



CITY COUNCIL

02/07/2023

Agenda Item # 27

2023 Public Art Plan

COUNCIL STRATEGIC GOAL FOUR

Enhance El Paso's Quality of Life through Recreational, Cultural and Educational Environments

4.1: Deliver Bond Projects Impacting Quality of Life Across the City in a Timely, Efficient Manner

THE CITY OF EL PASO PUBLIC ART PROGRAM



To date the program has:

- Completed 85 Projects
- Established the Art Purchase Program with 198 Acquisitions
- Worked with 377 Artists, 77% being Local Artists
- Provided 43 Local Artists with professional apprenticeships through the Allied Artist Program
- Impacted over 175 Local Businesses with Public Art Projects
- Received 11 National awards and has been featured in 18 National publications



BENCHMARKING OTHER PUBLIC ART PROGRAMS

Program	Established	Average Projects Completed/Year	Number of Staff
City of El Paso Public Art Program	2006	8	3
City of Dallas Public Art Program	1989	9-10	5
Fort Worth Public Art	2001	3-4	6
Houston Arts Alliance	1999	4	5

PROJECTS RECENTLY COMPLETED



District	Project	Location	Artist	Title	Budget	Timeline
3	Airport Mural Project	El Paso International Airport.	Ricardo Chavarria	Portal 1	\$30,000	Apr 2022
8	Men of Company E	510 N. Santa Fe St.	Julio Sanchez	Treacherous Crossing	\$615,000	May 2022
7	Pavo Real Recreation Center Improvements	9301 Alameda Ave.	Rene Nevarez	Camino Real en Pavo Real	\$85,000	Aug 2022
2,3,5,8	Montana Rapid Transit System	Montana Corridor	George Bates	Acies	\$350,000	Sep 2022
3	Geronimo Drive Mural Replacement	1100 block and 1300 block of Geronimo Dr.	Mitsu Overstreet	Juntos	\$150,000	Nov 2022
2	Alabama Street Mural Replacement	5800 and 5900 Block of Alabama St.	Jesus "Cimi" Alvarado	Window to the Franklins	\$110,000	Jan 2023

PROJECTS NEAR COMPLETION

District	Project	Location	Artist	Title	Budget	Timeline
1	Fire Station 36	1960 N Resler Dr.	Ken McCall	Pillars of the Community	\$200,000	May 2023



PORTAL 1 – ARTIST: RICARDO CHAVARRIA – EL PASO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT – DISTRICT 3





CAMINO REAL EN PAVO REAL – ARTIST: RENE NEVAREZ – PAVO REAL REC CENTER – DISTRICT 7



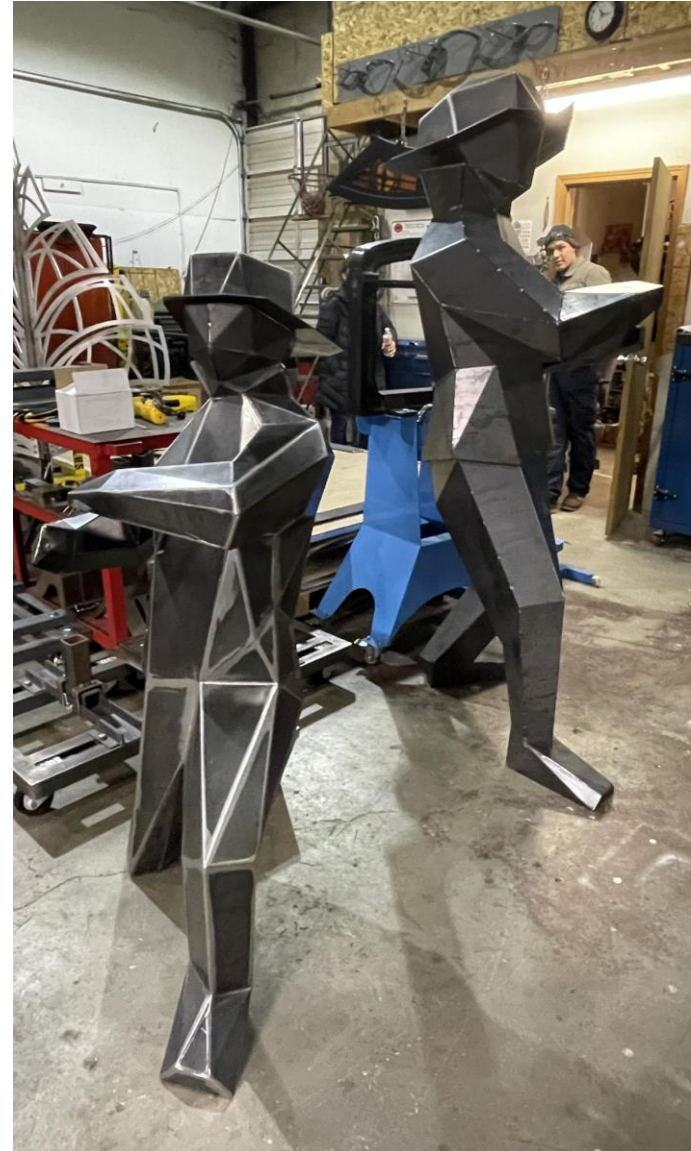
ACIES - ARTIST: GEORGE BATES – MONTANA RAPID TRANSIT SYSTEM – DISTRICTS 2 ,3 ,5 , 6 , & 8



