



STUDY SESSION

Agenda Item # 1

AGENDA REPORT SUMMARY

Meeting Date: May 8, 2018

Subject: Public Arts Program

Prepared by: Jon Maginot, City Clerk/Assistant to the City Manager

Approved by: Chris Jordan, City Manager

Attachment(s):

1. Revised Public Art Master Plan Recommendations from Public Arts Commission (to be distributed under a separate cover)

Initiated by:

Public Arts Commission

Previous Council Consideration:

February 13, 2018

Fiscal Impact:

None

Environmental Review:

Not applicable

Policy Question(s) for Council Consideration:

- What is the role of the Public Arts Program?

Summary:

- The Public Arts Commission has requested a joint meeting with the City Council as a follow up to the February 13, 2018 joint session

Staff Recommendation:

Meet with the Public Arts Commission to discuss the role of the Public Arts Program within the City of Los Altos and to provide feedback on the Los Altos Arts Tactical Plan, with recommended activities



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Purpose

To discuss with the Public Arts Commission the role of the Public Arts Program and to provide feedback on the Los Altos Arts Tactical Plan, with recommended activities

Background

On February 13, 2018, the City Council met with the Public Arts Commission (PAC) to discuss the role of the PAC. This session came about following Council's action on November 14, 2017 to receive the Public Art Master Plan without approving the recommendations contained within. At the February 13, 2018 meeting, Council directed the PAC to review and discuss those items in the proposed Public Art Master Plan that could be implemented.

Discussion/Analysis

The PAC has met several times since the February 13 meeting to discuss the Public Art Master Plan and those items which could be implemented. A subcommittee of three members was formed to take the lead and that subcommittee recommended to the full Commission to present more of a tactical plan for the Public Arts Program. On April 26, 2018, the PAC voted unanimously to recommend presenting a Tactical Public Arts Plan to the City Council.