

Memo

To: City Council
From: Bryan Myrkle, Community Development Director
Date: February 19, 2015
Re: Public Art Policy

In order to apply for the Public Art for Communities 2015 grant, the city must demonstrate that it is working toward the adoption of a public art policy.

The policy must be approved and adopted prior to the award of the grant.

I have included a copy of a model policy provided by the Lansing Economic Area Partnership, which is the sponsor of this grant. This draft is not necessarily what I would propose for final adoption, but is included here to give you some idea what a public art policy would look like. That said, it is very likely that any policy adopted by the city would need to be fairly close this model in order to receive the grant.

If the council authorizes me to proceed with the grant, I would expect the policy to come before the council for adoption in March.