



PUBLIC ART!
POMPANO BEACH

FY 2021 ANNUAL POMPANO BEACH PUBLIC ART PLAN

RECOMMENDED
FISCAL YEAR

2024

ANNUAL PUBLIC ART PLAN

FY 2024 Annual Public Art Plan

In accordance with Chapter 160.04(F), the Public Art Committee is responsible for submitting an annual report to the City Commission each year at the end of the 12-month term. The report will describe the Committee's accomplishments, give the status of current projects, provide information on future plans, and include an inventory of public art in the city.

Proposed & Current Projects

Proposed Projects Planned for FY 2024 Descriptions

- Underwater Sculpture Garden (District 1) (\$42,000: \$35,000 for artwork; \$7,000 for video and deployment engineering)
- Utility Box Rewrapping/Wrapping (All Districts) (\$18,000)
- Additional Painted Pompano Sculpture Project (Districts 2 & 3) (\$22,121)
- Mini Mechan (District 1) (\$15,000)
- Herb Skolnick Center (District 5) (\$18,000)
- Blanche Ely High School Mural (District 4) (\$23,000; \$4,000 has previously been allocated towards this project)
- Opportunity Projects (\$10,000)

Operating/Personnel Budgets

- Program Management (\$46,699)
- Maintenance (\$17,912)
- Operations Contingency (\$20,000)

TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS: \$228,732

REMAINING AVAILABLE UNCOMMITTED PUBLIC ART FUND BALANCE: \$424,722.00

= As of October 2023

Proposed Projects Planned for FY 2024 Descriptions

- Underwater Sculpture Garden Round 3 (District 1) (\$42,000): This program takes place every two years. This will be the third sculpture as part of this program. An Artist or artist team will be commissioned to design, fabricate, and install an artwork. The sculpture will be installed on-land at the beach for a period of one year before it is sunk and attached to the *Lady Luck* in Shipwreck Park. The artwork itself has a budget of \$35,000 and a \$7,000 budget for installation and other fees concerning installation and documentation.
- Utility Box Rewrapping/Wrapping (All Districts) (\$18,000): The City has wrapped multiple utility boxes with artistic vinyl wraps over the past eight (8) years. The goal of the program is to reduce blight along the corridors by transforming a utility box into a piece of art. This

beautification effort will enhance the experience of all those visiting the corridors and will help to prevent boxes from being vandalized, primarily with posters. Due to wear and tear of the vinyl wraps and the addition of new utility boxes within the City, the Public Art Committee plans on wrapping the new utility boxes as well as rewrapped older utility boxes that are in need of repair. The Public Art Committee is estimating a total of fifteen (15) utility boxes will be wrapped/rewrapped.

