

**March 31, 2021**

**To:** Mayor and Members of City Council 202101228

**From:** Paula Boggs Muething, City Manager

**Subject:** **Emergency Ordinance – CBRE Artwork Donation to DECC**

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Attached is an Emergency Ordinance captioned:

**AUTHORIZING** the City Manager to accept with gratitude a donation of artwork by artists Ellen Kochansky and Jamie Davis from the commercial real estate firm CBRE.

This Emergency Ordinance will authorize the City Manager to accept a donation of artwork titled “Sky Windows” by artists Ellen Kochansky and Jamie Davis from the commercial real estate firm CBRE. CBRE, the current owner of the artwork, has generously offered the artwork as a donation to the City, valued in 1993 at approximately \$17,000. The artwork will be installed and displayed at the Duke Energy Convention Center (DECC).

The reason for the emergency is the immediate need to accept the donation of artwork which would otherwise be disposed of due to renovations in the donor's office building where the artwork is currently on display.

cc: Christopher A. Bigham, Assistant City Manager  
Karen Alder, Finance Director

Attachment