MEETING DATE: September 21, 2026 AGENDA ITEM: V.a.
PROJECT NAME: BLUE BONNET CIRCLE
PRESENTATION: Approve Project Outline for public art in Blue Bonnet Circle, 76109 (Council District 9)



The City of Fort Worth has completed pavement improvements around Blue Bonnet Circle as part of the City of Fort Worth's 2022 Bond Program. Blue Bonnet Circle Park within the large roundabout has a master plan on file which was designed in 2007; though there is currently not a timeline for implementation, the public art project will be cognizant of the concepts. Similarly, the Park and Recreation Department recently added pedestrian lighting through the park from a separate improvement fund. The area receives traffic from many nearby neighborhoods as well as regular foot traffic in and around the park, therefore it was identified in the *Fort Worth Public Art Plan for the 2022 Bond Program* as an impactful location for public art.

PUBLIC ART SITE AND APPROACH

This public art project provides an opportunity for an artist to create unique artwork(s) in and around Blue Bonnet Circle Park. The Project Core Team will meet to discuss goals for the project (date forthcoming).

PUBLIC ART BUDGET

This project is included in the *Fort Worth Public Art Fiscal Year 2026 Annual Work Plan*, adopted by the Fort Worth City Council on December 9, 2025, as M&C 25-1127. A total artist's budget of $544,050.00 was included in the *Public Art Plan for the 2022 Bond Program*.

ELIGIBILITY

Staff will recommend 6-8 artists from the *Fort Worth Public Art Pre-Qualified List of Established Artists* whose work would be a good fit for the project.

PROJECT CORE TEAM

1. Anita Horky, Paschal NA
2. Tim Latta, Frisco Heights NA
3. Ann Zedah, District 9 Representative at-large

Invited

4. *Martha Jones, Bluebonnet Hills NA*
5. *Keith Ashcraft, University Place NA*
6. *Dr. Paul Bice, Park Hill Place NA*
7. *Ross Douglass, Berkley Place*
8. *Kyle Paulson, District 9 Representative at-large*

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ARTIST SELECTION PROCESS

SELECTION PANEL MEETING #1

FWPA staff shall present a pool of 6-8 candidates. Artists will be contacted prior to being considered by the Artist Selection Panel, to ascertain their interest and availability. The Artist Selection Panel shall review the artists' previous work and qualifications and select 3 finalists and one alternate.

FINALIST ORIENTATION

The finalists shall participate in an orientation for the project which will include a virtual walk through of the site.

SELECTION PANEL MEETING #2

The Artist Selection Panel shall interview each of the three artists individually. The Panel may then ask questions about their professional experience and related work. The Panel will then recommend one artist and one alternate for the project. Upon the FWAC's approval of the Panel's recommendation, a Preliminary Design contract will be executed with the selected artist.

MEETING FACILITATOR: Michelle Richardson, Public Art Project Manager, Arts Fort Worth

ARTIST SELECTION PANEL *(Voting)*

1. Mia Boatner, District 9 Director (on behalf of Council Member Beck)
2. *TBD, Elected Project Core Team Member*
3. Cliff Vanderpool, Fort Worth Art Commissioner
4. TBD, Artist
5. Fernando Alvarez, Arts Professional

ADVISORS *(Non-voting)*

1. Patrick Vicknair, Park & Recreation Department
2. Thomas Eatinger, Park & Recreation Department
3. Raj Gupta, Transportation/Public Works Department
4. Other Project Core Team Members
5. Others as may be appropriate

TIMELINE *(Subject to change)*

Project Outline Approved	September 21, 2026
Project Core Team Orientation	October 2026
Selection Panel Meeting #1	November 2026
Finalist Orientation	November 2026
Selection Panel Meeting #2 (Interviews)	December 2026
FWAC approval	December 14, 2026

MEETING DATE: September 21, 2026 AGENDA ITEM: VI.a.
PROJECT NAME: Gateway Park
ACTION ITEM: Approve Artist Final Design for public art in Gateway Park, 76111 (Council District 11)