- Additional Painted Pompano Sculpture Project (Districts 2 & 3) (\$22,121): The City will commission two (2) artists from the 2023-2024 BaCA Artists in Residence (AiR) class to paint a prefabricated Painted Pompano sculpture that will be placed at Lyons Park and a location in District 2. Funding budgeted for the project will be used to fabricate one (1) Painted Pompano sculpture and two bases. A prefabricated sculpture is currently in storage and will be used for this project. Funding will also be used to move the sculpture and base mold from its current location at Spaces to Experiences in Michigan to Pompano Beach. Spaces to Experience is downsizing and will no longer store the molds.
- Mini Mechan (District 1) (\$15,000): The Public Art Committee created a Call to Artists for the Light Pole Sculpture project in District 3, approved under Resolution # 2022-59. Artist team Tyler FuQua Creations submitted a design that the Committee felt would be a great addition to the Beach area. The design is a version of *Mechan H2O*, which was originally placed at the Beach for one year and then sunk and attached to *Lady Luck* in Shipwreck Park in July 2023 as part of the City's Underwater Sculpture Exhibition. The City will commission Tyler FuQua Creations to fabricate and install this artistic light pole sculpture to be attached to the existing light pole at the Beach. Tyler FuQua Creations is responsible for any required permitting and engineering. Exact location to be determined.
- Herb Skolnick Center (District 5) (\$18,000): The City will commission an artist/artist team to design, fabricate, and install a 9 foot by 6 foot mosaic mural located on the exterior of the Herb Skolnick Center. Possible artworks include a mural or sculpture. Theme for the mural has not been determined.
- Blanche Ely High School Mural (District 4) (\$23,000): At its September 25, 2018, the Commission directed the Public Art Committee to research and commission a mural at Blanche Ely High School. The Public Art Committee will be placing the mural on an exterior wall located at Blanche Ely High School with a theme of the school's coaches, as approved under Resolution # 2019-123. This project also involves a community engagement aspect with the high school students. The Call to Artists is currently being circulated. The original budget for the project was \$4,000; after further investigation, the budget has been changed to \$23,000 due to the size of the selected wall and the community engagement aspect. Additional funding of \$19,000 will be allocated in the FY 2024 Public Art Annual Plan.
- Opportunity/Contingency Projects (\$10,000): The Public Art Committee sets aside funding to be able to take advantage of unknown opportunities throughout the year. As stated in the Master Plan, this is flexible money for new project ideas. This money could also be used as a small contingency for unknown expenses associated with other projects. All purchasing thresholds and building requirements will be met. Staff can take recommendations to the City Commission if it is deemed appropriate. Anything that would otherwise need Commission

approval will be taken to the City Commission. Any Opportunity/Contingency Projects will be reported in the next FY 2025 Annual Plan.

- Maintenance (\$17,912): A percentage of the cost of permanent work will be reserved for maintenance and used as needed.

Rolled Forward Projects Include

- Community Park Sculpture on Federal Highway (District 3)

Rolled Forward Projects Descriptions

- Community Park Sculpture on Federal Highway (\$150,000) (District 3): A major outdoor sculpture to be located in Community Park on Federal Highway. Two possible locations have been proposed in the Master Plan. The City will use \$5,000 from the budget to shortlist artists to create mockups that will be used in the final selection process. Selected artist is responsible for the design, fabrication, and installation of the artwork.

In Progress Projects

- Mosaic Team Term 3 (District 4)
- Light Pole Sculpture at Flagler & NE 1st Street (District 2)
- McNair Park Mural (District 5)
- Dominos/Chess Tables (District 4)
- Hazel Armbrister Dedication Bust (District 4)
- Powerline Road Sculpture (District 5)
- Artists Old Town Plaza Mural (District 2)

Project Descriptions

- Mosaic Team Term 3 (\$125,000) (District 4) (In Progress): The Mosaic Team is a multi-year program that consists of mosaic artworks created and installed by five (5) apprentices, under the leadership of a lead artist. Under Ordinance # 2023-26, Sonata Kazimieraiteine has been approved as the lead artist for the project. She will be responsible to pay the apprentices \$3,000.00 each for a total of \$15,000.00 each year. The design for the project has been approved under Resolution # 2023-188.
- Light Pole Sculpture (\$15,000): The Public Art Committee has recommended artist team Tyler FuQua Creations to design, fabricate, and install an artistic light pole sculpture to be attached to an existing light pole. Location to be at the northeast corner of N. Flagler Avenue & NE 1st Street. The recommended artist and design will go before City Commission for approval at a later date.
- McNair Park Mural (\$15,000): The Public Art Committee has recommended Steven Teller to design and install a mural located on the northeast exterior of the McNair Park Center. The theme of the mural is "Sports Legends of Pompano Beach." The recommended artist and design will go before City Commission for approval at a later date.