JUNTOS - ARTIST: MITSU OVERSTREET – 1200 GERONIMO DR.— DISTRICT 3



WINDOW TO THE FRANKLINS - ARTIST: JESUS "CIMI" ALVARADO – 5800 ALABAMA ST. – DISTRICT 2



PILLARS OF THE COMMUNITY – ARTIST: KEN MCALL – FIRE STATION 36 – DISTRICT 1

2023 PUBLIC ART PLAN

NEW PROJECTS



District	Project	Location	Selection Process	Allocations	Additional Allocations	Total Allocations	Timeline
4	Metro 31 (Sun Metro Facilities Concrete Repair)	9348 Dyer St.	Invitational Competition	\$250,000	\$0	\$250,000	TBD
8	Mesa RTS Montecillo Station	Mesa St. & Argonaut Dr.	Direct Select	\$35,000	\$0	\$35,000	TBD
6	Ted Houghton Street Reconstruction	1289 Ted Houghton Dr.	Invitational Competition	\$38,000	\$0	\$38,000	TBD
3	Chief Allen Memorial	501 Fred Wilson Ave.	Direct Select	\$200,000	\$0	\$200,000	TBD
2	Chief Allen Memorial Bust	911 N Raynor St.	Direct Select	\$125,000	\$0	\$125,000	TBD

CHANGES TO EXISTING PROJECTS

District	Project	Location	Selection Process	Allocations	Additional Allocations	Total Allocations	Timeline
8	Arts Festival Plaza Water Wall Improvements	1 Arts Festival Plaza	Invitational Competition	\$400,000	\$200,000	\$600,000	TBD



