TOWN COUNCIL

STAFF REPORT Executive Department



| MEETING DATE: | September 10, 2024 |
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| PROJECT: | Approval of Public Art Committee Recommendation to Award the Palmetto Breeze Bus Wrap Commission to Lindsey Spears |
| PROJECT MANAGER: | Chris Forster, MPA, CPFO, CGFM, Assistant Town Manager |

RECOMMENDATION:

The Public Art Committee (PAC) voted unanimously to recommend the commission designed by Ms. Lindsey Spears.

BACKGROUND:

The Public Art Committee was established in October 2023 to carry out the Council approved public art policy. The committee is responsible for making recommendations to Council on publicly funded public art or art to be placed on public property.

In May the PAC voted to create a Public Artist roster of pre-approved artists that may submit proposals on calls for public art. This Town of Bluffton artist roster consists of over 50 artists, local and national artists that work in a variety of mediums.

In June the committee voted to put out a call for original pieces of works to be converted into a bus wrap to highlight one of the Bluffton Breeze buses serving the Bluffton community. The PAC sought submissions from five local artists.

DISCUSSION:

At the PAC meeting on Tuesday 27th, 2024 the committee heard from the five local artists about the inspiration for and the description of their original art. After a discussion the committee voted to recommend the commission by Ms. Lindsey Spears.

NEXT STEPS:

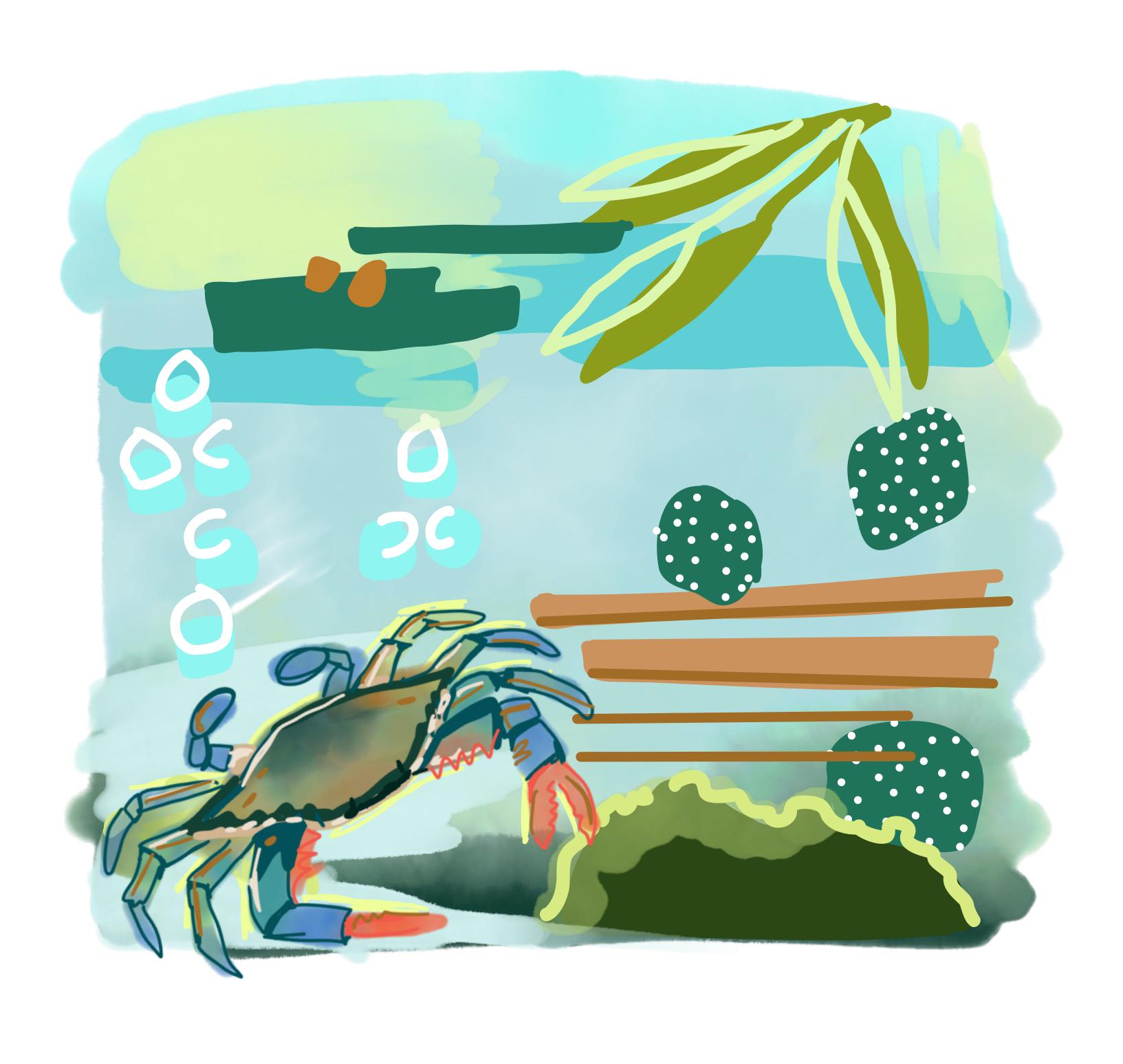
Approve, approve with conditions or deny the recommendation to award the commission to Lindsey Spears.

Attachments:

- 1. Design Graphic
- 2. Motion











Recommended Motion

Approval of Public Art Committee Recommendation to Award the Palmetto Breeze Bus Wrap Commission to Lindsey Spears – Chris Forster, Assistant Town Manager

"I make a motion to Approve the Award of the Palmetto Breeze Bus Wrap Commission to Lindsey Spears."