- Domino/Chess Tables (\$10,000) (In Progress): The City will commission an artist or artist team to design, fabricate, and install a maximum of three (3) artistic dominos/chess tables to be placed at the new Pompano Beach Senior Activity Center. The tables must include chairs. The Call to Artists is currently being circulated.
- Hazel Armbrister Dedication Bust (\$49,400) (In Progress): The City has commissioned Brodin Studios, LLC. to design and fabricate a bronze bust of the iconic Hazel Armbrister to be placed in the Hazel Armbrister Courtyard at the Historic Ali Cultural Center, 353 Dr. Martin Luther King Blvd. The bust will include a pedestal. The Historic Preservation Committee (HPC) will provide wording and contribute funds for a plaque to be placed on the pedestal. The project is set to be completed FY 2024.
- Powerline Road Sculpture (In Progress): An artist/artist team will be commissioned to design, fabricate, and install a free-standing sculpture located on the east side of Powerline Road. Fee includes all permits. This project was delayed due to COVID19, but is currently in progress.
- Artist Old Town Plaza Mural (\$15,000) (In Progress): Artist Carrie Bennet has been recommended for approval for the fabrication and installation of a mural on the south exterior wall located at 60 & 50 NE 1st St. The size of the wall is approximately 130' long by 20' high. The mural will be a significant gateway to downtown and is abstract in nature. This project was requested by Mayor Hardin and the Benzer Pharmacy property owners. The funding for this project was reallocated from the Fishing Village project. The project has been on hold due to a Papamigos permit application for the location.

Public Art Projects **Completed to Date**



District 1

Pier Parking Garage Phase 2
Reef Life By Taylor Smith “DREAMWEAVER”
Installed 2023



Pier Parking Garage Phase 1
Reef Life By Taylor Smith “DREAMWEAVER”
Installed 2023

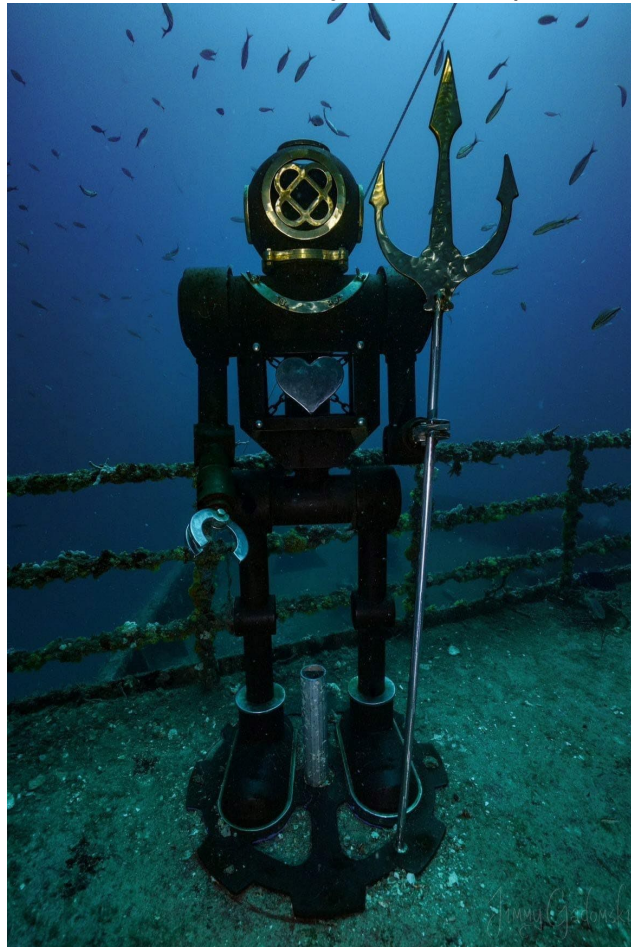


The Beach

Underwater Reef Sculpture Round 2: *Mechan H2O* By Tyler FuQua Creations
Temporarily Installed on Land 2022. To be sunk and attached to *Lady Luck* in Shipwreck Park 2023.



Sunk and attached to *Lady Luck* in Shipwreck Park 2023.



