

AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY FORM

MEETING DATE: 01/13/2025

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AGENDA CONTENT: Discussion and possible action on the 2025 TxDOT traffic controller

cabinet art wrap submissions.

AGENDA ITEM SECTION: Regular Agenda

BUDGETED AMOUNT: \$3,000 FUNDS REQUESTED: NA

FUND: 13-500-407

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

In 2024, the Board decided to expand the TxDOT Traffic Controller Box Art Wrap initiative beyond downtown Angleton. During the April 22, 2024, meeting, two new locations were identified: B288 & Cemetery Road and B288 & Henderson Road. The first location is scheduled for installation this month. However, the second location remains unfilled due to receiving artwork submissions from only one artist.

Aligned with the FY2024-2025 budget, the Board has funding to support three box wrap locations. Staff recommends finalizing the previously identified vacant cabinet box from April 2024 and selecting two additional locations for the 2025 TxDOT Traffic Controller Cabinet Art Wrap Program from the list provided below.

Location	Status	Location	Status
B288 & CR 220		B288 & Henderson Rd	2025?
B288 & E Phillips Rd		B288 & 523	
B288 & Cemetery Rd	Completed 2025	523 & Hwy 35	
B288 & W Orange St	Complete 2021 (2024)	Hwy 35 & E Henderson Rd	
B288 & Hwy 35	Complete 2021	Hwy 35 & Hospital Dr	
B288 & Myrtle St	Complete 2021	Hwy 35 & Buchta Rd	
B288 & Magnolia St	Complete 2022	Hwy 35 & Wildcat Dr	
B288 & Cedar St	Complete 2023	Hwy 35 & E Cedar St	
274 & W Plum St	Complete 2022	Hwy 35 & Downing	
274 & Hwy 35	Complete 2021	Hwy 35 & Anderson St	
274 & W Locust St	Complete 2023	Hwy 35 & Chenango St	Complete 2022
274 & W Cedar St	Complete 2021 (2024)	Hwy 35 & S Walker St	
274 & Wilkins St	Complete 2021	Hwy 35 & Westside	
	(2024)	Elementary	
274 & Canaan Dr	Complete 2023	Hwy 35 & 288	

Artist Solicitation

Program details will be posted on PublicArtist.org, shared with artists who have previously submitted applications, sent to AISD faculty, distributed through the Brazosport Art League and shared on social media by January 15.

The requested theme remains consistent with KAB's original vision, emphasizing artwork that incorporates Texas wildflowers, coastal birds, or Texas butterflies. The deadline for artists to submit all required materials and artwork renderings is March 1.

Staff will compile all submissions into a single electronic packet for evaluation and ranking by the KAB Board. Based on the rankings, staff will notify the selected artists, coordinate artwork review with the installer, and finalize installation plans.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends Keep Angleton Beautiful identifies two new locations to continue the TxDOT Traffic Controller Cabinet Artwork Program for 2025.