



Public Art Advisory Committee
May 19, 2026
1:30 – 2:30pm

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

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

Members' Attendance: Kathy Fry on Zoom

Absent: Meech Boakye, Adam Kuby, Ling Chung Bianca Lee, Jeff Schnabel, Aleksandr Chernousov

Staff: Michelle Traver, Pitchapa Sornsena, Kittie Kong

Time	Topic	Presenter
1:30pm	<p>Agenda overview / Announcements</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Congrats to Meech on Converge 45!• 5/27/26 TriMet Board meeting – anticipate FY27 budget approval. Live stream on YouTube.• Nonunion layoffs July-Aug.• Currently focus is preserving core service.	Michelle Traver
1:35pm	<p>FY26 Work Plan Progress Update</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Voices of Remembrance</i> - CIP FY27 funding not approved; finish fabrication in Dec; partnership with JAMO on re-dedication event and installation donated by Raimore construction; install scheduled for Dec or Jan, rededication event on ~ Feb 19th 2027 with JAMO and JACL also hosting programming at Expo Center.• RFIP Art Technician(s) - contracting for a generalist; plan have someone onboard early in FY (July 2026) for preventative maintenance.• Collection Management – forecasting \$168k in FY26 for cleaning, maintenance and repairs. Presented PPT with some before/after examples.• Online searchable collection portal has been updated and is ADA compliant with alt text for images; search map is on hold; integration into	Michelle Traver

	Travel Portland's Near Me Now app is pending.	
1:55pm	<p>TPSS Mural Commissions/2026 Schedule</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TPSS project still has art budget for 6 artists (1 for each substation) • Review Artist Short List at June PAAC meeting followed by invitations to artists to submit a Letter of Interest. • Plan to select the artist for 181st and Gateway during Sept committee meeting; artists that already have murals at both of these locations will be considered on the short list. • Review art concept presentation in November with final designs by January/February, 2027. Utility doors will be a design challenge since the doors may not be painted due to safety stickers/signage. 	Michelle Traver
2:10pm	<p>PAAC Terms and Public Meeting Law</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Updates to ORS require all public meeting members to take OGEC Public Meeting Law training. This is part of the overall organization wide compliance; more info to come. • Term limits coming up, but may extend considering meetings have been intermittent. 	Kittie Kong
2:30pm	<p>Adjourn</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See PAAC schedule: Committee will meet in June, break for the summer and resume meeting in September. • Meetings will move to 2pm and try to keep at 1 hour. 	

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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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