PROJECT SUMMARY

- The Fort Worth Art Commission (FWAC) approved the Gateway Park Public Art Project Outline on August 19, 2024
- The FWAC approved Trevor O'Tool as the artist for Gateway Park on December 19, 2024
- The artist was placed under a Preliminary Design Contract on March 14, 2025 (CSC #62960)
- The artist conducted a site visit and met with the Project Core Team and City staff for input prior to beginning concept development on June 4, 2025
- The artist met virtually with the Project Core Team and presented four concepts for input on September 29, 2025, and subsequently chose one to develop in Preliminary Design
- The FWAC approved the artist's Preliminary Design on December 15, 2025
- The artist was placed under a Final Design Addendum on May 27, 2026

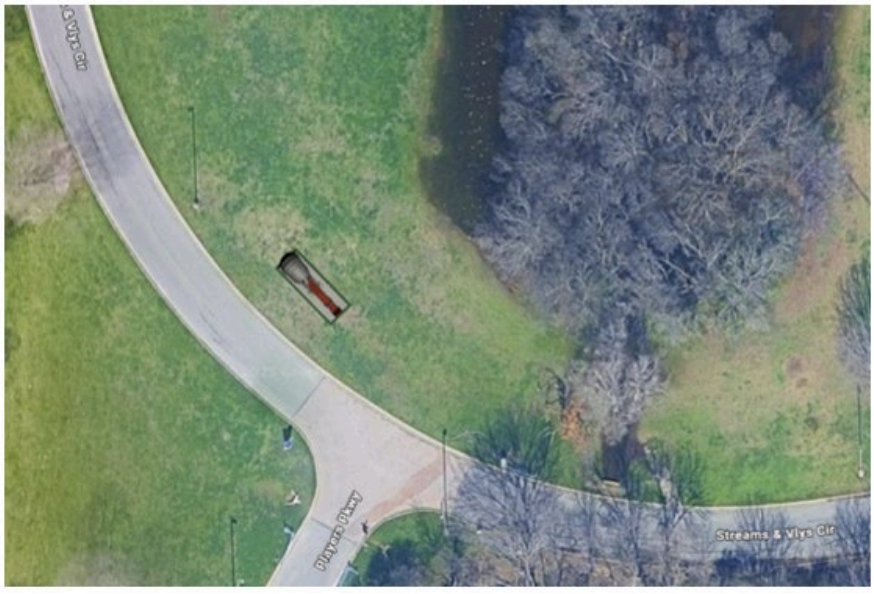
STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff have reviewed the Final Design Deliverables and recommend approval. The public art project manager (listed below) is available to answer questions prior to and during the meeting.

NEXT STEPS

Upon the Fort Worth Art Commission's approval of the Final Design, the project will be presented to the Parks Advisory Board for endorsement of the location. Upon endorsement, a Mayor and Council Communication will be taken to City Council, which will authorize placing the artist under a Commission agreement to fabricate, deliver and install the work.

