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ARTS ADVISORY COMMISSION ANNUAL PRESENTATION 2017

AAC 2017

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AAC Mandate

- To recommend
- To inform
- To liaise
- To monitor and assist



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Arts Awards 2017





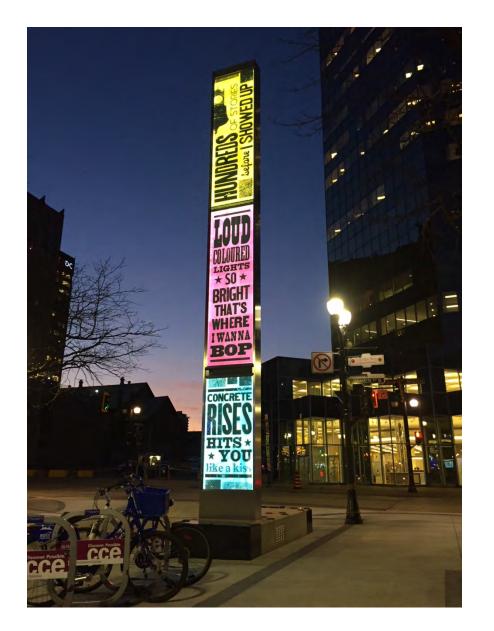


Public Art

"Raising the Barn"

By The Aluminum Quilting Society coordinated by Dave Hind York Boulevard at the Hamilton Farmers' Market





Public Art

"Music City Markers"

By Dave Kuruc Gore Park (1st of 2 works)



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Public Art

"Landmark" By Simon Frank Fieldcote Memorial Park & Museum



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The Big Picture 2017 Arts Forum

Members of the AAC were joined by over 80 members of the arts community to discuss the future of the arts in Hamilton on April 8th at the David Braley Centre.





The Big Picture 2017 Arts Forum

What We Heard

Communication, Education and Training - Improve communication on arts related matters at City Hall as well as within the arts community.

Space - Consider leveraging unused space in the city. Explore de-centralizing aspects of the arts to other locations than the core. Make city owned facilities more readily available for arts and cultural events. Permit extended free parking at city events where possible.

Diversity - Support and promote the diversity of talent across the City in the arts and culture industries. As a starting point ensure the make-up of the AAC reflects the cultural background of the arts community.



Current Priorities - Arts Awards 2018



Deadline:

Friday February 16, 2018 by 4:00 p.m.

Proud of Hamilton's incredible arts community? Why not nominate your favourite artist, educator or community leader for a City of Hamilton Arts Award? Award recipients receive a cash prize of \$1,000 - \$2,500 and great public recognition. And it's now easier than ever to nominate someone with our online nomination.

For more information and to access the online nomination form hamilton.ca/artsawards

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Current Priorities – Public Art and The Art in Public Places Policy

Members of the AAC will be participating in juries for public art projects and advising staff as part of the consultation to develop an Art In Public Places Policy for the City

The James Street South Mural Replacement PUBLIC ART Project





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Current Priorities - Outreach based on The Big Picture



Members of the AAC will work with staff and community partners to begin to address issues and action items identified in the Big Picture 2017 Report. These may include but are not limited to the following:

- Training and information sessions for artists
- Requesting presentations from staff to clarify processes and issues
- Recommendations to G.I.C. to study possible policy and process changes to address community concerns



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THANK YOU

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