

**Columbus Consolidated Government  
Council Meeting Agenda Item**

<b>TO:</b>	Mayor and Councilors
<b>AGENDA SUBJECT:</b>	<b>Riverwalk Public Art Addition – (11<sup>th</sup> Street to 12<sup>th</sup> Street)</b>
<b>AGENDA SUMMARY:</b>	Approval is requested to execute a Memorandum of Understanding with Dragonfly Trails, Inc. for an addition to the public art mural located on the Riverwalk between 11 <sup>th</sup> Street and 12 <sup>th</sup> Street.
<b>INITIATED BY:</b>	City Manager’s Office

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**Recommendation:** Approval is requested to execute a Memorandum of Understanding with Dragonfly Trails, Inc. for an addition to the public art mural located on the Riverwalk between 11<sup>th</sup> Street and 12<sup>th</sup> Street.

**Background:** The city has partnered with Dragonfly Trails, Inc. for public art at various locations. Improvements to the gabion basket section on the Riverwalk between 11<sup>th</sup> Street and 12<sup>th</sup> Street have been completed. This was over a \$3 million project to shore up the riverbank from further erosion. This protects the combined sewer pipe under the riverwalk in this section that was failing. The Dragonfly Trails, Inc. added to this new amenity along the riverwalk with a public art mural. Resolution No. 407-22 approved the proceedings for said current mural. This request is to add an addition to the mural. The proposed design is attached.

**Analysis:** Dragonfly Trails, Inc. will be financially responsible for all aspects of this project. They will be required to provide a traffic plan of the sidewalk area and use of the right of way and any applicable permits. They are also responsible for all maintenance of the mural on the wall during the period this contract is in effect and the city will be responsible for any general maintenance of the structure. They will be required to coordinate with adjoining property owners/businesses in the immediate area. They will obtain waiver(s) from any participant(s) working on the wall releasing the City from any and all claims during the term of the Agreement.

**Financial Considerations:** There are no financial obligations.

**Legal Considerations:** The City Attorney will approve as to form.

**Recommendation/Action:** Approval is requested to execute a Memorandum of Understanding with Dragonfly Trails, Inc. for an addition to the Riverwalk Public Art Mural.

**A RESOLUTION**

**NO.**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF COLUMBUS, GEORGIA, REQUESTING APPROVAL TO EXECUTE A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN THE COLUMBUS CONSOLIDATED GOVERNMENT (THE “CITY”) AND DRAGONFLY TRAILS, INC. (“DFI”) FOR A PUBLIC ARTS PROJECT AND APPROVE THE ADDITIONAL DESIGN OF THE MURAL LOCATED ON THE RIVERWALK BETWEEN 11TH STREET AND 12TH STREET.**

**WHEREAS**, Dragonfly Trails, Inc. promote recreation, transportation, and connectivity of the greenway trail network in Columbus; and,

**WHEREAS**, Dragonfly Trails, Inc. desires to enhance the area of the Riverwalk with public art; and,

**WHEREAS**, the City agrees to allow DFI to install additional public art on the current mural wall located between 11<sup>th</sup> Street and 12<sup>th</sup> Street along the Riverwalk; and,

**WHEREAS**, the City shall approve the art plans and design prior to the start of the project; and,

**WHEREAS**, DFI will be fully responsible for the financial requirements of this project; and,

**WHEREAS**, DFI will be required to provide a traffic plan and get all necessary permits needed if any lane closure(s) are required, closure/obstruction of the sidewalk area, and use of the right of way; and,

**WHEREAS**, DFI is responsible for all maintenance of the artwork during the period this contract is in effect; and,

**WHEREAS**, DFI will be required to coordinate with adjoining property owners/businesses in the immediate area; and,

**WHEREAS**, DFI will obtain liability waiver(s) from any participant(s) working on the wall releasing the City and DFI from any and all claims during the term of the Memorandum of Understanding.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF COLUMBUS, GEORGIA, AS FOLLOWS:**

The City Manager or his designee is hereby authorized to execute a Memorandum of Understanding between Dragonfly Trails, Inc. and the City in accordance with the terms set forth in the form attached and approve the additional design of the mural to be located between 11<sup>th</sup> Street and 12<sup>th</sup> Street along the Riverwalk.

