

# Los Altos Public Arts Commission

## Work Plan 2022 to 2023

Key Objective	Impact	Deliverables	Status	Leadership
<b>Community Outreach</b>	Continue increasing community involvement in the arts through educational programs and art events	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Continuing search for opportunities for community involvement programs                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Everyone is an Artist</li> <li>○ Hometown Haiku</li> <li>○ Paint a Pot event April 2023</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Everyone is an Artist; Hometown Haiku; Kindness Rock Painting event; Every Child is an Artist; Screen printing at Farmers’ Market	All Commission
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Establish Community Arts Council</li> </ul>	Meetings held first part of 2022	Los Altos Arts Task Force subcommittee
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Partnership Grant Program—Call for Art                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Develop process/program</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Tabled to February 2023	Arts Outreach Subcommittee
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PR outreach: Work with City PR support for communications outreach                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Local media briefings / social media postings</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Ongoing	Arts Outreach Subcommittee
<b>Expand existing Public Arts “footprint”</b>	Establish Los Altos as a “Destination” for experiencing public art	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Walking and Bike Tour of Business District Sculpture: Planned tours, flyer, promotion                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Create / update Sculpture walking tour map and brochure</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	2022 – Brochure created Ongoing – Keep up-to-date and distribute	New Art Sub-Committee
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Explore the possibility of Gateway art sculptures</li> </ul>	Ongoing	New Art Sub-Committee
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Call for Public Art (Art Without Walls)</li> </ul>	Call issued; entries submitted October 2022 – chosen pieces being reviewed	New Art Sub-Committee
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Discuss potential relocation of artworks</li> </ul>	Ongoing	New Art Sub-Committee
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<b>Art Conservation and Stewardship</b>	Key Artist Contact(s) to ensure a positive, end-to-end experience with our City’s Art Programs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Website updated with new sculpture information</li> </ul>	Ongoing	Conservation / Stewardship Sub-Committee
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Work with Staff to manage loaned sculpture insurance and loan period extensions.                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Research, establish and document current values of City-owned sculptures</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Ongoing	Conservation / Stewardship Sub-Committee
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Explore restoration possibilities for various City-owned artworks</li> </ul>	Ongoing; Restoration of Zooscapes and Magic Fish approved	Conservation / Stewardship Sub-Committee
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Monitor, recommend and document actions for loaned and City-owned outdoor sculptures (including required maintenance and conservation).                             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Evaluate lessons learned from placement of sculptures</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Ongoing	Conservation / Stewardship Sub-Committee
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Update art loan agreement:                             <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Report on the best practices of other Cities re loan programs.</li> <li>Artist needs to provide proof of insurance through the life of the art loan (<i>check with staff on this</i>).</li> </ol> </li> </ul>	Ongoing	Conservation / Stewardship Sub-Committee
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><del>Catalog all art in public spaces (City and private)</del></li> </ul>		
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<b>Manage Los Altos Community Center &amp; Council Chamber Arts Programs</b>	Implement ongoing visual Arts exhibits that enhance Community spaces	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Community Center Art Gallery: Complete two calls for CC Art</li> </ul>	March 2023 & September 2023	Community Center Subcommittee
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mural Video “docent” presentation</li> </ul>	In Progress, ETD: Feb. 2023	Community Center Subcommittee
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Commission Program Signage</li> </ul>	Banner made;	Community Center

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			Brochure created 2022	Subcommittee
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Art for the City Council Chamber: establish ongoing art displays that change regularly</li> </ul>	Ongoing—starts upon completion of Council Chambers construction	Community Center Subcommittee