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Honorable John S. Lee, Chair  
Arts, Parks, Health, Education, and Neighborhoods Committee  
Los Angeles City Council  
c/o City Clerk's Office  
City Hall, Room 395  
Los Angeles, CA 90012  
Attention: Mr. Eric Villanueva, Office of the City Clerk

**RE: REQUEST FOR ARTS, PARKS, HEALTH, EDUCATION AND NEIGHBORHOODS COMMITTEE REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CULTURAL AFFAIRS FY2021/22 ANNUAL PLAN FOR TRUST FUND EXPENDITURES FOR THE PUBLIC WORKS IMPROVEMENTS ARTS PROGRAM (PWIAP)**

This report and its attachments are submitted by the Department of Cultural Affairs (DCA) in compliance with the Public Works Improvement Arts Program (PWIAP), pursuant to the Los Angeles Administrative Code (LAAC) Section 19.85, subject to the review and approval of the Mayor and City Council.

## **RECOMMENDATIONS**

That the Council, subject to the approval of the Mayor:

1. **APPROVE** the FY 2021/22 Annual Plan for Expenditures for the PWIAP totaling **\$2,082,037**.

2. **INSTRUCT** the Department of Cultural Affairs to expend the PWIAP funds available in the Arts and Cultural Facilities and Services Trust Fund 480, on approved public art projects and program administration.
3. **AUTHORIZE** the City Controller to approve the expenditures from the Arts and Cultural Facilities and Services Trust Fund No. 480, recommended by the Department of Cultural Affairs.

## **BACKGROUND**

From 1996 to 2019, the PWIAP's one percent for art funds were generated primarily through the 1988 and 1998 Library Bonds, LAPD Proposition Q, LA Fire Department Proposition F, Animal Services, and Recreation and Park Proposition K programs. Since bond funds must remain with the agency issuing the bonds, the one percent for art obligations could not be transferred to DCA for direct PWIAP administration through its Arts and Cultural Facilities and Services Trust Fund 480.

Instead, the Department of Cultural Affairs submitted artists' invoices for payment to each agency overseeing the bond funding, as well as invoices from the Department requesting reimbursement for the PWIAP administrative costs associated with each bond-funded capital project. Because bond-funded programs include a line item in their budgets for the one percent for art expenditures, as the Council approved expenditures for each bond-funded program they also approved the expenditures for public art projects in compliance with the PWIAP ordinance. Therefore, no further action by Cultural Affairs was required.

## **ANNUAL PLAN FOR TRUST FUND EXPENDITURES**

Pursuant to LAAC Section 19.85.3, Cultural Affairs has prepared a FY21/22 Annual Plan for Trust Fund Expenditures for PWIAP projects with one percent for art obligations that are outside of bond-funded capital projects and that have been deposited into DCA's Arts and Cultural Facilities and Services Trust Fund 480 over the last two years, and it is submitted herein. The Cultural Affairs Commission reviewed and recommended for approval the attached FY21/22 Annual Plan for Trust Fund Expenditures for the PWIAP on June 9, 2021.

The attached Plan identifies and commits **\$1,072,204** in PWIAP funds that are currently available in Trust Fund 480 for direct expenditure on public art projects and program administration in accordance with LAAC Section 19.85 (see Attachment A). An additional total of **\$1,009,833** in PWIAP obligations is included in the attached Plan and noted as Recently Invoiced (see Attachment B). Deposit of these additional art funds into Trust Fund 480 is anticipated to be received prior to the end of the FY21/22.

**REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CULTURAL AFFAIRS FY2021/22 ANNUAL PLAN FOR TRUST FUND EXPENDITURES FOR THE PUBLIC WORKS IMPROVEMENTS ARTS PROGRAM (PWIAP)**

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**IMPLEMENTATION**

Upon approval of the Annual Plan for Trust Fund Expenditures for the PWIAP, the Department will issue multiple Requests for Qualifications (RFQ) and Requests for Proposals (RFP) to initiate new public art projects. Of the proposed **\$1,072,204** total currently available in Trust Fund 480, up to **\$183,972** will cover administrative costs associated with the PWIAP program, and **\$888,232** will be available for direct funding of public art projects. Additionally, the recently invoiced total of **\$1,009,833** in PWIAP obligations will provide an additional **\$181,733** for PWIAP administrative costs and **\$828,100** in funding for public art projects.

**FISCAL IMPACT**

There is no fiscal impact on the City's General Fund, as it relates to this report.