100 N Pompano Square
Trash the Wave By Hola Mundo Green Team
Temporary Installation in 2023



Great Lawn
Yellow Polka Dot Repaint Project By Brenda Gordon
Completed 2020 and 2023.



Mayla Pompano Beach
Gather By Mike Szabo
Funded through Public Art Density Bonus.
Installed 2023. (Artwork installed; plaza currently being installed.)



The Beach
Mosaic Team Term 2: SEA LIFE By Sonata Kazimieraitiene
99 Hand-made Tiles. Installed 2022.



The Great Lawn
Underwater Reef Sculpture Round 1: *Pirates' Treasure* By Donald Giallanela
Temporarily Installed on Land 2019.



Sunk and attached to *Lady Luck* in Shipwreck Park 2020.



100 N Pompano Square
The Last Straw By Hula Mundo Green Team
Temporary Installation in 2020



100 N Pompano Square
Catch the Wave By Hula Mundo Green Team
Temporary installation in 2019



NE 2nd Street
Silver Streak Maintenance Project By Gene Shurakov
Completed 2019.



Hillsboro Inlet Park
Anatomy of Pompano Maintenance Project By Tim McClellan
Completed 2018.



Pompano Beach Pier Parking Garage, Northeast corner of A1A and Pier Street.

No Place I'd Rather Be By Mike and Donna-Lee Savlen

Funded by the Parking Fund and Managed through CIP Manager.

Installed 2016.



Shipwreck Park

LadyLuck Artwork by Dennis MacDonald

Donations Given to and Managed by the Shipwreck Park, Inc. for Underwater Sculpture Garden.

Installed 2016.



Hillsboro Inlet Bridge
Barefoot Mailman By Mario Chiodo
Funded and Managed through Engineering Division.
Installed 2016.



District 2

Baily Contemporary Arts (BaCA)
Legacy Mural By Andrew Reid SheD
Funded by Cultural Affairs Department.
Installed 2022.



Pompano Beach Oasis Reuse Water Utilities
Oasis By Cecilia Lueaza
Installed 2019. Restoration of Artwork Completed 2022.



Artists Alley: Exterior Wall of the Bailey Contemporary Arts
Beach Scene on Building with Windows By Timothy Robert Smith
Installed 2019.



Artists Alley: Exterior Wall of the 135 NE 1st Ave.
Art in the Alley Tiles By Cynthia Trezona
Mosaic Mural with Hand-made Tile. Installed 2019.



Artists Alley: Exterior Wall of the Bailey Contemporary Arts
Artists Alley Mural: *Daydream* By Fabio Onrack
Installed 2018.



Artists Alley: Back Exterior Wall of the Bailey Contemporary Arts
Broward 100: *VisualEYES – Visionary* By Cecilia Lueza
Funded through Proud County.
Installed 2017.



Artists Alley: Back Exterior Wall on 31 NE 1st St.
World Peace Mural By Renda Writer
Installed 2016.



Artists Alley: Exterior Wall on 135 NE 1st Ave.
Old town Mural By Carlos Inocente Gonzalez
Installed 2016.



District 3

Pompano Beach Cultural Center
Current By Michael Szabo
Installed 2020.



Pompano Beach Amphitheater
Mosaic Team Term 1 Program: *Music Leads the Way*
By Lead Artist Sonata Kazimieraitiene
Installed 2018.





Pompano Beach Cultural Center South Entrance
We Go Together
By Gillie and Marc Schattner
Installed 2019.



Founders Park
9-11 Memorial: *Unbroken Spine. The Tale of American Heroism* By Cherie Saleeby
Contains a Fragment from the World Trader Centers.
Installed 2019.



Pompano Beach Cultural Center
Octopus' Garden By The Clay Cache
Installed 2018.



Kester Park
Pompano Pop Repainted By Agata Ren
Completed 2018.



District 4

Weaver Park
Coral Dance By Adriana Marquez
Installed 2022.



Patricia Davis Community Garden
Beautiful Day in the Garden By Steven Lutz
Installed 2020.



