

# CITY OF LAKE FOREST PARK CITY COUNCIL AGENDA COVER SHEET

Meeting Date	January 23, 2025					
Originating Department	Community Development Department					
Contact Person	Cory Mattson, Community Programs Planner					
Title	Resolution 25-2002/Authorizing the Mayor to Sign an Agreement with ShoreLake Arts for Calendar Years 2025-2026					

## Legislative History

First Presentation August 12, 2024 City Council Special Meeting
Second Presentation Included in the 2025-2026 Biennial Budget
Action Budget adopted at City Council Meeting 11/14/2024
Agreement Authorization January 23, 2025

## Attachments:

- 1. Resolution 25-2002/Authorizing the Mayor to Sign an Agreement with ShoreLake Arts for Calendar Years 2025-2026
- 2. Agreement with ShoreLake Arts for 2025-2026
- 3. Exhibits A-C for Agreement

## **Executive Summary**

In the 2025-2026 biennial budget, the City allocated \$30,000 per year to ShoreLake Arts (previously the Shoreline/Lake Forest Park Arts Council). This funding and contract will allow ShoreLake Arts to continue providing art and cultural events in Lake Forest Park. ShoreLake Arts will report on its services quarterly and include an outcome progress report.

# Background

Founded in 1989, the Shoreline/Lake Forest Park Arts Council provides arts, culture, and children's programs and events in the community. In 2020, the Arts Council rebranded to ShoreLake Arts. The City has provided funds to ShoreLake Arts since 2000. Funding levels from 2007 to the current biennium are provided below:

Shoreline/Lake Forest Park Arts Council – LFP Contract										
	2007	2008	2009- 2014	2015- 2016	2016- 2017	2019- 2020	2021- 2022	2023- 2024	2025- 2026	
City Contribution	\$15,600	\$16,070	\$16,000	\$16,320	\$16,500	\$18,000	\$18,000	\$18,000	\$30,000	
Total	\$21,660	\$22,130	\$22,060	\$22,820	\$23,000	\$24,500	\$24,500	\$24,500	\$30,000	
Percent Change		3%	04%	2%	1.1%	9.09%	0%	0%	66%	

## **Fiscal & Policy Implications**

ShoreLake Arts would not be able to provide art and culture events for the Lake Forest Park community without the funds from the City.

## Alternatives

Options	Results
Approve	ShoreLake Arts will be able to provide service to all LFP residents as needed
Seek Different Terms	Less funding for ShoreLake Arts will equal to less services for LFP residents

## Staff Recommendation

Review and approve Resolution 25-2002 authorizing the Mayor to sign a contract with ShoreLake Arts for calendar years 2025-2026.