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Orange County Arts and Cultural Affairs Blockbuster Committee

October 10, 2018

Room 105, Orange County Administration Center,
201 S. Rosalind Ave., Orlando, FL 32801



Present: Becky Roper, Chair; Hal Kantor, Rick Richbourg; Rich Taylor.

Absent: Evelyn Martinez; Comm. Jennifer Thompson.

Advisory Council members present: Sara Segal.

Staff: Terry Olson.

Guests: Cole NeSmith, *Creative City Project*; JoAnne Newman, Jeff Stanford, Catherine Duffy, and Brandan Lanman, *Orlando Science Center*.

Welcome and Public Comment

Becky Roper called the meeting to order at 3:15 pm, welcomed all present and asked for public comment. There was none.

Consent Agenda

Upon a motion by Hal Kantor and second by Rich Taylor, the minutes of the April 5, 2018 meeting were unanimously approved.

Old/New Business

The Orlando Science Center presented three possible blockbusters that would be available in the next 5 years. After extensive discussion the Blockbuster committee felt that the "Pompeii – The Immortal City" exhibition was the best to pursue at this time. Upon a motion by Hal Kantor with a second by Rick Richbourg, the committee unanimously agreed to present a request of \$780,000 for this exhibition subject to supporting documents that give more details on the total budget, attendance, logistics and collaborations.

Our Chair will be out of town at the next scheduled meeting on November 15, so staff will look at rescheduling.

Adjourn

The meeting adjourned at 4:22 pm.
