

CHAPTER 2-14
BEAUTIFICATION AND PUBLIC ART COMMISSION

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SECTION 2-14-001-0001 CREATION OF COMMISSION:

There is hereby established a City Beautification and Public Art Commission. There shall be nine (9) voting members of said Commission who shall meet as hereinafter provided to consider and recommend programs for the expenditure of the portions of the Bed, Board and Booze Tax as designated by City Code, Title 3, Chapter 6, Section 3-06-001-0004.

(Ord. No. 1580, Enacted, 08/02/88; Ord. No. 2006-15, Amended, 05/16/2006; Ord. No. 2007-07, Amended, 02/06/2007))

SECTION 2-14-001-0002 COMPOSITION AND TERM OF OFFICE:

The composition of the membership shall consist of:

A. A Councilmember designated by the City Council to serve, as a non-voting, ex officio Council liaison, during the Councilmember's term of office. (Ord. 1674, 9-18-90); (Ord. 2006-15, 05/16/2006)

B. One (1) member to be from the hospitality industry, appointed by the City Council. Said member shall serve a three (3) year term.

C. Two voting members from the arts community, including, but not limited to artists, craftsmen, gallery owners, arts educator, art historian, art curator, art administrator.

D. One voting member who is a design professional, including, but not limited to, architects, landscape architect, urban planner, or graphic designer.

E. Five (5) additional members appointed by the City Council. (Ord. No. 2006-15, (05/16/2006); (Ord. No. 2007-04, Amended 02/06/07)

Each member shall serve three-year terms, on a staggered basis. A member's term in office shall commence with the first regular Commission meeting following the appointment and terminate with the regular Commission meeting at which the successor takes office. No voting

member of the Commission may be appointed to more than two (2) full consecutive terms.

(Ord. No. 1580, Enacted, 08/02/88; Ord. No. 1674, Amended, 09/18/90; Ord. No. 2006-15, Amended 05/16/2006); (Ord. No. 2007-04, Amended 02/06/07)

SECTION 2-14-001-0003 COMPENSATION OF COMMISSION MEMBERS:

Members of the Commission shall serve without compensation.

(Ord. No. 1580, Enacted, 08/02/88)

SECTION 2-14-001-0004 ORGANIZATION:

The Commission shall elect a Chairperson from among its members. The term of the Chairperson shall be one year with eligibility for reelection. Commission members may not serve more than two (2) consecutive terms as Chairperson. The Council representative shall not be eligible for the Chair.

(Ord. No. 1580, Enacted, 08/02/88)

SECTION 2-14-001-0005 MEETINGS:

A. The Commission shall hold at least one regular meeting per month, which shall at all times be open to the public, the time and place of said meeting shall be posted in accordance with the applicable Arizona State Statutes.

B. A quorum consisting of a minimum of five (5) voting members shall be required to conduct business.

(Ord. No. 1580, Enacted, 08/02/88; Ord. No. 2006-15, Amended 05/16/2006)

SECTION 2-14-001-0006 DUTIES:

The duties of the Commission shall be to:

A. The Commission shall be responsible for preparing a Five (5) Year Plan. The Five Year Plan shall be used as a guideline for future programs. Said Plan shall be presented to the Council prior to April 1 of each year.

B. Develop and present to City Council an Annual Plan outlining the Commission's program recommendations for the upcoming fiscal year. Said plan shall be presented to the Council prior to April 1 of each year.

C. Make recommendations to the City Council concerning the annual budgetary allocation of the beautification and public art portions of the Bed, Board and Booze Tax and other monies as deemed appropriate by

the City Council, as outlined in City Code, Section 3-06-001-0004, to include, but not be limited to:

1. Purchase, installation or modification of landscaping and irrigation systems;
2. Purchase, removal or modification of billboards and nonconforming signs;
3. Beautification of buildings and facilities, streetscapes and gateways;
4. Purchase and installation of public art projects;
5. Purchase or lease of easements or property necessary for beautification projects.

D. Make recommendations to the City Council for public art projects by:

1. Reviewing and defining potential public art projects and writing project descriptions.
2. Determining the artist selection method and writing the call to artists for public art projects.
3. Evaluating public art proposals for recommendation to the City Council.
4. Facilitating display of local art in public facilities.

Oed. No. 2006-15, Amended, 05/16/2006)

E. Perform any additional duties as determined by the City Council, related to beautification and public art activities. (Ord.1580, 8-2-88)

(Ord. No. 1580, Enacted, 08/02/88; Ordinance No. 2006-15, Amended, 05/16/2006)