

SALEM PUBLIC ART COMMISSION

2021 Report and Update
to City Council

December 13, 2021



SRC 15.001. The Council recognizes that visual arts contribute to and provide experiences that enrich and better the social and physical environment of the community, and desires to foster an advancement of the visual arts within the City.





SALEM REVISED CODE CHAPTER 15 — PUBLIC ART

SRC 15.020. Salem
Public Art Commission
(SPAC)

Established by City
Council in 2010

7 Volunteer
Commissioners

Acquiring	Acquiring Public Art for City Facilities
Stewarding	Stewarding the City's Public Art Collection <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Includes maintenance, conservation, and public education
Managing	Managing the Public Art Fund

PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITIES



CITY'S PUBLIC ART COLLECTION



Includes
nearly 100
pieces



Valued at
\$1.37
Million per
2016-17
Appraisal



Indoor and
Outdoor
works of art



2021 PUBLIC ART ADDITIONS

Call Number Cascade by
Amanda Wojick

Salem Public Library

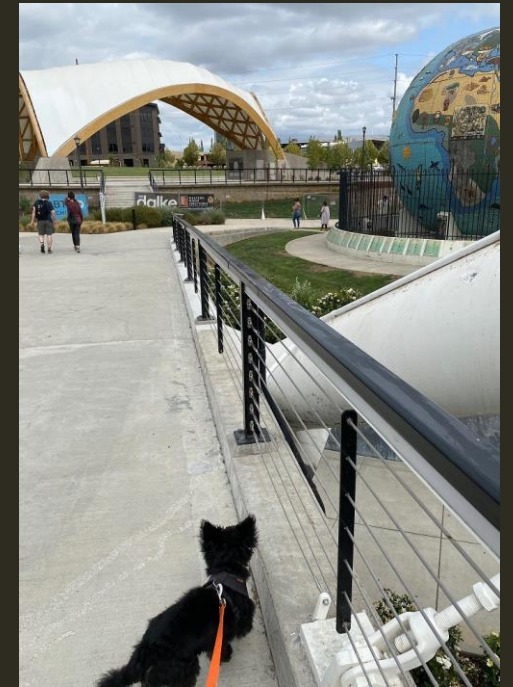
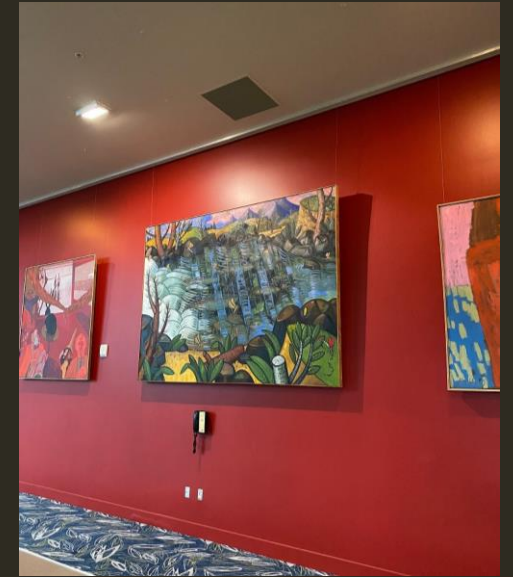


2021 PUBLIC ART ADDITIONS CONT.

Trees of Life by artist
Betty LaDuke

Salem Public Library

2021 HIGHLIGHTS





CONTINUED MAINTENANCE NEEDS

LOOKING AHEAD

New Public Works Operations
Building



*Eco-Earth Globe Fundraising
Campaign (Salem Parks
Foundation)*