Introduced at a regular meeting of the Council of Columbus, Georgia held on the \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024 and adopted at said meeting by the affirmative vote of \_\_\_\_ members of said Council.

Councilor Allen voting	_____.
Councilor Barnes voting	_____.
Councilor Begly voting	_____.
Councilor Cogle voting	_____.
Councilor Crabb voting	_____.
Councilor Davis voting	_____.
Councilor Garrett voting	_____.

Councilor Huff voting  
Councilor Thomas voting  
Councilor Tucker voting

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Sandra T. Davis, Clerk of Council

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B.H. "Skip" Henderson III, Mayor

**RESOLUTION**

**NO. 407-22**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF COLUMBUS, GEORGIA, REQUESTING APPROVAL TO EXECUTE A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN THE COLUMBUS CONSOLIDATED GOVERNMENT (THE "CITY") AND DRAGONFLY TRAILS, INC. ("DFI") FOR A PUBLIC ARTS PROJECT AND APPROVE THE FINAL DESIGN OF THE MURAL.**

**WHEREAS**, Dragonfly Trails, Inc. promote recreation, transportation, and connectivity of the greenway trail network in Columbus; and

**WHEREAS**, Dragonfly Trails, Inc. desires to enhance the area of the Riverwalk with public art; and

**WHEREAS**, the City agrees to allow DFI to install public art on the wall located between 11<sup>th</sup> Street and 12<sup>th</sup> Street along the Riverwalk; and

**WHEREAS**, the City shall approve the art plans and design prior to the start of the project; and

**WHEREAS**, DFI will be fully responsible for the financial requirements of this project; and

**WHEREAS**, DFI will be required to provide a traffic plan and get all necessary permits needed if any lane closure(s) are required, closure/obstruction of the sidewalk area, and use of the right of way; and

**WHEREAS**, DFI is responsible for all maintenance of the artwork during the period this contract is in effect, and

**WHEREAS**, DFI will be required to coordinate with adjoining property owners/businesses in the immediate area; and

**WHEREAS**, DFI will obtain liability waiver(s) from any participant(s) working on the wall releasing the City and DFI from any and all claims during the term of the Memorandum of Understanding.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF COLUMBUS, GEORGIA, AS FOLLOWS:**

The City Manager or his designee is hereby authorized to execute a Memorandum of Understanding between Dragonfly Trails, Inc. and the City in accordance with the terms set forth in the form attached and approve the final design.

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Introduced at a regular meeting of the Council of Columbus, Georgia, held the 13th day of December 2022 and adopted at said meeting by the affirmative vote of ten members of said Council.

Councilor Allen	voting	<u>YES</u>
Councilor Barnes	voting	<u>YES</u>
Councilor Crabb	voting	<u>YES</u>
Councilor Davis	voting	<u>YES</u>
Councilor Garrett	voting	<u>YES</u>
Councilor House	voting	<u>YES</u>
Councilor Huff	voting	<u>YES</u>
Councilor Thomas	voting	<u>YES</u>
Councilor Tucker	voting	<u>YES</u>
Councilor Woodson	voting	<u>YES</u>



**Sandra T. Davis**  
Clerk of Council



**B. H. "Skip" Henderson, III**  
Mayor

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**TO:** Mayor and Councilors

**AGENDA  
SUBJECT:** Public Art – Riverwalk (11<sup>th</sup> Street to 12<sup>th</sup> Street)

**AGENDA  
SUMMARY:** Approval is requested to execute a Memorandum of Understanding with Dragonfly Trails, Inc. and approve the final design of the mural. There are no financial obligations.

**INITIATED BY:** City Manager's Office

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**Recommendation:** Approval is requested to execute a Memorandum of Understanding with Dragonfly Trails, Inc. and approve the final design of the mural to be located at the on the Riverwalk between 11<sup>th</sup> Street and 12<sup>th</sup> Street.

