CITY OF PASO ROBLES ART IN PUBLIC PLACES POLICY

The purpose of the Art in Public Places (APP) policy is to facilitate the acquisition and display of visual art in City operated public places such as City office buildings and parks. The Policy follows the following definitions and guidelines:

ART DISPLAY DEFINITIONS

Art for Permanent Display ~ Art which is donated or commissioned and remains on display for more than one year.

Art for Temporary Display ~ Art which is loaned, leased, rented, or otherwise obtained and is displayed for up to one year.

PUBLIC ART REVIEW COMMITTEE (PARC)

- PARC is a quorum of the Paso Robles Parks and Recreation Advisory Committee at a regularly scheduled meeting.
- Proposals for permanent or temporary art display are made to and considered by PARC on a case by case basis.

THE PROCESS

- Upon receipt of a complete proposal for placement of art in a public place, PARC creates an agenda item to consider the proposal at the next regularly scheduled Advisory Committee meeting.
- PARC notifies media and potentially interested parties of the agenda item.
- PARC reviews proposal at the regularly scheduled public meeting, seeking input and opinion from interested parties.
- PARC's recommendations for permanent and temporary artwork display are forwarded to the City Council for consideration and final dispensation.

THE CRITERIA FOR SELECTION

Included, but are not limited to:

- Artistic Quality
- Appropriateness of design to the function of the site
- Durability
- Size
- Material
- Site & Setting
- Maintenance Considerations
- Location