

## Public Art Traffic Signal Box Committee Minutes

June 13, 2023, 3:00 pm

Jack Reidy Conference Room (in person) or TEAMS (virtually)

Attend in person: Jack Reidy Conference Room, 140 W. Pine, Missoula, MT

### 1. CALL TO ORDER

#### 1.1 Roll Call

### 2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

No previous minutes to approve

### 3. PUBLIC COMMENT ON ITEMS NOT LISTED ON THE AGENDA

### 4. COMMITTEE BUSINESS

#### 4.1 Proposals

##### 4.1.1 Batoul Khouhani: Missoula

Subcommittee discusses TSB proposal and model.

Comments: His piece is made from colored pencils so it would have to be printed. They like how this is a different medium. They like that they have meshed his culture with Montana culture.

##### 4.1.2 Ben Mickelson: Pacific Northwest

Subcommittee discusses TSB proposal and model.

Comments: They like the imagery on the design.

##### 4.1.3 Bronwen Harris: The Cheering Squad

Subcommittee discusses TSB proposal and model.

Comments: It is a "cute" design" and would be a good one with a location where kids are present (parks, schools, residential etc.)

##### 4.1.4 Claire Peterson: The Trees Have Hands

Subcommittee discusses TSB proposal and model.

Comments: There is some interesting depth with the hands in this piece.

##### 4.1.5 Dylan Albans and Priya Subberwal: Treepie

Subcommittee discusses TSB proposal and model.

Total: Mia likes the artistic process on this one and the environmental art behind it.

##### 4.1.6 Dylan Albans and Priya Subberwal: Nostalgic Future

Subcommittee discusses TSB proposal and model.

**4.1.7 James Newstrom: Friends Grow Here**

Subcommittee discusses TSB proposal and model.

Comments: They really like the base with the fossils. Some people like how fun and whimsical it is.

**4.1.8 Kaisha Meichell Gerhardt: Nocturnal Elegance**

Subcommittee discusses TSB proposal and model.

Comments: They like the colors and optical illusion in on this piece. The composition is nice.

**4.1.9 Kathy Pierandozzi: Birds in the Vines**

Subcommittee discusses TSB proposal and model.

**4.1.10 Ken Rand: Eclipse**

Subcommittee discusses TSB proposal and model.

**4.1.11 Monica Gilles-BringsYellow: Time and Place**

Subcommittee discusses TSB proposal and model.

Comments: They like the indigenous history behind this piece, and it would be a great reminder for the community. The committee likes how rich and beautiful this piece is.

**4.1.12 Pamela Hansen: First Montanans**

Subcommittee discusses TSB proposal and model.

Comments: This artist has 3 submittals.

**4.1.13 Pamela Hansen: The Women**

Subcommittee discusses TSB proposal and model.

**4.1.14 Pamela Hansen: The Letters**

Subcommittee discusses TSB proposal and model.

Comments: Kathi likes the textures in this piece and is the most cohesive in her opinion out of the 3.

**4.1.15 Quinn McHugh: Bartender**

Subcommittee discusses TSB proposal and model.

**4.2 Selection**

**4.2.1 Broadway & Van Buren**

**4.2.2 Hwy 10 West - Reserve St. Entrance Northbound**

**4.2.3 Hwy 10 West - Reserve St. Entrance Southbound**

**5. ANNOUNCEMENTS, NEWS OR UPCOMING EVENTS**

Top 3 TSB Proposals (in no particular order):

- 1.) Batoul Khoufani : Missoula
- 2.) Monica Giles-BringsYellow: Time and Place
- 3.) Kaisha Meichell Gerherdt: Nocturnal Elegance

The subcommittee will interview these 3 artists in an upcoming meeting for next steps.

**6. ADJOURNMENT**

5:02 pm