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<http://www.cityofpaloalto.org/publicart>

Thursday, July 16, 2020
7:00 pm

Pursuant to the provisions of California Governor’s Executive Order N-29-20, issued on March 17, 2020, to prevent the spread of Covid-19, this meeting will be held by virtual teleconference only, with no physical location. The meeting will be broadcast on Midpen Media Center at <https://midpenmedia.org>. Members of the public who wish to participate by computer or phone can find the instructions at the end of this agenda. To ensure participation in a particular item, we suggest calling in or connecting online 15 minutes before the item you wish to speak on.

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AGENDA

ROLL CALL

AGENDA CHANGES, REQUESTS, DELETIONS

ORAL COMMUNICATIONS

Members of the public may address the Commission on any subject not on the agenda. A reasonable time restriction may be imposed at the discretion of the Chair. The Commission reserves the right to limit oral communications period to 3 minutes.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: PAC Regular Meeting – June 18, 2020 [ATTACHMENT](#)

STAFF COMMENTS

ACTION:

1. Cultural Equity – Discussion of the resources and best practices to advance cultural and racial equity in the field of public art and approval of funds to engage a consultant to work with the Public Art Commission and staff on evaluation of policies and procedures related to cultural and racial equity.
2. Temporary Public Art at the Palo Alto Art Center – Staff recommends approval of funding in the amount of up to \$10,000 for the temporary public art by Susan O'Malley in partnership with the Palo Alto Art Center and the Palo Alto Art Center Foundation along Embarcadero Road.

NON-ACTION:

3. Discussion regarding upcoming Council Agenda Items related to Public Art– Follow-up discussion of the Council report on Boards and Commissions, proposed changes to the number of Public Art Commission members, and budget discussions.

PUBLIC LETTERS: [ATTACHMENT](#)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

FOR YOUR CALENDAR:

Next PAC regular meeting – Thursday, August 20, 2020