

TO: CITY ARTS COMMISSION

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TITLE: Fine Arts Exhibition – March 2016

RECOMMENDATION:

The Fine Arts Ad Hoc Subcommittee recommends that the City Arts Commission approve the following exhibitions of in the gallery space in the Central Library lobby:

- Ron Yeo – Bottle cap art
- Scott Amling – Photography
- Mark Leysen – Painting
- Iriet Peshkess – Painting
- Richard N. Frost – Photography

DISCUSSION:

The City of Newport Beach maintains two exhibit spaces at the Central Library. The Lobby Gallery in the Central Library has approximately 38 feet of linear wall space designed for two-dimensional pieces of art. Additionally, artists may apply to exhibit three-dimensional works in the two display cabinets added to the lobby of Central Library in 2010. The display cases are approximately 24" high x 24" deep x 24" wide.

Artists who want their work considered for display submit a completed *Application for Review and Consideration of Art*.

The Library Services Director manages the gallery space. The City Arts Commission's Fine Arts Ad Hoc Subcommittee meets periodically to review artist's submissions; and notifies artists of acceptance. Staff arranges the staging of the art.

At their March meeting, the Fine Arts Committee recommended that the work of Ron Yeo, Scott Amling, Mark Leysen, Iriet Peshkess, and Richard N. Frost be exhibited subject to City Arts Commission approval.

Pending City Arts Commission approval, staff will contact the artists and arrange the installation of their exhibitions.

NOTICING:

This agenda item has been noticed according to the Brown Act (72 hours in advance of the meeting at which the Board of Library Trustees considers the item).

Attachment A: examples of Ron Yeo's art

Attachment B: examples of Scott Amling's photographs

Attachment C: examples of Mark Leysen's paintings

Attachment D: examples of Iriet Peshkess' painting

Attachment E: examples of Richard N. Frost's photography