

No: 25-\_\_\_\_\_  
Date: June 25, 2025

RESOLUTION  
OF THE CITY COUNCIL  
CITY OF SANDPOINT

**TITLE: ACCEPTING THE RECOMMENDATION OF SELECTED ART FOR THE 2025 – 2026 SILVER BOX PUBLIC ART ON LOAN PROGRAM AND APPROVAL TO ENTER INTO ARTIST AGREEMENTS**

WHEREAS: The City of Sandpoint Silver Box Public Art on Loan Program involves a rotating exhibition of artwork by chosen artists, where their artworks are showcased for approximately six months atop “silver boxes” at three downtown locations;

WHEREAS: The art program serves to enhance artists' capabilities by increasing their visibility and offering financial backing through stipends and potential art sales, all of which are in line with the objectives set forth in the adopted Arts, Culture, and Historic Preservation Plan;

WHEREAS: In response to the Summer 2025 – Summer 2026 Silver Box call for art from local artists, the City received five (5) eligible submissions meeting the program criteria, which the Arts, Culture, and Historic Preservation (ACHP) Commission has recommended for display:

- *Kingfishers by artist Anna Lee Harris, location corner of Oak and Fifth*
- *Icosahedron by artist Kirk Seese, location corner of Church and Fourth*
- *Skyward Grace by artist Denny Henson, location corner of Oak and Fourth*

WHEREAS: Each artist's agreement provides for a \$1,000 honorarium to the artist to cover transportation and installation costs for the art works;

WHEREAS: Additional expenses include cost for the call and the creation of plaques for mounting on the boxes; and

WHEREAS: Should any of the works be sold during the period of display, the City will receive a 10% commission on the sale.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT: City Council hereby accepts the recommendation of the ACHP Commission for the pieces listed above.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT: The Mayor or his designee is hereby authorized, on behalf of the City, to execute a Public Loan Art Agreement with each of the artists listed above.

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Jeremy Grimm, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Melissa Ward, City Clerk