



# City of Denton

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## AGENDA INFORMATION SHEET

**DEPARTMENT:** Parks and Recreation

**ACM:** Christine Taylor, Assistant City Manager

**DATE:** August 4, 2022

### **SUBJECT**

Receive a report, hold a discussion, and give staff input regarding the selection and approval of the artist and sculpture for the North Lakes Tennis Center.

### **BACKGROUND**

The public art project located at the Tennis Center has a budget of \$36,000 comprised of bond funds. At the request of the Public Art Committee (PAC), individuals from Denton Area Tennis Association and the tennis pros at the Goldfield Tennis Center were contacted for thematic input. The input was received from Luis Valdez, Denton Area Tennis Association. His input was that the artwork should show tennis as an inclusive sport and that the work should be inspirational and used as the art theme in the scope of work.

An artist call was completed on June 30, 2022. Proposals were received from two artists. The PAC subcommittee and tennis center staff reviewed and scored the proposals. The leading proposal was submitted by artist Christine Sanders at a cost of \$35,353.26. Subcommittee assignments are Franklin, Nicholson, and Chamberlin.

### **RECOMMENDATION**

Approval of the proposal by artist Christine Sanders.

### **ESTIMATED SCHEDULE OF PROJECT**

The Tennis Center sculpture is expected to be completed by February 2023.

### **OPERATIONAL IMPACT**

The sculpture will have an anticipated maintenance need of \$100 per year for labor and materials. A supplemental request will be submitted the following fiscal year to offset anticipated maintenance expenses.

### **FISCAL INFORMATION**

Tennis Center - (Project #400276), \$36,000 budget. No funds have been spent on this project.

### **EXHIBITS**

Exhibit 1- Agenda Information Sheet  
Exhibit 2- Tennis Center Design Presentations Final Sanders  
Exhibit 3- Tennis Center Cost Breakdown Sanders  
Exhibit 4- Presentation

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