From: <u>Lynn Takata</u>
To: <u>CityRecorder</u>

Subject: Support for 2.12 City Council agenda item 5.B. 24-53, to allow display of temporary public art

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Dear Mayor Hoy and City Councilors,

As a community member and artist, I wholeheartedly support Councilor Nishioka's proposal to direct staff to work towards a code revision to allow temporary public art in the City of Salem under the auspices of the Salem Public Art Commission.

This motion will allow the approval of more artwork that will have a positive impact on our livability, beautify communities, increase tourism, spur economic development, and allow artists the ability to create temporary artwork in our capital city.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

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