

**RESOLUTION OF THE
CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF HOLLAND
REGARDING THE ADOPTION OF A PUBLIC ART POLICY AND
ESTABLISHMENT OF A PUBLIC ART ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

At a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Holland, Holland, Michigan, held at City Hall in Holland, Michigan on the 3rd day of October, 2018 at 7:00 p.m. E.S.T.

PRESENT: Mayor De Boer, Council Members Byrd, Trethewey, Peters, Garcia, Lynn and Hoekstra

ABSENT: Council Members Corbin and Klomparens

The following Resolution was offered by City Council Member Hoekstra and supported by City Council Member Lynn.

RESOLUTION

PUBLIC ART POLICY AND PUBLIC ART ADVISORY COMMITTEE

WHEREAS, the City of Holland is fortunate to have over 70 outdoor pieces of public art on public streets and sidewalks, in public parks, on public properties, and on private property fully within view of the public which enliven the physical environment while enhancing the City's desirability and livability;

WHEREAS, the City of Holland's sense of place and connection to our creative businesses, industry, and educational institutions are enhanced by the creativity and excitement of diverse public art;

WHEREAS, the purpose of this Resolution is to adopt the City of Holland's Public Art Policy to provide guidance on decisions relating to public art displays;

WHEREAS, this Resolution establishes a Public Art Advisory Committee to advise City Council on the opportunities and procedures for supporting the addition of public art throughout the City and the policies necessary to address these opportunities;

WHEREAS, the Public Art Advisory Committee will work with boards, committees and City staff charged with overseeing public places and with various policies directed at procedures and content for realizing such installations;

WHEREAS, the Public Art Advisory Committee, serving as an advisory body to City Council, will have the following responsibilities:

- (a) Affirm public art as a means to recognize and portray community attributes and inspirations, create and convey pride, and reinforce identity and a sense of special place throughout the community;
- (b) Recognize the value of public art as an economic development force;
- (c) Encourage the creation and placement of public art throughout the City that engages the imagination and participation of the community;
- (d) While maintaining an openness to the location of public art in any venue, develop a public art framework that identifies specific public art opportunities in specific locations throughout the City;
- (e) Actively review and evaluate current and proposed public art installations and evaluate existing and proposed maintenance programs and initiatives, while advising City Council in all such matters;
- (f) Engage others throughout the community who are involved in or interested in promoting and installing public art throughout the City;
- (g) Serve as a community forum for the exchange of ideas and solutions concerning the public art needs and opportunities of the City;
- (h) Review and update the City's Public Art Policy at least once every three years and refer proposed changes to the City Council to implement; and
- (i) Assist in the implementation of Council-approved public art policies, programs and installations; and

WHEREAS, the Public Art Advisory Committee shall meet as necessary to conduct the business of the Committee. The Committee shall adopt rules and procedures as are appropriate to the performance of its duties. The members shall elect a chairperson to serve a one-year term. The City Manager, or the City Manager's designated representative(s), shall provide secretarial and staff services for the Committee.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council for the City of Holland adopts the attached Public Art Policy effective on this date;

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Council hereby establishes the Public Art Advisory Committee composed of five (5) members to be appointed by the Mayor, with the advice and approval of the City Council, consisting of:

- One (1) member of the City Council for a one-year term;

- One (1) member of the Parks and Recreation Commission for a one-year term;
- Three (3) members who are residents of the City of Holland who are interested in art, landscaping or architecture for staggered three-year terms.

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED that the terms of the Committee members shall be consistent with the City's fiscal year, i.e., expiring on June 30.

After discussion, the vote was:

AYES: Council Members Byrd, Trethewey, Peters, Garcia, Lynn, Hoekstra and Mayor De Boer

NAYS: None

ABSENT: Council Members Corbin and Klomprens

Dated: October 3, 2018

CITY OF HOLLAND

By Kathy Mitchell
Kathy Mitchell
Its City Clerk

CERTIFICATE

STATE OF MICHIGAN)
) ss
COUNTY OF OTTAWA)

I, the undersigned, the duly qualified City Clerk of the Holland City Council, City of Holland, State of Michigan, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of proceedings taken at a regular City Council Meeting of the Council of the City of Holland, held on the 3rd day of October, 2018, insofar as the same relates to the Resolution of the Holland City Council Regarding the Adoption of a Public Art Policy and Establishment of a Public Art Advisory Committee, the original of which is on file in my office. Public notice of said meeting was given pursuant to and in full compliance with Act 267, Public Act of 1976, as amended.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto affixed my official signature this 3rd day of October, 2018.



Kathy Mitchell, City Clerk