



City of San Antonio

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In Control: San Antonio Arts Commission

DEPARTMENT: Department of Arts and Culture

DEPARTMENT HEAD: Krystal Jones

COUNCIL DISTRICTS IMPACTED: District 7

SUBJECT:

Public Art: Poet's Pointe at Seeling Channel Completion (Briefing)

SUMMARY:

Staff is presenting Poet's Pointe at Seeling Channel Completion as a briefing item to the San Antonio Arts Commission.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

Poet's Pointe, by San Antonio artists Kim Bishop and Luis Valderas, is an inviting space which celebrates visual art, prose, and incorporates San Antonio Poet Laureate (2018-2020) Octavio Quintanilla's signature initiative. This public art project has contributed areas of shade and respite for the community through a curved wall which frames seven poems and seven works of art, along with three steel shade structures that resemble writing paper supported by over sized pencils.

ISSUE:

This is a briefing item.

FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact, as this is a briefing item.

ALTERNATIVES:

There are no alternatives, as this is a briefing item.

RECOMMENDATION:

There are no recommendations, as this is a briefing item.