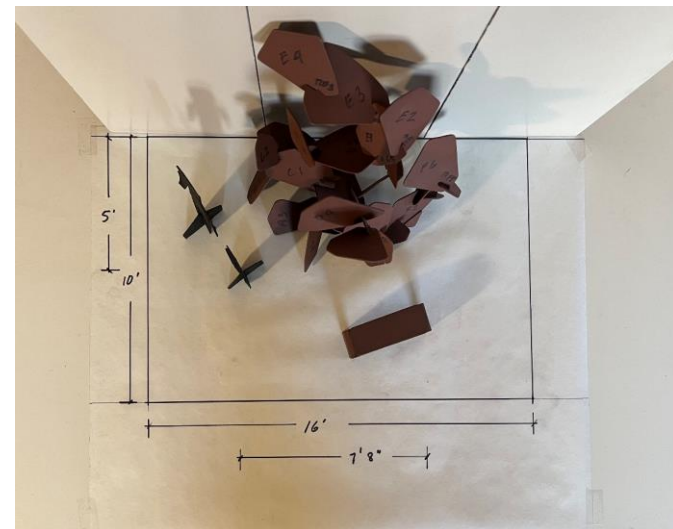
PROJECTS IN PROGRESS

District	Project	Location	Selection Process	Artist	Allocations	Additional Allocations	Total Allocations	Timeline
2	Acosta Center Mural Replacement	4321 Delta Dr	Direct Select	Gabriel Gaytan	\$18,000	\$0	\$18,000	Apr-23
8	Arts Festival Plaza Water Wall Improvements	1 Arts Festival Plaza	Invitational Competition	TBD	\$400,000	\$200,000	\$600,000	TBD
3	August 3rd Memorial	Ponder Park	Direct Select	Albert "Tino" Ortega	\$250,000	\$0	\$250,000	Dec-23
8	Children's Museum Umbrella Canopy	201 W. Main St.	Invitational Competition	FUTUREFORMS	\$1,000,000	\$0	\$1,000,000	Mar-23
5	Eastside Regional Park Phase 2 Roundabout	13501 Jason Crandall Dr.	Open Competition	Joshua Wiener	\$95,000	\$0	\$95,000	TBD
5	Eastside Regional Park Phase 2 Memorial	13501 Jason Crandall Dr.	Direct Selection	TBD	\$150,000	\$0	\$150,000	TBD
5	Eastside Sports Complex	14380 Montwood Dr.	Invitational Competition	TBD	\$400,000	\$0	\$400,000	TBD
5	Esperanza Moreno Library Renovation	12480 Pebble Hills Blvd.	Invitational Competition	Samantha Silva	\$150,000	\$0	\$150,000	Dec-23
1	Fire Station 36	1960 N Resler Dr.	Pre-Qualified Artist Pool	Kenn McCall	\$200,000	\$0	\$200,000	May-23
5	Fire Station 38	14301 Pebble Hills Blvd.	Pre-Qualified Artist Pool	TBD	\$200,000	\$0	\$200,000	TBD
8	FD Special Team Station Project 1	222 S Campbell St.	Direct Select	TBD	\$50,000	\$0	\$50,000	TBD
8	FD Special Team Station Project 2	222 S Campbell St.	Invitational Competition	TBD	\$250,000	\$0	\$250,000	TBD
8	Galatzan Recreation Center	650 Wallenberg Dr.	Open Competition	TBD	\$150,000	\$0	\$150,000	TBD
3	Hawkins Blvd. Improvements Viscount Boulevard Roadway Lighting and Median Landscape Sunglow/Lockheed Landscaping	TBD	Invitational Competition	TBD	\$550,000	\$0	\$550,000	TBD
2	Lower Beaumont Project	5005 N Piedras St.	Invitational Competition	TBD	\$150,000	\$0	\$150,000	TBD
8	Main Library Children's Area	501 N. Oregon St.	Invitational Competition	Chris Winterstein	\$215,000	\$0	\$215,000	May-23

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1,8	Mesa St and I-10 Improvements	I10 @ Mesa St.	Open Competition	TBD	\$500,000	\$0	\$500,000	TBD
3	Montana and Mescalero Improvements	Montana Ave. @ Mescalero Dr.	Open Competition	TBD	\$300,000	\$0	\$300,000	TBD
8	Paso Del Norte (PDN) Roundabout	EL Paso St. & Sixth Ave	Invitational Competition	Ray King Studio	\$200,000	\$0	\$200,000	Aug-23
4	Police & Fire Department Training Academy	Martin Luther King Jr. & Officer Andrew Barcena Dr.	Pre-Qualified Artist Pool	TBD	\$800,000	\$0	\$800,000	TBD
5	Police Department Eastside Regional Command	14301 Pebble Hills Blvd.	Invitational Competition	Natalie Blake Studios	\$125,000	\$0	\$125,000	TBD 2024
5	Police Department Eastside Regional Command	14301 Pebble Hills Blvd.	Invitational Competition	MGA Sculpture	\$275,000	\$0	\$275,000	TBD 2024
4	Police Department Headquarters	9700 Gateway N Blvd.	Pre-Qualified Artist Pool	TBD	\$1,250,000	\$0	\$1,250,000	TBD
All	Public Art Master Plan	Citywide	RFQ	TBD	\$100,000	\$0	\$100,000	2024
4	Railroad Reconstruction	Farah Dr. to Purple Heart Memorial Highway	Open Competition	Douwe Blumberg	\$200,000	\$0	\$200,000	TBD 2025
All	Site work for new projects	Citywide	N/A	N/A	\$750,000	\$0	\$750,000	Cont.
All	Site/visitor amenities	Citywide	N/A	N/A	\$400,000	\$0	\$400,000	Cont.
All	Streetscape Projects	Citywide	Invitational Competition	TBD	\$250,000	\$0	\$250,000	Cont.