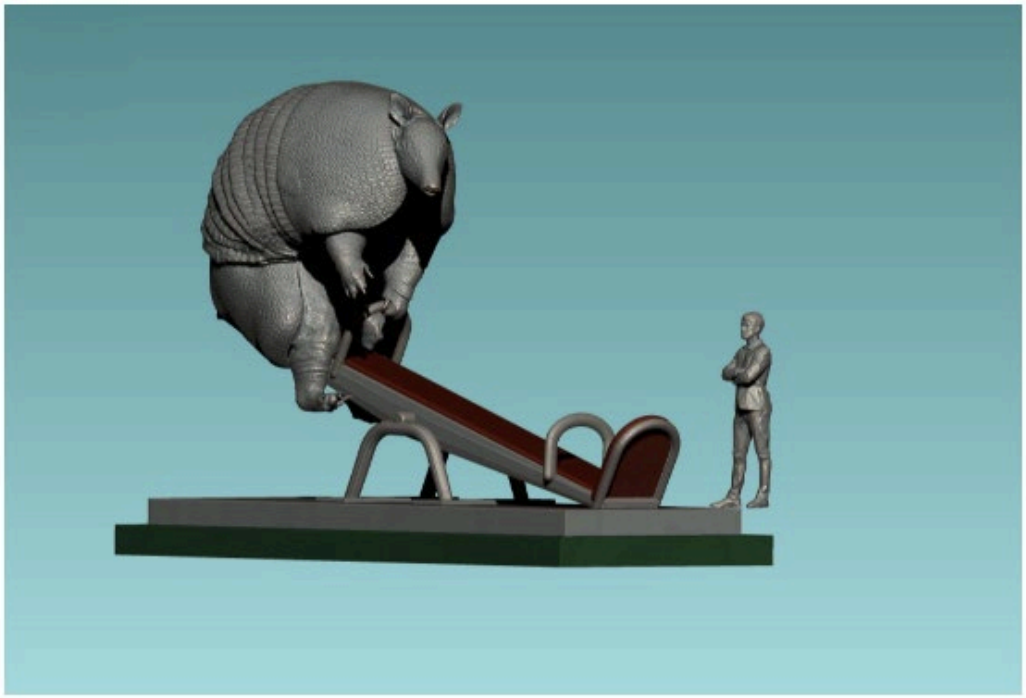
ARTWORK LOCATION



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ARTISTWORK RENDERING



MEETING DATE: September 21, 2026 AGENDA ITEM: VI.a.

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For the Gateway Park Public Art Project, Trevor O'Tool has designed a playful oversized armadillo astride a large see saw, apparently held aloft by an unseen companion on the other end. The artwork engages visitors to the park with its approachableness, humor and larger than life quality. While signage will instruct visitors not to climb the artwork, it invites all nimble enough to take a seat and a selfie.

The artwork's subject speaks to a gentle, suburban animal so many are familiar with, while also taking part in the play and recreation themes that are central to the park, without celebrating a particular sport or user group, something cited as important by the Project Core Team. The artwork's location adjacent to Streams and Valley Circle Drive and disc golf will make it readily visible and accessible to drivers and pedestrians.

The armadillo will be fabricated by the artist using a clay modeling and lost was process. Cast in sections in bronze, it will be welded, smoothed and patinaed prior to transport and installation. The see saw will be fabricated in stainless steel and skinned in polycarbonate or a similar material to keep the bench from being too hot to touch in the summer. The artist has engineered the see saw and the support structure to withstand the weight of the armadillo and guests sitting on the bench. The pedestal base is designed to accommodate being in a flood plain.

The artist will share further details of the Final Design during their presentation at the Fort Worth Art Commission meeting on Monday, September 21, 2026.

MEETING DATE:	SEPTEMBER 21, 2026	AGENDA ITEM: VI.b.
PROJECT NAME:	FIRE STATION #26	
ACTION ITEM:	Approve Final Design for public art at Fire Station #26 (Council District 6)	

PROJECT SUMMARY

- In House Media's Conceptual Design Proposal was approved by the Fort Worth Art Commission on March 16, 2026.
- In House Media entered into a Final Design addendum on April 17, 2026 (CSC #64319-AD1)
- The artist held a design input meeting on August 19, 2026, with the Fort Worth Fire Department, Project Core Team members, and other project stakeholders.

