

# - MEETING SUMMARY -

## RAB CENTERPIECE – ARTIST SELECTION COMMITTEE

December 1, 2020

Meeting Attendees: Connie Lord, Britt Livdahl, Andrew Phillips, Becky Erickson, Karla Boughton, Diane Lenius, Josh Ranes, April Ziemann, Ed Stern, Gary McVey

### 1. CHECK IN

- Selection committee gave their feedback on the 2 artists' presentations from the interviews
- Sample Materials from Lisa Stirrett and Elijah Burnett on display in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor conference room

### 2. SELECTION

The committee decided to move forward and develop concepts with Lisa Stirrett and Elijah Burnett, who they felt would be the best fit for the City's project. The final art piece should be:

Whimsical	Playful	Light	Meaningful
Unique	Serious Art	Timeless or Generational	Have Substance
Be a Landmark	Will be seen by 30K cars a day	Will be Art versus Decoration	

#### **THE FOLLOWING PROCESS WAS DEFINED:**

#### **PHASE 1: SELECT ARTIST AND CONFIRM CONCEPT DESIGN**

#### **PROPOSED DATES (To Be Confirmed):**

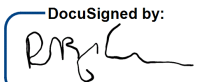
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| 1. Notify Artists of selection – Diane L./April                      | December 1 <sup>st</sup> – Dec 3rd |
| 2. Schedule virtual workshop with the artist and Selection Committee | December 8 <sup>th</sup>           |


#### **Virtual Workshop Goal:**

- Build on initial work and incorporate current thoughts
  - Provide feedback to the artist(s)
  - Artists takes input to refine concepts
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| 3. Artist presents concept sketches to selection committee | Mid Dec – Early January  |
| 4. Preferred concept presented to council                  | January 15 <sup>th</sup> |

#### **PHASE 2: CONTRACT WITH ARTIST FOR SELECTED CENTERPIECE**

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| 5. Confirm Preliminary Budget with Artist – Diane/Josh  | January 2021       |
| • Note: Previously approved new program request was \$150K  |                    |
| 6. City Council Decision on Art Concept   | January 2021       |
| 7. Construction Team makes adjustment to current RAB design if needed to smooth incorporate centerpiece | January- February  |
| 8. Negotiate Contract for Artwork fabrication and installation  | February           |
| 9. Contract Approval  | March/April - 2021 |
| 10. Install Gateway Centerpiece   | Q4 2021/Q1 - 2022  |

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