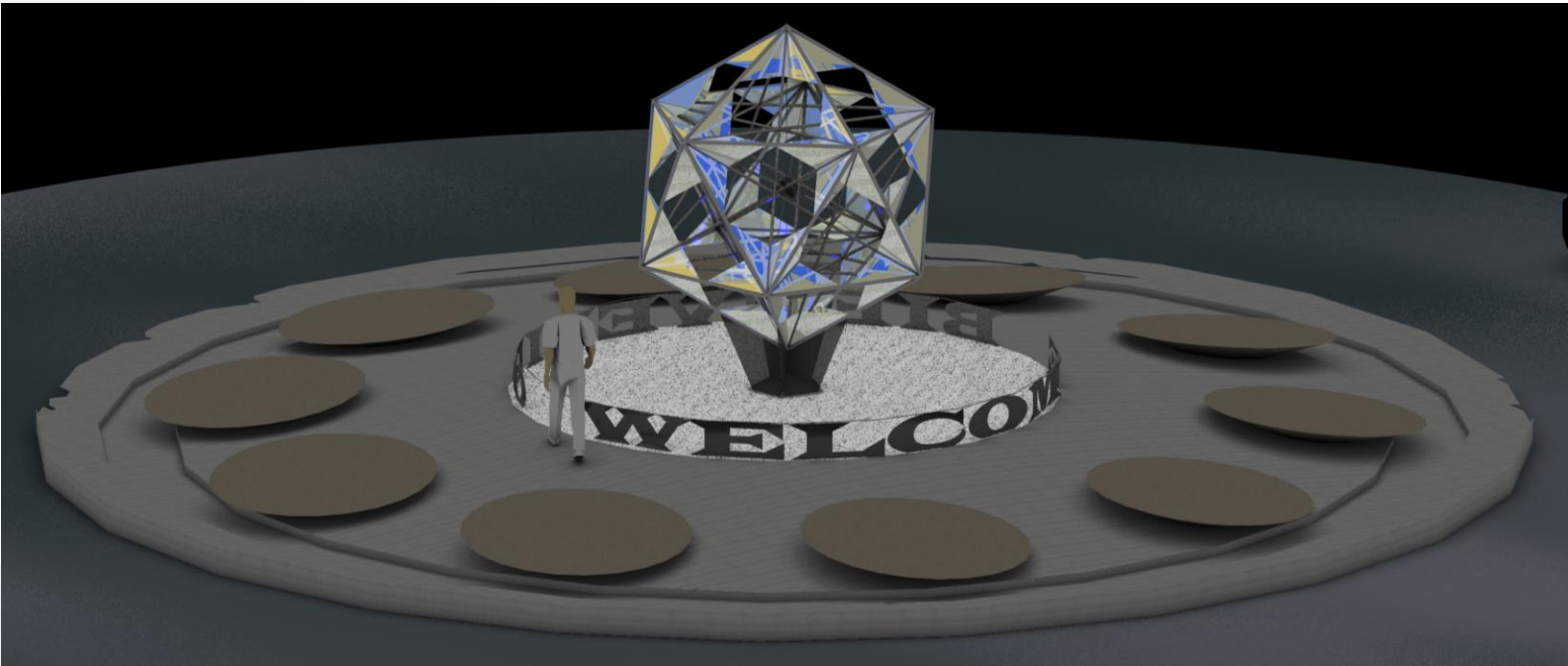
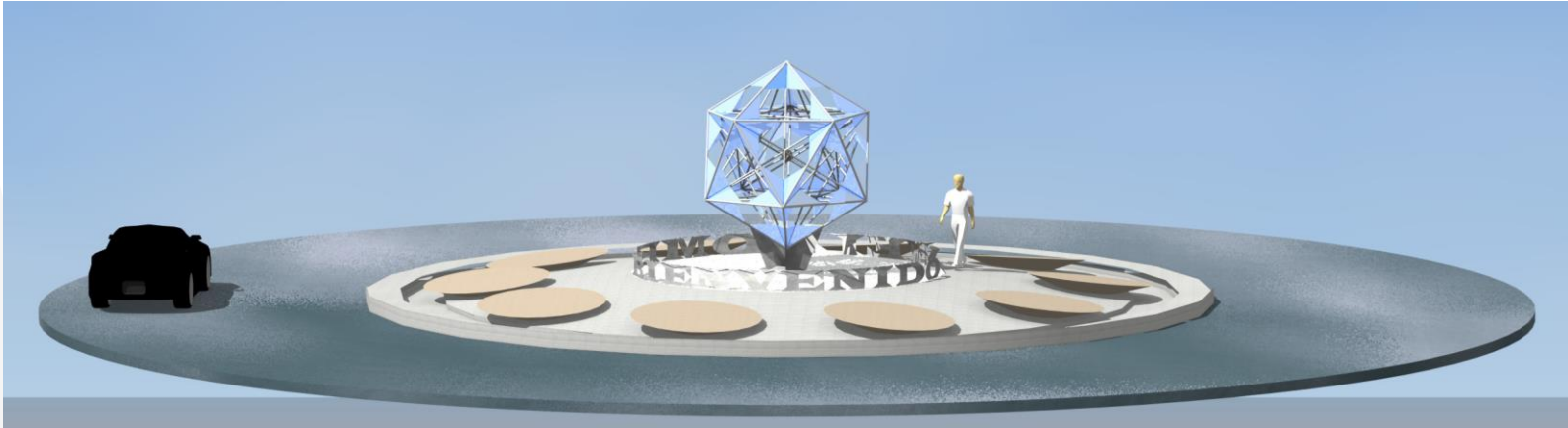
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