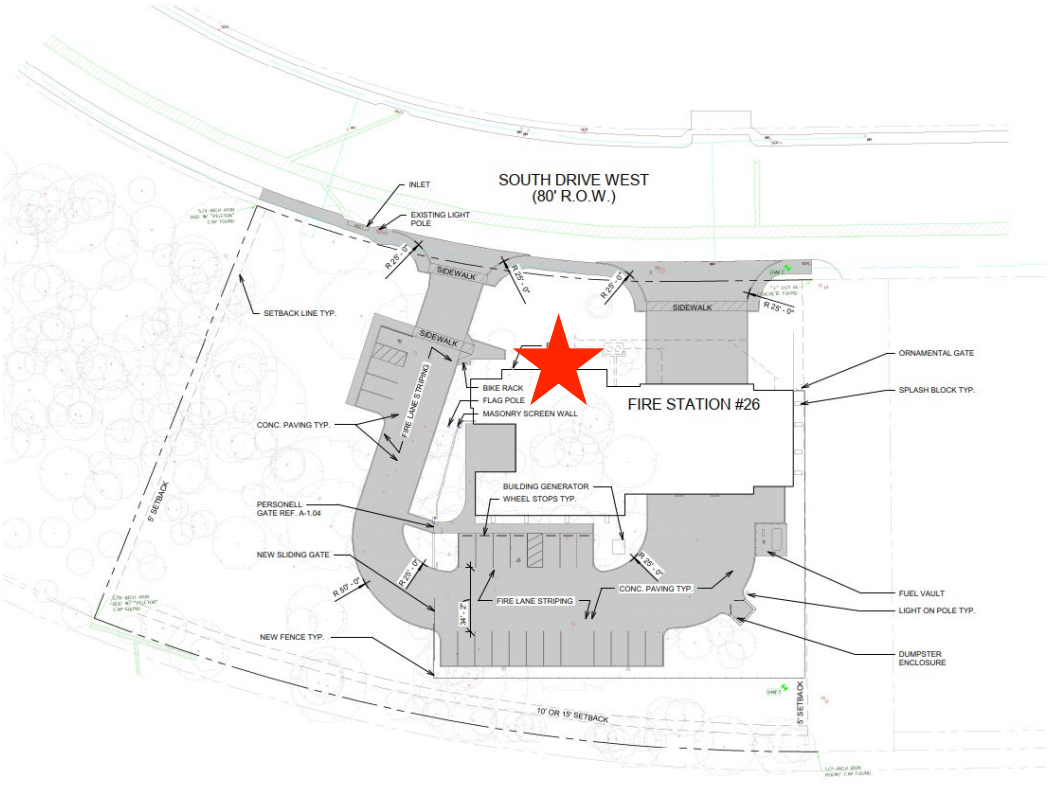
STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff have reviewed the Final Design Deliverables and recommend approval. The public art project manager (listed below) is available to answer questions prior to and during the meeting.

NEXT STEPS

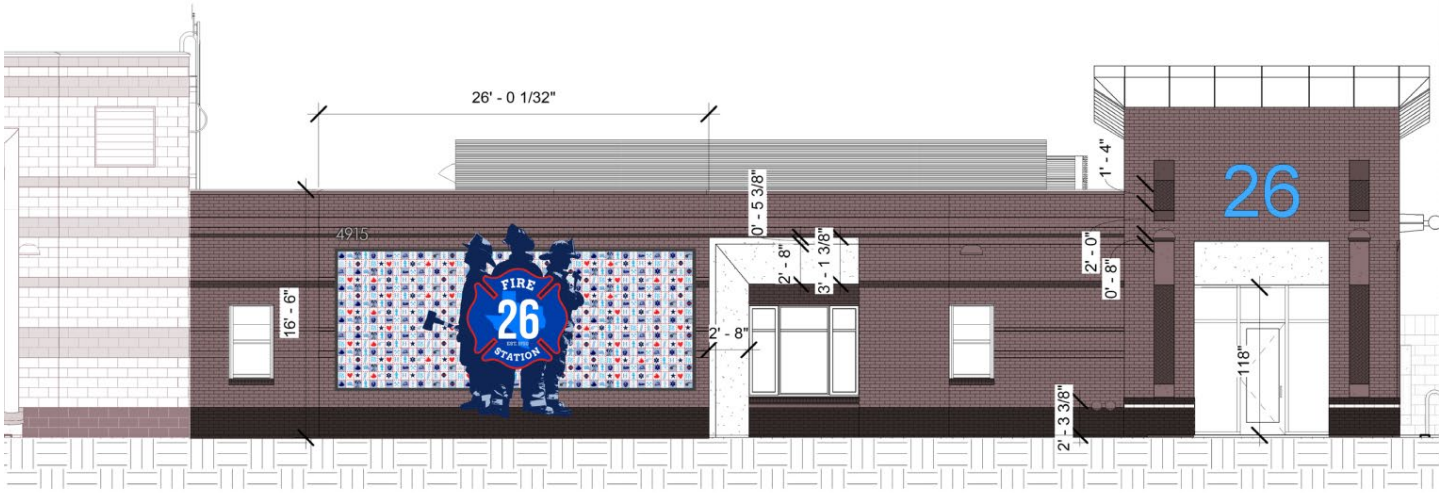
Upon the Fort Worth Art Commission's approval of the Final Design, a Mayor and Council Communication will be taken to City Council, which will authorize placing the artist under a Commission agreement to fabricate, deliver and install the work.

