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To: Stan Henry; Greg Pettis (gregpettis.com); Mark Carnevale; John Aguilar; Shelley Kaplan

Cc: Charles McClendon

Subject: Public Arts Commission

Mayor Henry and Councilmen,

I has been a pleasure serving as co-chair of the Public Arts Commission but after deep consideration I am tendering my resignation due the increased demands on my time and efforts to the opening and successful running of my new gallery.

Thank you for the opportunity to serve our City.

In regard to replacing me on the Commission I would like to recommend that you consider another "working artist."

Inasmuch as all the present Commissioners are generous with their individual skills and expertise, I think it is imperative that when making policy decisions regarding art that the perspective of a fine artist (or two) is not without merit.

Respectfully,

Simeon Den

Sent from my iPhone