**Background:** The city has partnered with Dragonfly Trails, Inc. for public art at various locations. Improvements to the gabion basket section on the Riverwalk between 11<sup>th</sup> Street and 12<sup>th</sup> Street have been completed. This was over a \$3 million project to shore up the river bank from further erosion. This protects the combined sewer pipe under the riverwalk in this section that was failing. The Dragonfly Trails, Inc. desires to add public to this new amenity along the riverwalk.

**Analysis:** Dragonfly Trails, Inc. will be financially responsible for all aspects of this project. They will be required to provide a traffic plan of the sidewalk area and use of the right of way and any applicable permits. They are also responsible for all maintenance of the mural on the wall during the period this contract is in effect and the city will be responsible for any general maintenance of the structure. They will be required to coordinate with adjoining property owners/businesses in the immediate area. They will obtain waiver(s) from any participant(s) working on the wall releasing the City from any and all claims during the term of the Agreement.

**Financial Considerations:** There are no financial obligations.

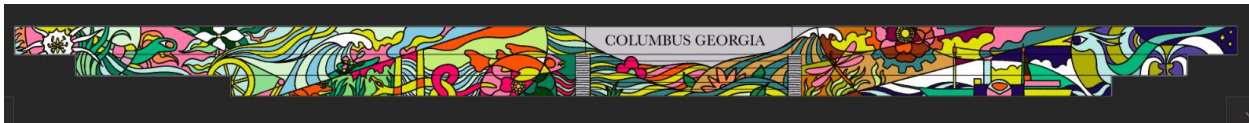
**Legal Considerations:** The City Attorney will approve as to form.

**Recommendation/Action:** Approval is requested to execute a Memorandum of Understanding with Dragonfly Trails, Inc. and approve the final design of the mural to be located at the on the Riverwalk between 11<sup>th</sup> Street and 12<sup>th</sup> Street.

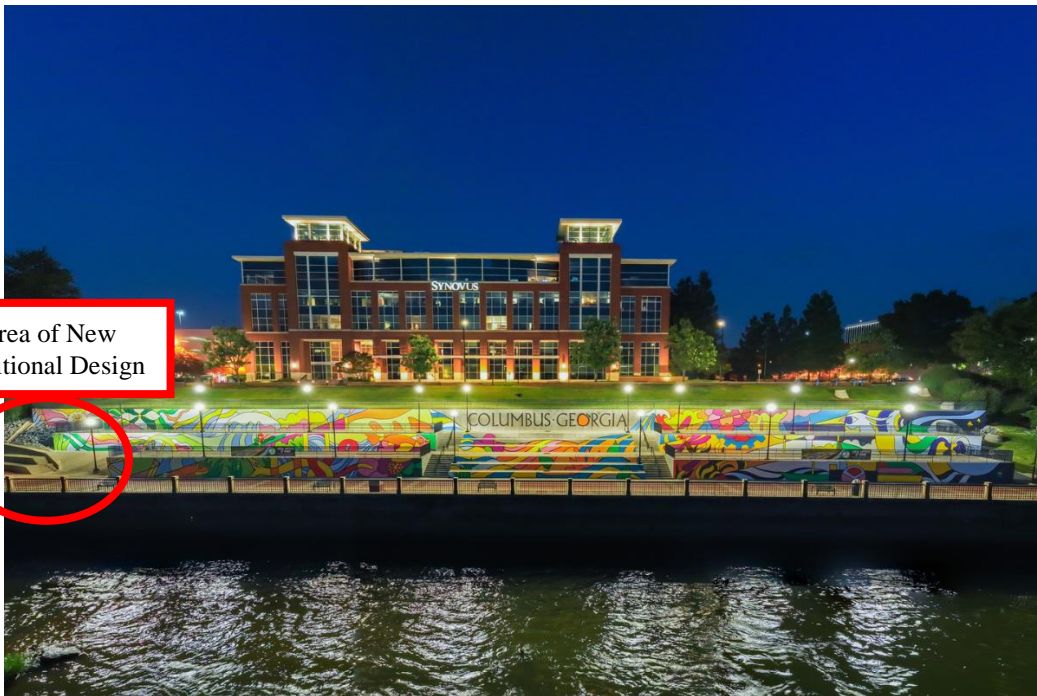
Before the Mural



Mural Design



Completed Design



Additional Design Concept





Sketch

