



City of San Antonio

Agenda Memorandum

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In Control: San Antonio Arts Commission

DEPARTMENT: Department of Arts and Culture

DEPARTMENT HEAD: Krystal Jones

COUNCIL DISTRICTS IMPACTED: District 1

SUBJECT:

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 Public Art Committee.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

The City of San Antonio's Department of Arts & 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 Public Art Committee for the project to move to the next step in the Department of Arts & 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 Public Art Committee not approve Final Design; Committee 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.