



Public Art Advisory Committee
September 16, 2025
1:30 – 2:30pm

Location: 101 SW Main St., Suite 700, Silver Falls Conference Room

Zoom Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86856228494>

Members: Adam Kubby, Kathy Fry, Aleksandr Chernousov

Staff: Michelle Traver, Kittie Kong

Time	Topic	Presenter
1:30pm	Agenda overview/Announcements Introductions Guests: Pitchapa Sornsena, Community Affairs Coordinator Thomas Walther, Senior Project Manager, Engineering & Construction Rail Systems	Kittie Kong
1:35pm	Update: Advisory Committees Continuing to align committee processes and tools	Kittie Kong
1:40pm	Budget Update: <i>Voices of Remembrance</i> Restoration (PN 3642) Moved to October Meeting	Michelle Traver
1:45pm	Project Briefing: Traction Power Substation (TPSS) Replacement (PN 4613) • Typical useful service life internal substation electronics 15 to 20 years, typical useful life entire substation 35 to 40 years • Blue Line substations are past useful life and must be replaced • New substations are modular to	Thomas Walther

	improve functionality and construction efficiency. Exterior surfaces may be a site for public art opportunities, such as murals. • Public art is a condition of City of Portland for using the building type. Additional coordination is required for the exterior treatment for the substation at the future Steel Bridge Skate Park. • Given draft project schedule, first call for artists won't be until 2026. • See TPSS Presentation	
2:05pm	FY26 Work Plan Moved to October Meeting	Michelle Traver
2:20pm	Discussion: By Laws – Chairperson election Moved to October Meeting	
2:30pm	Adjourn	

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The role of the Public Art Advisory Committee is to advise the Public Art Program by providing guidance and recommendations on project development, artist selection, artwork proposals and deaccessions.

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