Memorandum MIAMI-DADE COUNTY

Date: June 10, 2025

To: Chair and Members

Art in Public Places Trust

From: Marialaura Leslie, Director

Department of Cultural Affairs

Subject: Trust Resolution No. APPT 25-35 / Artwork Acquisitions for Civil and Probate

Courthouse ArtBank / PSAs

Trust Resolution No. APPT 25-35

RESOLUTION APPROVING PROFESSIONAL ARTIST SERVICES AGREEMENT IN SUBSTANTIALLY THE FORM ATTACHED WITH THE FOLLOWING (25) ARTISTS AND THEIR RESPECTIVE CONTRACT AMOUNTS:

Civil and Probate Courthouse ArtBank Acquisitions

Artist Name		Qty of Works per Contract	 al Contract Amount
1	Arrow, Kevin	3	\$ 15,500
2	Arroyo, Eddie	4	\$ 10,600
3	Acosta, Abdiel	6	\$ 9,000
4	Aponte, Jason	3	\$ 14,000
5	Bradley, Amanda	3	\$ 8,000
6	Caputo, Amalia	3	\$ 15,500
7	Castañeda, Consuelo	2	\$ 13,500
8	Chiarlone, Rosemarie	2	\$ 15,500
9	Eusebio, Diana	3	\$ 14,000
10	Fuenmayor, Gonzalo	2	\$ 15,000
11	Jazzar, Carol	16	\$ 15,500
12	Karp, Philllip	3	\$ 12,800
13	Menendez, Lucia Lara	4	\$ 12,500
14	Larrea, Diana	4	\$ 8,500
15	Linares, Amanda	2	\$ 10,500
16	Loveland, Michael	1	\$ 15,500
17	Forehand, Matthew	3	\$ 13,500
18	Levison Nolan, Peggy	5	\$ 14,100
19	Oleson, Patrick	3	\$ 15,500
20	Pivnik, Lee	5	\$ 8,350

21	Silva-O'Neal, Yomarie	1	\$ 15,500
22	Ros, Silvia	3	\$ 15,500
23	Singh, Diego	3	\$ 15,500
24	Virgin, Tom	6	\$ 6,000
25	Winter, Gerald	1	\$ 8,000
Total # of Works & Value		91	\$ 317,850

FOR A COMBINED TOTAL EXPENDITURE AMOUNT NOT-TO-EXCEED \$317,850.00 FOR THE ACQUISITION OF ARTWORKS FOR THE NEW CIVIL AND PROBATE COURTHOUSE ARTBANK (FROM MIAMI-DADE COUNTY PEOPLE AND INTERNAL OPERATIONS DEPARTMENT PUBLIC ART FUND).

Recommendation

It is recommended that the Art in Public Places Trust approve Professional Artist Services Agreement in substantially the form attached with the following (25) artists and their respective contract amounts:

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For a combined not-to-exceed amount of \$317,850.00 for the acquisition of artwork for the new Civil and Probate Courthouse ArtBank.

Background

A meeting of the Professional Advisory Committee (PAC) was held on March 20, 2025 to revisit the initial recommendations of the PAC selections for the artwork acquisition portions of the public art selection process for the new Civil and Probate Courthouse. As the building is prepped for operations, the client team has identified several specific areas and scope of desired artworks for the courthouse, which would require approximately 60 works of art for corridors, waiting rooms and office lobbies throughout the building. With an allocation of \$300,000.00 for acquiring new work, the PAC reviewed the credentials of artists shortlisted back in 2022 taking into account the program and client's desire to select work that reflects the diversity of local artists in Miami-Dade County, prioritizing artists who are new to the program and who may be underrepresented, and not already engaged in current program commissions or acquisitions.

Based on these criteria, the PAC unanimously recommended twenty-seven (27) artists which also included new invitational recommendations that met the desired criteria. These artists were invited to submit up to six (6) available existing works for review by the APP Curator and potential acquisition for the project's ArtBank Civil and Probate Courthouse. Of the twenty-seven (27), only twenty-five (25) artists have available artwork at the scale, medium, and subject matter that is appropriate for this ArtBank Collection. The following artists and selected works were vetted and approved by the APP and client teams as part of the permanent artwork collection of the new facility:

	Civil and Probate Courthouse ArtBank Collection					
Artist		# of Works	Total Negotiated Price		Medium	
1	Arrow, Kevin	3	\$	15,500	Oil on Canvas	
2	Arroyo, Eddie	4	\$	10,600	Acrylic on Paper	
3	Acosta, Abdiel	6	\$	9,000	Ink Wash on Paper	
4	Aponte, Jason	3	\$	14,000	Oil on Wood	
5	Bradley, Amanda	3	\$	8,000	UV Print on Plexy	
6	Caputo, Amalia	3	\$	15,500	Archival Pigment Print	
7	Castañeda, Consuelo	2	\$	13,500	Oil on Canvas & Mixed Media	
8	Chiarlone, Rosemarie	2	\$	15,500	Mixed Media	
9	Eusebio, Diana	3	\$	14,000	Mixed Media	

10	Fuenmayor, Gonzalo	2	\$	15,000	Charcoal on Paper
11	Jazzar, Carol	16	\$	15,500	Photography
12	Karp, Philllip	3	\$	12,800	Archival Pigment Prints
13	Menendez, Lucia Lara	4	\$	12,500	Archival Pigment Prints
14	Larrea, Diana	4	\$	8,500	Archival Pigment Prints
15	Linares, Amanda	2	\$	10,500	Graphite on Wood & Ceramic
16	Loveland, Michael	1	\$	15,500	Mixed Media
17	Forehand, Matthew	3	\$	13,500	Oil on Canvas
18	Levison Nolan, Peggy	5	\$	14,100	Photography
19	Oleson, Patrick	3	\$	15,500	Acrylic on Wood Panels
20	Pivnik, Lee	5	\$	8,350	UV Prints
21	Silva-O'Neal, Yomarie	1	\$	15,500	Ceramic Mural
22	Ros, Silvia	3	\$	15,500	Photography
23	Singh, Diego	3	\$	15,500	Oil on Canvas
24	Virgin, Tom	6	\$	6,000	Letterpress Prints
25	Winter, Gerald	1	\$	8,000	Fabric Tryptic
	Total of (91) Artworks for a Combined Value of \$317,850.00				

The negotiated value of each artist's acquisition includes a \$500.00 stipend per artist for transportation, installation, photo documentation, and signage. This combined amount of \$17,850.00 will be added from available APP internal contingency funds to the initial allocation of \$300,000.00 for the acquisition portion of this project. All the selected works are to be delivered to a designated location and installed by qualified art handler by no later than August 30, 2025.

APP staff recommends the approval of Trust Resolution No. APPT 25-35 authorizing Professional Artist Services agreements in substantially the form attached with the above list of twenty-five (25) artists and their respective negotiated contract price for acquisition of artwork for the new Civil and Probate Courthouse Artbank Collection.