E. Pat Larkins Community Center
Family Roots By George Gadson Repair Project
First Completed 2016. Full Restoration Completed 2022.



Ali Cultural Center
Le Corsaire By Linda Serrao
Installed 2021.



Annie Adderly Gillis Park
Pompano Romp Repaint Project By Missy Pierce
Completed 2020.



Liberty Park, 595 NW 21st Ct. Park
Playtime By Carlos Inocente Gonzalez
Funded by Development Services.
Installed 2017



District 5

Cypress Bend Powerline Road Entrance
Painted Pompano Sculpture: *Lucky Leo* By Sitki Dogan
Installed 2023



McNair Park
Painted Pompano Sculpture: *Reaching for the Stars* By Darcy Roberts
Installed 2023.



Palm Aire Gazebo
Mosaic Team Term 1 Program: *WOW* By Lead Artist Sonata Kazimieraitiene
Installed 2021.



George Brummer Park
Decotropolis By Ivette Cabrera Repaint Project
Completed 2020.



SW 36th Ave. & Palm Aire
PEZ Nouveau By Alejandra Abad Repaint Project
Completed 2020.



Jan Moran Collier City Library
Collier City Artist in Residence Program: *All Hands In* By Ya La'ford
Installed 2018.



Herb Skolnick Center
Splash of Splendor by William Braemer
Installed 2017.

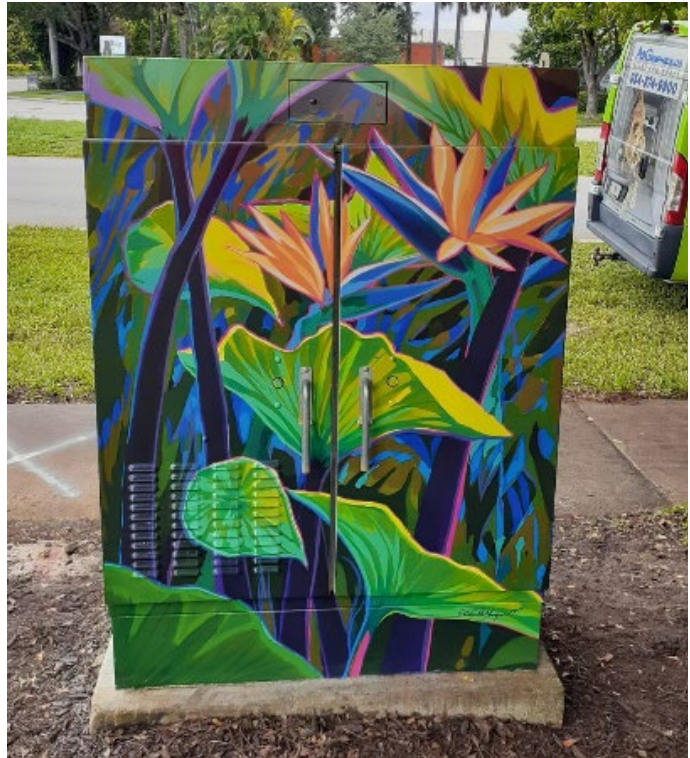


Multiple Districts

Innovation District
Mosaic Team Term 1 Program: *Trail of the Honey Bees* By Lead Artist Sonata Kazimieraitiene
35 Mosaics Ranging in Size
Installed 2018.



All Districts
Utility Wrap Phase 3
Artwork Pictured by Gregory Dirr and Adorable Monique Olsen
Installed 2020.



All Districts
Utility Wrap Phase 2: 43 wraps placed throughout the City
Artwork Pictured by Barbara Allen and Emily Clanton
Installed 2019.



All Districts
Painted Pompano Round 2: *Schools of Art*
12 fish placed throughout the City. Sculpture Pictured by Chan Sheperd
Installed 2018.



