



# COMMITTEE REPORT

To: **Mayor and Councillors**

Subject **Rotary Centennial Park Mosaic Mural**

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Chair, ARCH Committee

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## RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT the Arts, Recreation, Culture and Heritage Committee recommends that Council approve the three-panel mosaic mural design by Jessica Fairweather to be located at the Rotary Centennial Park washroom building; and
2. THAT Council approve \$12,000 from the Public Art fund to complete the mosaic mural project at Rotary Centennial Park.

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## SUMMARY:

An excerpt from the Arts, Recreation, Culture and Heritage Committee minutes is noted below:

The committee felt the content fits the theme, the birds are relevant to the area, the value of having the community participate in the mural is tremendous. Hoping to have two sessions at Rapheal House, two at Timms Community Centre and two at Langley Community Services Society and/or Douglas Park Community School. The Seniors Resource Centre would be another great location, but Committee member Reams wasn't sure there would be available space due to the water damage. Registration will be done through Timms Community Centre. Great value in teaching community members how to make mosaics, the fact that they can bring their own glass, ceramic or porcelain to add their own personal touch is great.

Councillor White suggested that this would be a great opportunity to do a video documentary on building community capacity while creating art in the community. Staff will reach out to local high schools to see if there might be any interest and potentially include the film in the 2025 film festival. A QR code could be posted at the mural location to send the public to the film documentary.

Currently there is \$64,451 in the Public Art Capital account. \$15,000 of this has been approved for the 2025 Langley City Film Festival, and \$7,000 for the Rotary Centennial Park Mural, additional funds will be needed to complete this project.

Updated timelines presented to the committee:

**Mural 1:** August 7th, 2024 – September 11, 2024

**Mural 2:** September 18th, 2024 – October 23, 2024

**Mural 3:** October 30th, 2024 – December 4, 2024

The recommendations before you are a result of the above noted discussion.

Respectfully Submitted,



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Rosemary Wallace  
Chair

Attachment:

1. Rotary Park Mosaic Project and Proposal