



**Request for City Council Committee Action  
From the Department of Community Planning & Economic Development and the  
Minneapolis Arts Commission**

Date: December 19, 2007

To: Council Member Gary Schiff, Zoning and Planning Committee

Prepared by: Dan Villarreal, Cultural Affairs staff, 612-673-2597

Approved by: Barbara Sporlein, Planning Director \_\_\_\_\_

Presenters in Committee: Karin Berkholtz, Planning Supervisor

**Subject:** Appointments to the Minneapolis Arts Commission

**Recommendation:** Approve the following (Mayoral, Council) appointments

Name of Appointee	Ward	New or Reappointment	Number of years of term	Term Beginning/Ending
Ruth Fen	2	New	2 year	2/01/2008 – 1/31/2010
Pamela Caserta	3	New	2 year	2/01/2008 – 1/31/2010
Blythe Staley	10	New	2 year	2/01/2008 – 1/31/2010
Claire Wilson	7	New	2 year	2/01/2008 – 1/31/2010
Leah Cooper	6	New	2 year	2/01/2008 – 1/31/2010
Christy DeSmith	10	New	2 year	2/01/2008 – 1/31/2010
Trish Brock	6	Reappointment	2 year	2/01/2008 – 1/31/2010
Katherine Nordahl		Reappointment	2 year	2/01/2008 – 1/31/2010

**Previous Directives**

None

**Financial Impact**

No financial impact - or - Action is within current department budget.  
(If checked, go directly to Background/Supporting Information)

**Background/Supporting Information Attached**