CITY OF EL PASO, TEXAS AGENDA ITEM DEPARTMENT HEAD'S SUMMARY FORM

AGENDA DATE: January 31, 2023 (for Regular Agenda)

CONTACT PERSON(S) NAME AND PHONE NUMBER: Ben Fyffe, (915) 212-1766

DISTRICT(S) AFFECTED: 8

STRATEGIC GOAL:

Goal 4: Enhance El Paso's Quality of Life through Recreational, Cultural & Educational Environments

SUBJECT:

Resolution that the Managing Director of Museums & Cultural Affairs be authorized to sign an El Paso Museum of Art outgoing loan agreement for the loan of six artworks by artist Gaspar Enriquez to the Las Cruces Museum of Art.

BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION:

The Las Cruces Museum of Art is requesting to borrow six artworks by Gaspar Enriquez for an upcoming solo exhibition on the El Paso artist. Ordinarily, outgoing art loans are approved by the Museums and Cultural Affairs Advisory Board (MCAAB). MCAAB did not have quorum for the December meeting and by ordinance does not meet in January. Due to exhibition timing, the Las Cruces Museum of Art cannot wait until the February MCAAB meeting.

PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION:

Has the Council previously considered this item or a closely related one?

Council approved the El Paso Museum of Art Collections Policy.

AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING:

N/A

HAVE ALL AFFECTED DEPARTMENTS BEEN NOTIFIED? X YES ____NO

DEPARTMENT HEAD:

(If Department Head Summary Form is initiated by Purchasing, client department should sign also)

RESOLUTION

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EL PASO:

THAT the Managing Director of Museums & Cultural Affairs be authorized to sign an El Paso Museum of Art outgoing loan agreement for the loan of six artworks by artist Gaspar Enriquez to the Las Cruces Museum of Art. The loan will be January 23, 2023-May 27, 2023.

ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2023.

CITY OF EL PASO:

Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Danielle Escontrias

Danielle Escontrias Assistant City Attorney

APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:

Ben Fyffe, Managing Director Museums & Cultural Affairs