



Council Letter No. 20-

September 28, 2020

Honorable Mayor and
Members of the City Council
City of Warrensburg, Missouri

Dear Mayor & City Council,

Subject: Consideration of a resolution approving the installation of a public art mural by Main Street, Inc. on the stairs of the pedestrian alley way north of West Pine Street toward Culton Street

BACKGROUND:

The 2017 – 2021 Strategic Plan identifies a strategic goal “to create a vibrant and inviting atmosphere that offers a unique feeling of inclusiveness” to promote regional draw to the city. One of the objectives to achieve this goal is enhancing art in Warrensburg. Main Street, Inc. (Main Street) received a grant for a public art project. Main Street identified the stairs of the pedestrian alley way north of West Pine Street toward Culton Street as a potential site for a mural. Earlier this year, the Contract for Services with Main Street was amended to include provision of services for the design and installation of public art at that location. Main Street issued a call for local artists and members of the Main Street Board of Directors and Art Committee competitively selected an artist and a mural concept. The Warrensburg Art Commission approved the mural concept at its September 8, 2020 meeting.

STRATEGIC PLAN:

Focus IV: Regional Draw

FISCAL IMPACT:

Main Street is solely responsible for the entire cost of the installation. Additionally, in the addendum to the contract, Main Street is responsible for keeping the installation in acceptable repair.

RECOMMENDATION:

Approve resolution.

Sincerely,

Danielle Dulin, Assistant City Manager

Cc: City Manager

Attachments: Resolution
Mural Concept