



EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE REPORT Percent for Art Policy Update

Recommendation of the Committee

1. That revised Public Art to Enhance Edmonton's Public Realm Policy C458D, be approved with the following amendments:
 - a. Replace the bullet under "Funding" with "The City of Edmonton will annually fund a Public Art Reserve on a Pay-As-You-Go basis in the minimum amount of 1% of eligible capital projects, as approved by City Council through the Operating Budget."
 - b. Revise the first bullet under "Public Art Program" to include after "collection": "in alignment to City Plan and Connections and Exchanges."
 - c. Add a bullet under "Public Art Program" to read: "Public Art will be diverse, representing the community and be distributed throughout the City."
2. That Public Art Administration, Registration and Outreach Policy C547, Public Art Accession, Selection Criteria and Gift Policy C548 and Public Art Conservation, De-accession and Re-site Policy C549, be repealed.
3. That a Public Art Reserve, to account for and manage the Edmonton Public Art Collection, as outlined in Attachment 2 of the August 9, 2021, Urban Planning and Economy report UPE00628, be established.
4. That \$4.535 million of Capital Pay-As-You-Go Funding be transferred from the approved 2021-2022 Capital Budget to the Public Art Reserve, as outlined in Attachment 3 of the August 9, 2021, Urban Planning and Economy report UPE00628.
5. That the Infrastructure Planning and Design Branch operating expenditure budget be increased by \$1.495 million in 2021 and \$3.040 million in 2022, for costs related to the public art projects committed for the 2019-2022 budget cycle, with funds from the Public Art Reserve, as outlined in Attachment 3 of the August 9, 2021, Urban Planning and Economy report UPE00628.

History

- At the August 9, 2021, Executive Committee meeting, the August 9, 2021, Urban Planning and Economy report UPE00628 was considered.
- The Committee heard from D. Turnbull and S. Shahani, Edmonton Arts Council.

Attachment

August 9, 2021, Urban Planning and Economy report UPE00628