regular meeting schedule)
- Cultural Plan Final Edits Review - Steering Committee – Date TBD

### Coming Soon:

- Next MAC meeting: October 10, 5:15pm Room LL 110 Madison Municipal Building;
- Next Quarterly meeting between Chair Madera and Mayoral Liason – Sept 19, 2012
- October 4, 2012 Public Art Standing Committee Blink Grant Review
- October 15, 2012 Mandatory all-day Re-Grant Mtg Wisconsin Arts Board
- October 30, 2012 Special Meeting of MAC Signature Grant Review