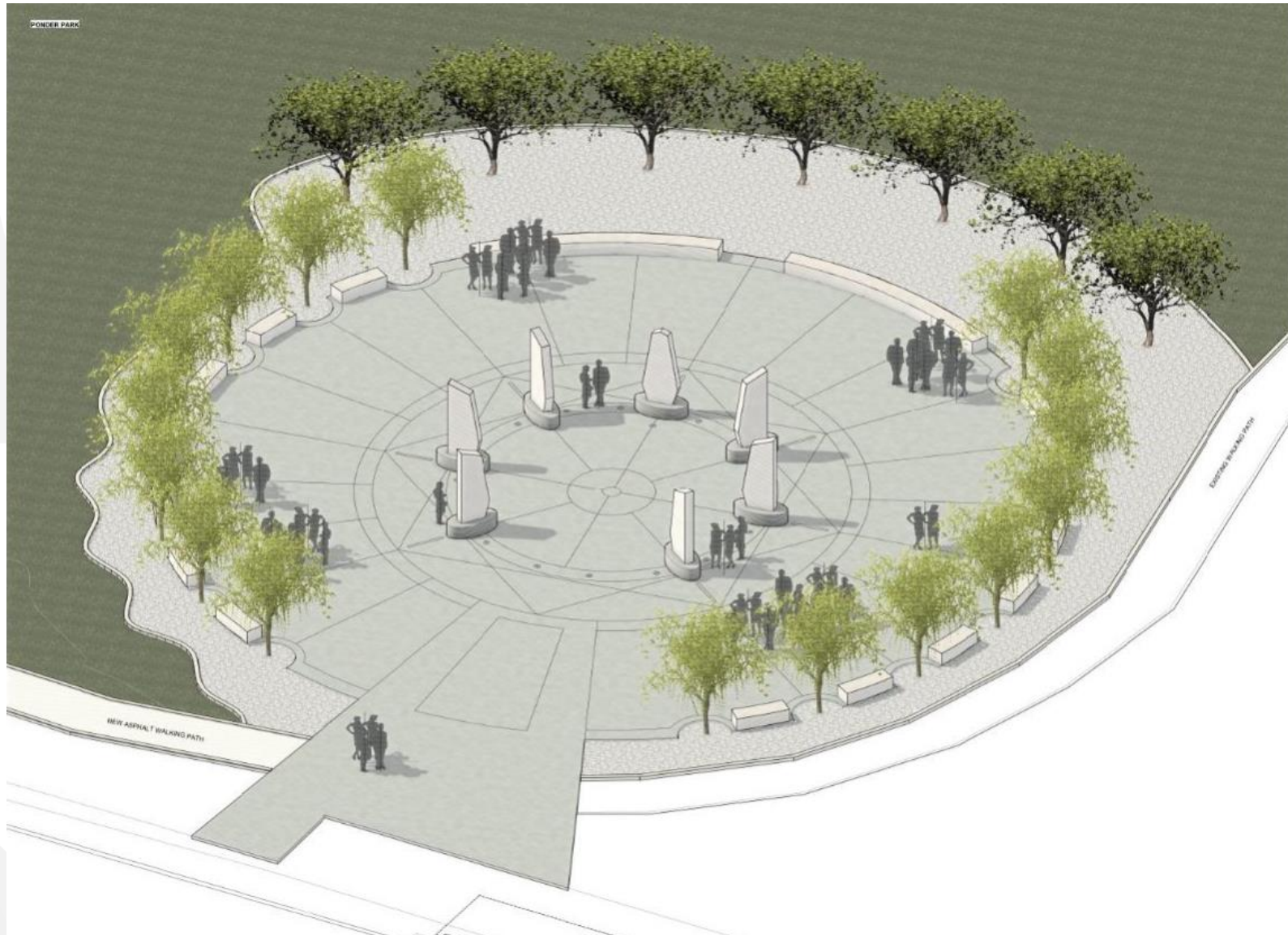
NOPAL! - CHRIS WINTERSTEIN – MAIN LIBRARY CHILDREN’S AREA – DISTRICT 8



