


Agenda Report Reviewed by:
City Manager: 

**CITY OF SEBASTOPOL
CITY COUNCIL
AGEND ITEM**

Meeting Date: July 7, 2020

To: City Council

From: Alan Montes, Associate Planner
Kari Svanstrom, Planning Director

Subject: Discussion and Consideration of Actions for Black Lives Matter Movement Art Proposal. A Special Public Arts Committee Meeting has been scheduled for Monday, July 6, 2020 at 10:30 am to discuss potential ideas for an art proposal. A report from that meeting will be presented with this agenda item with recommendations to be considered from the City Council, Further information will be submitted to the Council and public at this meeting

Recommendation: That the Council accept and approve the PAC recommendations (to be presented at the July 7, 2020 City Council meeting)

Funding: Currently Budgeted: _____ Yes _____ No XX N/A
Net General Fund Cost: N/A
Amount: \$0

Account Code/Costs authorized in City Approved Budget (if applicable) AK (verified by Administrative Services Department)

INTRODUCTION:

At the June 30, 2020 Special Council meeting, the City Council received a request to help facilitate an art project to apply graphic arts related to the Black Lives Matter movement by a group of Sebastopol and area youth activists. The Council approved this concept and directed staff to work with the Public Art Committee (PAC) to facilitate this request, and to provide guidance and input to the youth involved with this project. Council further directed that this was an appropriate project to utilize Public Art Funds to support, as it will create a visual commitment to the community within the town. On July 6, 2020, PAC will hold a special meeting to discuss the concept, location, funding, designating a PAC liaison to work with the sponsors/activists, and developing a recommendation to the City Council.

DISCUSSION:

At the July 7 Special Council meeting a presentation will be made providing recommendation on the Black Lives Matter Movement Art Proposal from the PAC. The Council should discuss the PAC recommendation, which should include details on the concept, location, and funding.

PUBLIC COMMENT:

No public comments have been received as of the writing of this staff report.

PUBLIC NOTICE:

This item was noticed in accordance with the Ralph M. Brown Act and was available for public viewing and review at least 72 hours prior to scheduled meeting date.

FISCAL IMPACT:

To be determined.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Council accept and approve the PAC recommendation presented at the July 7, 2020 meeting.

Attachments:

None.