

Memorandum

TO: Geri Sams, Director – Procurement
FROM: Charles Jackson, Acting Director – Parks & Recreation
DATE: May 15, 2024
SUBJECT: Bid Item #24-127 – Recommendation of Award

5/15/24

With RFP 24-065, the Parks and Recreation Department was seeking proposals from four previously qualified artists for the fabrication of the Gateway Sculpture at the Sand Bar Ferry Road location.

As part of the RFP, all artists developed a maquette of their proposed design for the gateway sculpture. Those maquettes were presented to the public and Augusta as part of the evaluation process, with the public having an opportunity to participate in that process.

As a result of the procurement process, the Parks & Recreation Department, in concurrence with the Public Art Advisory Panel, recommends for Metal Specialists of Augusta (Wesley Stewart & Colleen Beyer Stewart) to be awarded the contract for bid item #24-127.