

CITY OF MERCED

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Title: SUBJECT: Approval of Service Agreements with Eight Artists for CALTRANS Transportation Art

Project, Clean California Beautification Fund Contribution not to Exceed the Amount of \$350,000 for

Undercrossing Art Murals

REPORT IN BRIEF

Considers approving the Service Agreements with eight artists for the CALTRANS Clean California

State Beautification Program not to exceed the amount of \$350,000.

RECOMMENDATION

City Council - Adopt a motion:

A. Approving the service agreements with eight artists for CALTRANS Clean California State Beautification Program not to exceed the amount of \$350,000 in funding for the installation of

transportation mural art; and,

B. Authorizing the City Manager or the Deputy City Manager to execute the necessary documents.

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Attachments: 1. Artist Service Agreement Aguilar J.pdf, 2. Artist Service Agreement Concepcion K.pdf, 3. Artist

Service Agreement Figueroa M.pdf, 4. Artist Service Agreement Gomez R.pdf, 5. Artist Service Agreement McComb K.pdf, 6. Artist Service Agreement Pratt P.pdf, 7. Artist Service Agreement

Rodriguez E.pdf, 8. Artist Service Agreement Sanchez J.pdf

Date	Ver.	Action By	Action	Result
4/3/2023	1	City Council/Public Finance and Economic Development Authority/Parking Authority/Successor Agency to the Redevelopment Agency	approved	Pass

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ALTERNATIVES

- 1. Approve, as recommend by Staff; or,
- 2. Approve, subject to other than recommended by Staff; or,
- 3. Deny; or,
- 4. Refer to Staff for reconsideration of specific items; or,
- 5. Continue to a future meeting.

AUTHORITY

Charter of the City of Merced, Section 200

CITY COUNCIL PRIORITIES

As provided for in the 2022-23 Council Goals and Priorities; Public Works & City Beautification; item D: Caltrans Murals - Clean California grant implementation of 8 murals.

DISCUSSION

As part of Governor Newsom's Clean California initiative, Caltrans awarded a \$350,000 grant to the City of Merced to fund the Merced Mural project in October of 2022. An RFP was issued 4/6/2022 and 17 submissions were received by the 05/06/2022 deadline. The Arts & Culture Advisory Commission appointed a subcommittee to review, score and recommend eight (8) mural designs for eight (8) Caltrans undercrossing in the City of Merced. At a special meeting, held on 06/15/2022, the subcommittee's recommendations were presented to the Commission. The Commission approved eight (8) designs and design locations for the City Council's consideration and approval. At the 07/05/2022 meeting, Council approved the eight design and design locations for the Caltrans Mural Art Project.

IMPACT ON CITY RESOURCES

Funding is available in Project # CP230059 within Fund 5005-Streets & Signals CIP.

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