



# City of San Antonio

## Agenda Memorandum

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**In Control:** San Antonio Arts Commission

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**DEPARTMENT:** Department of Arts and Culture

**DEPARTMENT HEAD:** Krystal Jones

**COUNCIL DISTRICTS IMPACTED:** District 1

**SUBJECT:**

Public Art: Market Square Underpass Final Design (Action)

**SUMMARY:**

Staff is presenting Market Square Underpass Final Design by artists Eva Marengo Sanchez and Michael Arguello for approval by the San Antonio Arts Commission.

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

The City of San Antonio's Department of Arts and Culture has identified Market Square Underpass for an opportunity for a public art project that includes outdoor murals on selected underpass columns of I-35 by Market Square, along Commerce and Dolorosa Streets.

**ISSUE:**

Final Design approval is required by the San Antonio Arts Commission for the project to move to the next step in the Department of Arts and Culture's Public Art Process.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

Market Square Underpass is supported by 1% of capital improvement projects through the 2017 Bond.

**ALTERNATIVES:**

Should the San Antonio Arts Commission not approve Final Design; Commission feedback will be considered, and adjustments will be made and presented for Final Design approval at a later date.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff recommends approval of Market Square Underpass Final Design by artists Eva Marengo Sanchez and Michael Arguello.