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TO: A. Jerome Fletcher, City Manager
FROM: Laura Ansel, Marketing and Engagement Coordinator ^{LA}
CC: Sandy Pfundheller, Parks & Recreation Director
Julie Bellia, Assistant City Manager
SUBJECT: Art Advisory Board Recommendation for *Roseate Spoonbill* Display
DATE: March 9, 2022

At the February 8, 2022 Art Advisory Board meeting, the members of the board voted unanimously to recommend to City Commission that the *Roseate Spoonbill* sculpture be displayed on the second floor lobby of City Hall in the “arched out” area per a suggestion from Public Works. Facilities staff have reviewed the location and indicated that it would cost approximately \$1,060 in labor and materials to install the sculpture at this location, which includes a necessary height modification for the *Roseate Spoonbill* to fit in the space available.

The current balance of the Art Accounts (a.k.a. the ‘art fund’) is \$118,879.80.

We are requesting this information be shared with City Commissioners, so they may add it to an upcoming agenda if desired.

Attachments:
2/8/22 Art Advisory Board Meeting Minutes
Potential Spoonbill Location
Public Works Cost Estimate

- B. [22-2108](#) Discussion and Possible Action Regarding 2022 Meeting Dates and Times.

Chair Kelly introduced the item.

Discussion ensued regarding optional schedule dates for the Art Advisory Board.

A motion was made by Board Member Shelton, seconded by Vice Chair Nicastro, to approve the proposed Art Advisory Board 2022 Schedule as presented. The motion carried unanimously on a voice vote.

- C. [22-2199](#) Discussion and Possible Action to Display the Roseate Spoonbill Sculpture on the second floor of City Hall.

Chair Kelly introduced the item.

Ms. Ansel provided an overview of approvals from the Assistant Public Works Director Chuck Speake and the City Hall second floor being the location for the Roseate Spoonbill sculpture.

A motion was made by Board Member Shelton, seconded by Board Member Parkinson, that the Art Advisory Board recommends to the City Commission to place the Roseate Spoonbill sculpture on the second floor of City Hall in the arched out area. The motion carried unanimously on a voice vote.

Ms. Ansel stated she will draft a memo to the City Manager with the Board's proposal including an agenda date, and an update being sent to the Board when available.

- D. [22-2232](#) Discussion and Possible Action Regarding the Art Board's Annual Report to the Commission.

Chair Kelly introduced the item.

Ms. Ansel reviewed options of presenting the annual report to the Commission.

Discussion ensued regarding preferences to present the report in person, the length of time it takes for a project to move from concept to fruition, seeking Commission specific direction first, involving the Commission sooner, next procedural steps to place the report on a Commission agenda, and restructuring the Board to be more streamlined.

Ms. Ansel read the annual report's draft of past and future events, accomplishments and goals into the record.

Discussion ensued regarding increasing efficiency for the City-wide public art implementation, restarting the gopher tortoise project, and holding the Arts in the Hall show outdoors in the Fall.

A motion was made by Vice Chair Nicastro, seconded by Vice Chair Shelton, to approve the Art Board's Annual Report to Commission. The motion carried unanimously on a voice vote.

7. Unfinished Business

- A. [22-2109](#) Discussion and Possible Action for the Replacement Sculpture at the Corner of Price Boulevard and Sumter Boulevard.

Chair Kelly introduced the item.







Public Works

Facilities Maintenance

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Installation Cost Proposal for the Spoonbill Crane Sculpture

- Move the sculpture from City Hall to Fleet maintenance to have the welder modify the height of the sculpture to fit in the space on the 2nd FL lobby area.
- Transportation to the welder and back to City Hall, two guys at \$50 per hour each. Two hours round trip.
- Labor costs for the welder is \$70 per hour with roughly 4 hours of work.
- Move the sculpture up to the second floor, it will take four guys to move it at \$50 per hour. Two hours to move it.
- Two guys to mount the sculpture.
- Materials needed, four ½" red head stud anchors and one ½" concrete drill bit. Roughly \$50 in materials.
- Total for labor and materials - \$1,060