



MEMORANDUM

Council Agenda
Item No. IX. Z
8/27/2024

The City of OKLAHOMA CITY

TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: Craig Freeman, City Manager

Public Art Commission Agreement with artist Ebony Iman Dallas, for a site-specific work of art for the MAPS 4 Diversion Hub, 1216 Linwood Boulevard, \$20,000. Ward 6.

Location:

Diversion Hub, 1216 Linwood Boulevard.

Purpose:

Approve an Agreement with Ebony Iman Dallas dba Nomad Mystique (Dallas), for a 1% for Art site-specific painting titled "Rise".

Background:

A Call to Artists (RFQ) was released to the public on January 10, 2024. A Selection Committee reviewed the responses to the RFQ received by the deadline of February 7, 2024, and selected Finalists who later attended a mandatory site tour, and subsequently made presentations of site-specific conceptual design reports. The Selection Committee recommended Dallas's painting "Rise" as the most appropriate public art for this project. The Arts Commission met on April 15, 2024 (Item III.C.) and concurred with the Selection Committee's recommendation.

Cost:

\$20,000

Source of Funds:

MAPS 4 Program – MAPS4 Diversion Hub – Diversion Hub - Art (1531-1406244-M4-MD010-53040026)

Review:

Planning Department

Recommendation: Agreement be approved.