

Date: April 26, 2023

To: Mayor and Members of City Council 202301243
From: Sheryl M. M. Long, City Manager
Subject: EMERGENCY ORDINANCE – MARYLAND AVENUE ARTWORK

Attached is an emergency ordinance captioned as follows:

AMENDING Ordinance 07-2021 to depict the actual artwork to be donated to the City in Exhibit A to the ordinance.

On January 6, 2021, Council passed Emergency Ordinance 0007-2021 for artwork donated by Price Hill Will, depicting a mural, freestanding planters with artwork, and a sculpture, to be installed in the public right-of-way on Maryland Avenue in the Lower Price Hill and East Price Hill neighborhoods.

The mural and planters have been installed. The vision for the sculpture installation has evolved, as structural, maintenance, and utility concerns were noted during review of the detail drawings. The sculpture depicted in Attachment B reflects the coordination between DOTE, the artist, and Price Hill Will.

This amendment to the original ordinance is needed due to the change in the artwork image and shape. The location of the sculpture has not changed. An emergency ordinance is needed to allow for installation by Price Hill Will at the earliest time possible.

The Administration recommends passage of the attached ordinance.

Attachment A – Ordinance #0007-2021
Attachment B – Proposed Artwork, updated April 7, 2023

cc: John S. Brazina, Director, Transportation and Engineering