

AGENDA ITEM: _____
DATE: 5/5/2014

**CITY OF CASA GRANDE
REQUEST FOR COUNCIL ACTION**

Date Submitted: 4/17/2014	Date Requested: 5/5/2014
Type of Action Requested	Subject
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Resolution <input type="checkbox"/> Ordinance <input type="checkbox"/> Formal Action/Motion <input type="checkbox"/> Public Hearing <input type="checkbox"/> Other	Authorize a Contract with Evelyn Davis & Allen Gross to Develop Conceptual Design Plans and Provide a Budget Estimate for the Construction and Installation of a Future Railroad Art Plaza.

RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends Council approve a contract with Evelyn Davis and Allen Gross, Artists Design Team to develop conceptual design plans and provide a budget estimate for the construction and installation of a Future Railroad Art Plaza.

DISCUSSION:

The Arts and Humanities Commission requested proposals from artist(s) design team to develop conceptual design plans and provide a budget estimate for the construction and installation of a Future Railroad Art Plaza.

The Commission received two (2) proposals for this project. After reviewing these proposals, the Commission elected to recommend for Mayor and Council to award a contract to Evelyn Davis and Allen Gross to develop conceptual design plans and provide a budget estimate for the construction and installation of a Future Railroad Art Plaza.

The goal of the Arts & Humanities Commission is to utilize the conceptual design and plans in determining project phases for the construction and completion of a Railroad Art Plaza located at the downtown historic district.

FISCAL IMPACT:

Total funding for this project:	
Grant funds from the Arizona Commission on the Arts	\$6,000
FY2013 Grant Funds from Union Pacific	\$3,000
City Community Arts Funds	<u>\$1,000</u>
Total Project	\$10,000

Reviewed by
Finance Director: Doug Sandstrom

Reviewed by
City Attorney: Brett Wallace

ALTERNATIVES:

Instruct the Commission to seek other proposals.

Prepared by:

Recommended by:

Approved by:

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City Clerk

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Casa Grande Arts & Humanities Commission

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City Manager