SITE MAPS



MEETING DATE:	SEPTEMBER 21, 2026	AGENDA ITEM: VI.b.
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FINAL DESIGN PREVIEW



Quilting is a practice of care, preservation, and shared history; these creations are often passed down from generation to generation, preserving stories. *Stitched In Service* utilizes this historic medium to create civic unity while conceptually "wrapping" Fire Station #26 protectively. Numerous artist-designed icons will populate the quilt, to be completed by community members and "stitched" together, a symbol of the connection between firefighters and the community they serve. Centered in the quilt are three firefighters, representative of the three Cs of Ventilation (communication, coordination and control), along with a Maltese Cross. The design is intended to celebrate connection and create a vibrant, inclusive artwork.

MEETING DATE:	August 21, 2026 AGENDA ITEM: VI c.
PROJECT NAME:	ENDORSED PUBLIC ART FISCAL YEAR 2027 ANNUAL WORK PLAN
PUBLIC HEARING:	Approve and Make Recommendation to the City Council to Adopt the Public Art Fiscal Year 2027 Annual Work Plan (All Council Districts)

2027 Endorsed Annual Work Plan Attached

Program Manager: Anne Allen Email: aallen@artsfortworth.org

FWAC ENDORSED

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Fiscal Year 2027 Annual Work Plan

CD	PROJECT / ARTIST	PROJECT BUDGET	FUNDING SOURCE(S)	PROJECT PHASE *(as of 7-21-26)*	Anticipated Completion
	CITY WIDE				
CW	**Community Partnership Projects Initiative (CPPI)** - Development of Initiative Guidelines and Community Partner Selection Process	**$ 500,000**	2022 Bond, Prop A	PENDING	TBD
TBD	NEW **-2026 Bond Project 1**	**TBD**	2026 Bond, Prop B, C, E, or F	PLANNING	TBD
TBD	NEW**-2026 Bond Project 2**	**TBD**	2026 Bond, Prop B, C, E, or F	PLANNING	TBD
TBD	NEW**-2026 Bond Project 3**	**TBD**	2026 Bond, Prop B, C, E, or F	PLANNING	TBD
	COUNCIL DISTRICT 2				
2	**Northwest Patrol Division** - *Project One Studio*	**$ 372,000**	2022 Bond, Prop E	FABRICATION	SEPT 2026
2	**Circle Park Blvd.**	**$ 650,000**	2022 Bond, Prop A	PENDING	TBD
	COUNCIL DISTRICT 3				
3	**Fire Station #43** - *Invizion Arts*	**$ 75,000**	2014 Bond, Prop 4	FINAL DESIGN	DEC 2026
	COUNCIL DISTRICT 4				
4	**Ray White Road** - *Karl Unnasch*	**$ 650,000**	2022 Bond, Prop A	FINAL DESIGN	DEC 2027
4	**Fire Station #37** - *Kat Warwick*	**$ 199,500**	2022 Bond, Prop D	FABRICATION	MAR 2027
4	**North Beach/820 Underpass -** *Merge Conceptual Design*	**$ 300,000**	2014 Bond, Prop 1	INSTALLATION	SEPT 2026
	COUNCIL DISTRICT 5				
