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March 11, 2024  
Agenda Item No.: 11

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## **SUBJECT**

### **MURAL POLICY UPDATE**

## **DEPARTMENT**

Community Services Department

## **RECOMMENDATION**

Request that the Public Art Commission approve a moratorium on accepting new mural applications until an art solicitation process and policy has been formalized.

Staff Recommendation: Approval (Community Services: Robert Rhoades)

Presenter: Robert Rhoades, Assistant Director of Community Services

## **FISCAL ANALYSIS**

No fiscal impact.

## **PREVIOUS ACTION**

None

## **BACKGROUND**

At the January 8, 2024 Public Art Commission meeting, Commissioner Velasco expressed a desire for the Mural Subcommittee to work on and update the mural program policy document. Although this working document is now used as the basis for the approval process, it was not formally adopted by the Public Art Commission. On February 27, 2024, the Mural Subcommittee met to discuss updates to the Mural Program Policy. The subcommittee along with input from members of the public began reviewing and updating the document as needed. This is an ongoing process which is expected to continue for several more subcommittee meetings.

As a result, the subcommittee is recommending a moratorium on accepting new mural applications until a formalized art solicitation process and policy has been adopted by the Public Art Commission.

## **ATTACHMENTS**

- a. None