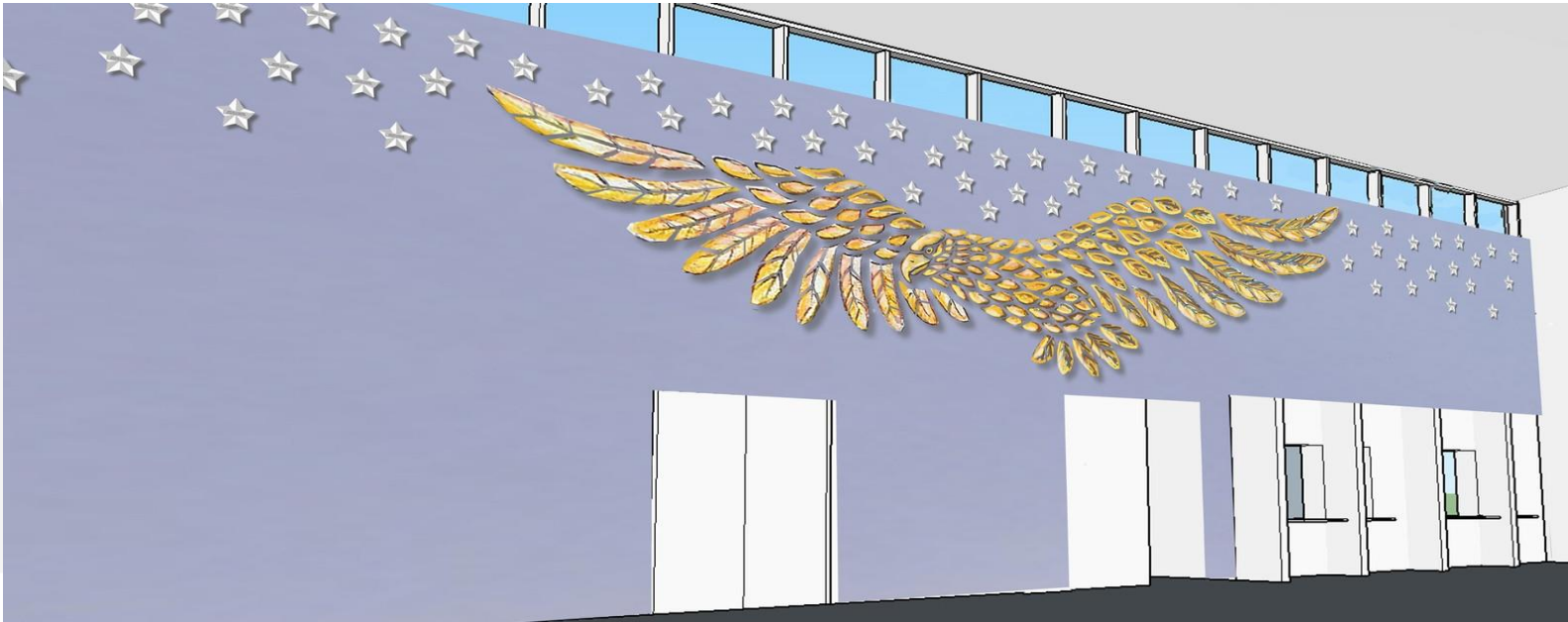
WEATHERSCAPE – ARTIST: FUTUREFORMS – EL PASO CHILDREN'S MUSEUM – DISTRICT 8



EL PASO FARO – ARTIST: RAY KING – PASO DEL NORTE (PDN) ROUNDABOUT – DISTRICT 8



AUGUST 3RD MEMORIAL – ARTIST: ALBERT “TINO” ORTEGA – PONDER PARK – DISTRICT 3



SUN EAGLE— ARTIST: NATALIE BLAKE STUDIOS — EASTSIDE REGIONAL COMMAND CENTER —
DISTRICT 5



EAGLE WING – ARTIST: MGA SCULPTURE – EASTSIDE REGIONAL COMMAND CENTER – DISTRICT 5

QUESTIONS?