5	**Stop Six HUB MLK Community Center** - *Kelsha Spencer Brian Dickson Jr.*	**$ 350,000**	2022 Bond, Prop B	PRELIMINARY DESIGN	JUNE 2027
5	**Handley Meadowbrook Community Center** - *Artist TBD*	**$ 60,200**	2014 Bond, P-2	PENDING	TBD
5	**"Stop Six" Bunche Park** - *Sedrick Huckaby*	**$ 373,601**	General Capital Projects Fund	FABRICATION	OCT 2026
5	**Mosier Valley Park** -*TBD*	**$ 80,000**	TBD	PENDING	TBD
	COUNCIL DISTRICT 6				
6	**Westhaven Park** - *Brandon Burns*	**$ 250,000**	2022 Bond, Prop B	PRELIMINARY DESIGN	SEPT 2027
6	**Horne Street -** *Darryl Ratcliff*	**$ 200,000**	2018 Bond, Prop A	FINAL DESIGN	MAR 2028
6	**Fire Station #26** - *In House Media*	**$ 117,410**	2018 Bond, Prop D	FINAL DESIGN	DEC 2026
6	**Summer Creek Mile Markers**- *Jill Bedgood*	$ 64,325	2008 Bond, Prop A	FABRICATION	SEPT 2026
		$ 56,881	General Capital Projects Fund		
		$ 121,206			
6	**Chisholm Trail Park, Phase 2** - *Jill Bedgood*	**$ 81,000**	2018 Bond, Prop B	PENDING	TBD
6	NEW **- Primrose Station**--*TBD*	**$ 350,000**	General Capital Projects Fund	PENDING	TBD
6	NEW **- South Patrol Division 2** - *TBD*	**$ 10,935**	2018 Bond, Prop F	PENDING	TBD
	COUNCIL DISTRICT 7				
7	**Chapel Creek Corridor -** *Brenda Ciardiello and SV Randall*	**$ 485,080**	2018 Bond, Prop A	FABRICATION	MAY 2027
	COUNCIL DISTRICT 8				
8	**Oak Grove Park** - *Jessica Bell*	**$ 250,000**	2022 Bond, Prop B	FABRICATION	SEPT 2027
8	**Everman Parkway** - *Milagros Collective*	**$ 650,000**	2022 Bond, Prop A	FINAL DESIGN	SEPT 2027
8	**I-35W Underpass @ E. Rosedale Street** - *RE:site*	$ 46,000	2004 Bond, P-1		
		$ 49,000	Specially Funded Capital Projects		
		$ 610,000	TIF #4		
		$ 705,000		FINAL DESIGN	TBD
	COUNCIL DISTRICT 9				
9	**Public Art at City Hall** - *TBD*	**$ 200,000**	General Capital Projects Fund		TBD
9	**Heritage Park** - *Legge Lewis Legge, LLC*	$ 630,500	2022 Bond, Prop B		
		$ 49,400	2014 Bond, Prop 2		
		$ 679,900		PRELIMINARY DESIGN	JULY 2028
9	**Paddock Park** - *Artist TBD*	**$ 700,000**	2022 Bond, Prop B	ARTIST SELECTION	JULY 2028
	Reallocated Downtown Iconic Funding to Heritage and Paddock Parks	**$ 835,079**	General Capital Projects Fund		
9	**Bluebonnet Circle**	**$ 650,000**	2022 Bond, Prop A	PLANNING	TBD
	COUNCIL DISTRICT 9 (Con't)				
9	**South Main Underpass** - *Bill Fitzgibbons*	$ 380,000	2014 Bond, P-1	FINAL DESIGN	TBD
		$ 191,000	TIF #4		
		$ 571,000			
	COUNCIL DISTRICT 10				
10	**Sendera Springs Library** - *Susan Narduli*	**$ 245,200**	2022 Bond, Prop C	FABRICATION	NOV 2026
10	**North Municipal Campus** - *Julie Richey*	**$ 70,750**	General Capital Projects Fund	PLANNING	TBD

