Memorandum



Date: September 12, 2023

- To: Chair and Members Art in Public Places Trust
- From: Michael Spring, Director Department of Cultural Affairs
- Subject: Trust Resolution No. APPT 23-52 / Immyr Projex, LLC (lead artist Asser Saint-Val) -South Dade Transitway Corridor Project / Amendment I

Trust Resolution No. APPT 23-52

RESOLUTION SUPERSEDING TRUST RESOLUTION APPT 22-58 AND APPROVING A REPLACEMENT TO THE PROFESSIONAL ARTIST SERVICES AGREEMENT IN SUBSTANTIALLY THE FORM ATTACHED WITH ASSER SAINT-VAL THAT CHANGES THE ARTIST'S CONTRACTUAL NAME TO IMMYR PROJEX, LLC (LEAD ARTIST ASSER SAINT-VAL) FOR IMPLEMENTATION OF THE SOUTH DADE TRANSITWAY CORRIDOR ARTWORK PROJECT (FROM MIAMI-DADE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC WORKS PUBLIC ART FUNDS)

Recommendation

It is recommended that the Art in Public Places Trust approve this resolution superseding Trust Resolution APPT No. 22-58 and approving a replacement to the Professional Artist Services Agreement that changes the artist's contractual name to Immyr Projex, LLC (lead artist Asser Saint-Val) for the implementation of the South Dade Transitway Corridor Artwork project. All other terms of the Professional Artist Services Agreement shall remain the same.

Background

On November 22, 2022 through approval of Trust Resolution No. APPT 22-58, the Trust authorized a Professional Artist Services Agreement with Asser Saint-Val in the fixed fee amount of \$90,000.00 to develop a small-scale tile mosaic artwork installation featuring his original concepts of hybrid species of native wildlife from the Everglades and the South Florida region. Based on his research and thematic interest, APP suggested that the artist create a site-specific design for the designated BRT station at the Town of Cutler Bay.

The artist's original Professional Artist Services Agreement was approved under his personal name. Since then, the artist has established a business entity and has requested that the contractual party in the commission contract be changed accordingly. This Resolution request's the Trust approval of a replacement contract to change the contractual party from Asser Saint-Val to the artist's business name Immyr Projex, LLC.

APP staff recommends the approval of Trust Resolution No. APPT 23-52 superseding Trust Resolution No. APPT 22-58 and approving a replacement to the Professional Artist Services Agreement formalizing the artist's contractual name change to Immyr Projex, LLC in the fixed fee amount of \$90,000.00 for fabrication and installation of the approved artist's concept for the South Dade Transitway Corridor Artwork project.