



DATE: July 23, 2020

AGENDA ITEM # 2

TO: Public Arts Commission

FROM: Jon Maginot, Staff Liaison

SUBJECT: Call for art

RECOMMENDATION: Review submissions and determine next steps in selection process

BACKGROUND

The Public Arts Commission (PAC) recently conducted a call for submissions of artworks. Submissions were due to the City on March 18, 2020.

DISCUSSION

The City received submissions from 23 artists for approximately 34 pieces to be considered by the PAC. On May 28, 2020 and June 10, 2020, the PAC conducted an initial review of the entries and selected certain pieces for continued consideration.

It is recommended that the PAC review these pieces and determine the next steps to be taken in the selection process. Potential next steps could include one or more of the following: Review of the pieces by the full Commission; Establishing a subcommittee to make recommendations on the various pieces, establishing a jury to select pieces; Extending the submission deadline in the hopes of recruiting more pieces.

It is recommended that at the July 23, 2020 PAC meeting, the PAC make a final determination on the entries.