



COMMISSIONERS COURT
COMMUNICATION

REFERENCE NUMBER _____

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DATE: 08/16/2022

SUBJECT: **APPROVAL OF CONTRACT FOR SALE OF ARTWORK WITH ART FAIRCHILD, D/B/A FAIRCHILD STUDIO FOR THE SATOR CUBE SCULPTURE LOCATED ON THE FRONT LAWN OF THE SUBCOURTHOUSE IN ARLINGTON**

***** CONSENT AGENDA *****

COMMISSIONERS COURT ACTION REQUESTED

It is requested that the Commissioners Court approve the Contract for Sale of Artwork with Art Fairchild, d/b/a Fairchild Studio for the Sator Cube sculpture located on the front lawn of the Subcourthouse in Arlington.

BACKGROUND

On September 6, 2016, the Commissioners Court, through Court Order #123367, approved an Artwork Loan Agreement and Release to place the Sator Cube sculpture on the front lawn of the Subcourthouse in Arlington.

Mr. Art Fairchild is a recognized North Texas sculptor with a studio located in Arlington. Sculptures created by Mr. Fairchild are located in several public places in the Fort Worth/Arlington/Dallas area, including his sculpture, Sator Cube, which is currently located on the front lawn of the Subcourthouse in Arlington. After six (6) years of displaying the sculpture, it has been decided that the Sator Cube should remain in place permanently.

With approval of this contract, all parties agree to finalize the sale of the sculpture for a purchase price in the amount of \$35,000.00. The purchase price will be reduced by any previous amount paid under the original agreement which amounts to \$16,500.00.

The sale agreement has been approved as to form by the Criminal District Attorney's Office.

FISCAL IMPACT

The fiscal impact is \$18,500.00. Funding is available from 45100-2022/6210300000/540000.

SUBMITTED BY:	Facilities Management	PREPARED BY: APPROVED BY:	Robert Carter Michael Amador
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