FWAC ENDORSED

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CD	PROJECT / ARTIST	PROJECT BUDGET	FUNDING SOURCE(S)	PROJECT PHASE *(as of 7-21-26)*	Anticipated Completion
	COUNCIL DISTRICT 11				
11	**Ciquio Vasquez Park** - *J Muzacz*	**$ 250,000**	2022 Bond, Prop B	FABRICATION	OCT 2026
11	**Gateway Park** - *Artist Trevor O'Tool*	**$ 605,000**	2018 Bond, Prop A	FINAL DESIGN	OCT 2027
11	**Eugene McCray Community Center** - *Jeremy Biggers*	**$ 60,200**	2014 Bond, P-2	FABRICATION	OCT 2026
11	**Prairie Dog Park** --*TBD*	**$ 357,089**	General Capital Projects Fund	PENDING	TBD
11	***Natura* Sculpture Acquisition** - *Alice Bateman*	**$ 80,000**	Specially Funded Capital Projects	PRELIMINARY DESIGN	JAN 2027
CD	**FUNDS TO BE REALLOCATED TO NEW SITES**	**PROJECT BUDGET**	**FUNDING SOURCE(S)**	**PROJECT PHASE** *(as of 7-21-26)*	**Anticipated Completion**
6	**South Hulen & West Risinger Road**	**$ 450,000**	2022 Bond, Prop A	PENDING	TBD
7	**Heritage Trace Parkway**	**$ 105,300**	2022 Bond, Prop A	PENDING	TBD
	PUBLIC ART PROJECTS / COMBINED BUDGETS TOTAL*	**$ 12,690,450**			
	*NOTE: Projects identified in the Five Year Plan and not included in this Plan will be addressed in future Annual Work Plans as projects are completed and there is capacity to initiate new projects. * Budget does not include new Bond Projects; these will be identified on the Draft Plan for the 2026 Bond. Projects highlighted in blue will be completing soon.*				
	COLLECTION MANAGMENT PROJECTS	**BUDGET**	**FUNDING SOURCE(S)**	**PROJECT PHASE** *(as of 7-21-26)*	**Anticipated Completion**
2	***Collective Transitions*** , Meacham International Airport *(deinstall and reinstall)*	N/A	Airport Funding	PLANNING	TBD
9	***Flight*** *(repair, replace horns)*	$ 45,000	FY2026 FWPA CM Funds	REPAIRS UNDERWAY	2027
9	***Lancaster Avenue of Light*** *(electrical repair, cleaning)*	$ 26,000	FY2026 FWPA CM Funds	REPAIRS UNDERWAY	2027
9	***Memory: Fairmount Park*** *(replace damaged tabletop)*	$ 35,000	**FY2027 FWPA CM Funds**	PLANNING	TBD
7	**Historic Cattle Barn Final Mural Restoration** *(Will Rogers Memorial Center, Barn #4)*	$ 41,565	Specially Funded Projects	ONGOING	TBD
CW	***Runnels*** , Botanic Gardens (Artwork Deinstallation, Storage, Repair, Relocation)	TBD	TBD	PLANNING	2027
CW	**Existing FWPA Artwork Placement** (Portable Works)	$ 30,000	**FY2027 FWPA CM Funds**	PLANNING	TBD
2	**Quannah Parker Relocation**	$ 45,000	TBD	PLANNING	TBD
CW	**Risk Management / Major Damage Insurance Claims**				
8	Carousel		TBD	PLANNING	TBD
5	East Rosedale Monument Bus		TBD	UNDERWAY	TBD
11	Trout Lily		TBD	UNDERWAY	TBD
9	Urban Still Life		TBD	UNDERWAY	TBD
2	A Very Long Now		TBD	UNDERWAY	TBD
CW	**Interpretive Plaques** (for Existing and Newly Completed Artworks)	$ 25,000	Capital Project Funds & FY2026 FWPA CM Funds	UNDERWAY	2027
CW	**Migration to New Collection Management System**		**FY2027 FWPA CM Funds**	UNDERWAY	2027
	SUBTOTAL SPECIAL COLLECTION MANAGEMENT PROJECTS	$ 247,565			
CW	**Collection Management** *(Administration, Cleaning, Annual Inventory, Condition Assessment, Deferred Maintenance Prioritization)*	$ 195,000	**FY2027 FWPA CM Funds Annual Allocation**	ONGOING	
CW	**Artwork Gifts and Loans Facilitation**	N/A	N/A	AS NEEDED	
	TOTAL COLLECTION MANAGEMENT PROJECTS	**$ 442,565**			
	NOTE: Collection Management Capital Projects recommended in the Collection Management Five Year Plan will be prioritized and addressed as funding allows.				
	COMMUNITY / LOCAL ARTISTS ENGAGEMENT		FUNDING SOURCE(S)		
CW	Project Core Teams / Project Stakeholders			ONGOING	
CW	Artwork Dedications			AS NEEDED	
CW	Public Art Mentorship Opportunities			ONGOING	
CW	Lectures / Workshops / Tours / FWPA Website			ONGOING	
CW	**NEW** - Pre-Qualified Call for Emerging Artists and Training (2026 Bond)			AS NEEDED	

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	PROGRAM MANAGEMENT		FUNDING SOURCE(S)		
CW	Fort Worth Art Commission Staff Liaison			ONGOING	
CW	*FWPA Master Plan Update* Implementation			ONGOING	
CW	Plan for 2026 Bond Program			ONGOING	