District 2, 3, & 4
Broward 100's *InsideOut*
Temporary installations installed at Pompano Beach Amphitheater, E. Pat Larkins Community Center
and Bailey Contemporary Arts
Installed 2015 & 2016.





All Districts
Utility Wrap Phase 1: 47 wraps placed throughout the City
Artwork Pictured by Brenda Gordon
Installed 2015.



All Districts
Painted Pompano Round 1
12 fish placed throughout the City. (3 Fish have been decommissioned.)
Sculpture Pictured by Magnus Sebastian
Installed 2015.



Grants Awarded

District 4

Community Foundation of Broward Grant
Artistic Acoustic Sound Panels
Awarded 2023.

The City was awarded the Community Foundation of Broward Grant for the *Artistic Acoustic Sound Panels* project. The City's Public Art Manager is working with the Parks and Recreation Department on the project which will involve multiple community engagement activities at the Senior Center and culminate with four (4) artistic acoustic sound panels that will be installed inside the Center located at 2005 NW 9th Street, Pompano Beach. The project is tentatively set to be completed in FY 2024.

District 3

Community Foundation of Broward Grant - Art of Community
Asphalt Art - The Crossroads Connection
Awarded 2020.

The City was awarded the Community Foundation of Broward Grant- Art of Community Grant. The City, who's grant is entitled *Asphalt Art; The Crossroads Connection*, commissioned South Florida artist Bill Savarese to hold community engagement activities that served as inspiration in designing the 12 street art murals. This project involved community volunteers, local artists, and various city departments including the Utilities Department in the production of public art in pedestrian space creating street art on asphalt and storm drains. The storm drains, in particular, focused on the importance of keeping our waterways clean and not littering. Whether called street paintings,

sidewalk paintings or asphalt art, street art has the ability to turn ordinary pavement into a canvas. The project is located along the City Hall/Cultural Center/Library portion of the Pompano Beach Crossroads Corridor. To date, the Crossroads Corridor Project has created a one-mile trail of public art, performance art, “drop-in” activities, and literary events that help connect our residents, businesses and visitors to each other.

Below pictured an aerial of the 4 Asphalt Murals and one of the Storm Drain Murals. 8 Storm Drain Murals installed in 2021 and 4 asphalt murals installed in 2023. Storm Drain Murals were destroyed during City Roadwork in 2022 and have been reinstalled.



Innovation District
Pompano Beach Crossroads
Awarded 2017

The City received a \$100,000 Our Town “creative placemaking” grant from the National Endowments of the Arts (NEA) for a two-year grant period October 2017 – September 2019. *Pompano Beach Crossroads* is a collaborative project of the City and Community Redevelopment Agency (CRA). Projects associated with the Grant are featured in the City’s Creative Arts District. Public Art Projects completed associated with this Grant to this date are the *Trail of the Honey Bees*, a *Painted Pompano Round 2* sculpture located at the Cultural Arts Plaza, multiple murals located in Artists Alley, and *We Go Together*.

Public Art Video Series

The Cultural Affairs Department and the Public Art Committee understand the need to adapt with these very unique times. The Department and the Committee have begun a Public Art Video series in order to inform and educate the public. These videos help create awareness as well as provide outreach. The videos also serve as a way to archive the Public Art projects and programs.

Paused Projects

- Cultural Center Crosswalk
- Modernized Oceanside Sculpture
- South Dixie Highway Project

- Cultural Center Crosswalk (Paused): This project is on hold for funding to be used for possible grant opportunities.

- Modernized Oceanside Sculpture (Paused): An artist/artist team will be commissioned to design, fabricate and install a free-standing sculpture located by Atlantic Boulevard. The sculpture’s theme is modernizing the Oceanside sculpture that used to be located near this location. Any necessary engineering and permitting will be the responsibility of the artist. The Call to Artists has been approved by the Public Art Committee. The Committee is currently looking for a location for the project.

- South Dixie Highway Project (Paused): Originally budgeted for FY2016. This is an ongoing project and is currently on hold.



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