Boerne AGENDA DATE DESCRIPTION	AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY District Impacted
STAFF'S RECOMMENDED ACTION (be specific)	Approve Resolution No. 2020-R10; Authorizing the purchase of "Skittles" by GiGi Miller for a total not to exceed \$20,000.00.
CONTACT PERSON	Paul Barwick – Special Projects Director & Mary Woods, Special Projects Manager
SUMMARY	Background: The Art al Fresco art on loan program was developed to grow the City's permanent public art collection through a yearly temporary sculpture competition. At the end of each year's competition, the City has the option to purchase one of the sculptures, depending on approved capital budget for this program and sculpture selections. Voting this year included an on-line ballot and paper ballots in 12 locations. At the request of City Council, paper ballot voting was added this year to solicit more public input. Thirteen (13) ballot boxes were located at City Hall, the Library (2), the Visitor Center, Parks & Recreation office, Carriage House Gallery, Gallery 195, Texas Treasures Fine Art Gallery, Bear Moon Bakery, Cibolo Creek Brewing Co., The Dienger Trading Co., Chamber of Commerce, and YMCA. The sculpture receiving the greatest number of votes from city residents is recognized as "Boerne's Choice". Boerne's Choice may be different from the selection ultimately approved by City Council for acquisition. This year "Skittles" by GiGi Miller will be honored as "Boerne's Choice". Purchase Recommendation: Voting Summary: Total all locations: 672 respondents cast 1,139 votes; Boerne only: 200 Respondents cast 418 votes. Staff is recommending the purchase of one sculpture from the 2019-2020 competition: Skittles (\$20,000) by GiGi Miller of Austin, TX. Skittles received 30.62% of votes cast by Boerne residents, almost 12% higher than its nearest competitor. Full voting results are detailed in the

	PowerPoint presentation. NOTE: Skittles application price was
	\$25,000; we negotiated a reduction in price with the artist.
	Staff presented the sculpture as a possible recommendation for
	purchase to the Public Art Competition Committee (PACC) and they
	expressed no concerns with these sculptures. The PACC members are
	community representatives Michelle Ernst, Lynn Richter, and Sidney
	Sinclair; Staff representatives Paul Barwick and Larry Woods; and
	Juror Joe Barrington.
	The City's Staff Art Assessment Committee (SAAC) has reviewed the
	sculptures and concurs with the recommendation. The SAAC
	members are Paul Barwick, Donnie Bergmann, Pamela Bransford,
	Michael Mann, Kelly Skovbjerg, Larry Woods, and Danny Zincke.
	The recommendation is based on several factors including the public
	voting results and criteria from the City's Municipal Public Art Policy.
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	The current exhibition will remain in place until March 18, 2020. The
	new exhibition will be installed March 18-20 with the exhibit open to
	the public Saturday, March 21, 2020.
COST	\$20,000.00
SOURCE OF FUNDS	\$15,000.00 - FY20 Public Art Capital Budget
	\$5,000.00 reallocated from savings identified in Special Project budget.
ADDITIONAL	PowerPoint presentation
INFORMATION	

This summary is not meant to be all inclusive. Supporting documentation is attached.