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Attachments: FY21/22 Public Works Improvements Arts Program (PWIAP) — Annual Plan for Trust Fund Expenditures (Attachment A & B)

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Eric Villanueva, City Clerk

## ATTACHMENT A

#	PROJECT NAME / Public Works Capital Imp Project	ADDRESS	CD	TOTAL amt / PWIAP oblig	ART budget	ADMIN budget	partner/client AGENCY	work order
1	<b>Albion Riverside Park</b>	1739 N Albion St, LA 90031	1	\$40,000	<b>\$32,800</b>	<b>\$7,200</b>	Bureau of Engineering (BOE)	EW40060F &
2	<b>DCTWRP* – Maintenance and Warehouse Facility Replacement</b>	6100 Woodley Ave, LA 91406	6	\$352,140	<b>\$288,762</b>	<b>\$63,378</b>	Bureau of Sanitation (LASAN)	SZD11242
3	<b>Hollywood Sanitation Yard</b>	6014 W Waring Ave, LA 90038	13	\$90,000	<b>\$73,800</b>	<b>\$16,200</b>	Bureau of Sanitation (LASAN)	SZC13946
4	<b>LAGWRP** – Personnel Building</b>	4600 Colorado Blvd, LA 90039	13	\$143,100	<b>\$117,350</b>	<b>\$25,750</b>	Bureau of Sanitation (LASAN)	SZL11188
5	<b>Lincoln Park Pool and Bathhouse Replacement</b>	3501 Valley Blvd, LA 90032	1	\$46,279	<b>\$37,950</b>	<b>\$8,329</b>	Dept of Recreation & Parks (RAP)	E1907715
6	<b>North Central Animal Care Center Phase II</b>	3201 Lacy St, LA 90031	1	\$50,000	<b>\$50,000</b>	<b>\$0</b>	Bureau of Engineering (BOE)	E1170049D
7	<b>Pio Pico Library Pocket Park and Underground Parking Structure</b>	694 S Oxford Ave, LA 90005	10	\$85,000	<b>\$69,700</b>	<b>\$15,300</b>	Bureau of Engineering (BOE)	E1908188
8	<b>South District Maintenance Yard</b>	2002 W Slauson Ave, LA 90047	8	\$78,431	<b>\$64,320</b>	<b>\$14,111</b>	Bureau of Sanitation (LASAN)	SZC11668
9	<b>Taylor Yard Bikeway / Pedestrian Bridge over LA River</b>	LA River & San Fernando Rd	1 & 13	\$187,254	<b>\$153,550</b>	<b>\$33,704</b>	Bureau of Engineering (BOE)	E1907487

\*Donald C. Tillman Water Reclamation Plant (DCTWRP)

\*\*LA-Glendale Water Reclamation Plant (LAGWRP)

PWIAP obligations TOTAL:	\$1,072,204
<b>ART budgets TOTAL:</b>	<b>\$888,232</b>
<b>ADMIN budgets TOTAL:</b>	<b>\$183,972</b>

### ATTACHMENT B (RECENTLY INVOICED)

PROJECT NAME / # Public Works Capital Imp Project	ADDRESS	CD	TOTAL amt / PWIAP oblig	ART budget	ADMIN budget	partner/client AGENCY	work order
1 Asphalt Plant No.1 Replacement & Modernization	2484 E Olympic Blvd, LA 90021	14	\$300,000	\$246,000	\$54,000	Bureau of Engineering (BOE)	E1907820
2 Hollywood Recreation Center – Modern Gym	1122 Cole Ave, LA 90038	13	\$120,000	\$98,400	\$21,600	Dept of Recreation & Parks (RAP)	E1908203
3 LAGWRP** – LA Water Technology Center and Urban Waterway	4600 Colorado Blvd, LA 90039	13	\$347,100	\$284,650	\$62,450	Bureau of Sanitation (LASAN)	SZL11238
4 North Hollywood Sewer Maintenance Yard	10801 W Chandler Blvd, LA 91601	2	\$105,733	\$86,710	\$19,023	Bureau of Sanitation (LASAN)	SZC13274
5 Reseda Skate Facility Development	18210 Sherman Way, LA 91335	3	\$137,000	\$112,340	\$24,660	Dept of Recreation & Parks (RAP)	E170121A

PWIAP obligations TOTAL:	\$1,009,833
ART budgets TOTAL:	\$828,100
ADMIN budgets TOTAL:	\$181,733