

**THIS IS A DRAFT AND WILL BE REPLACED BY THE FINAL, SIGNED
ORDINANCE OR RESOLUTION ADOPTED BY CITY COUNCIL.**

AN ORDINANCE

**AUTHORIZING THE CREATION OF THE SAN ANTONIO ARTS
COMMISSION BY CONSOLIDATING THE CULTURAL ARTS BOARD
AND PUBLIC ART BOARD; APPROVING BYLAWS FOR THE SAN
ANTONIO ARTS COMMISSION; AMENDING THE ARTS FUNDING
GUIDELINES AND PUBLIC ART POLICIES AND GUIDELINES;
RESCINDING THE CULTURAL ARTS BOARD BYLAWS; AND
APPOINTING MEMBERS.**

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WHEREAS, in 1984, City Council created the Cultural Arts Board to make recommendations on arts and cultural funding programs and in 2009 City Council created the Public Art Board to make recommendations on the development and enhancement of the City's public art program; and

WHEREAS, beginning in 2014, the Department for Culture and Creative Development initiated discussions with both boards about their merging into one advisory board and at a joint board retreat held on February 24, 2015 the final draft bylaws were reviewed and the boards recommended bringing this consolidation to the City Council's Quality of Life Committee, which considered and approved the consolidation on March 17, 2015; **NOW THEREFORE:**

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

SECTION 1. City Council authorizes the creation of the San Antonio Arts Commission and adopts the bylaws attached to this Ordinance as **Exhibit I**.

SECTION 2. The Public Art Policies and Guidelines, approved by Ordinance No. 2011-09-08-0743, and the Arts Funding Guidelines, approved by Ordinance No. 2014-05-08-0323, are amended to reflect the new San Antonio Arts Commission, as set forth in **Exhibits II and III**.

SECTION 3. The Cultural Arts Board Bylaws, approved by Ordinance No. _____, as amended, are rescinded.

SECTION 4. The following individuals are appointed to the San Antonio Arts Commission for terms of office commencing April 2, 2015 and expiring May 31, 2015:

	Representing	Standing Committee
Ernest M. Gonzales <i>Performing Arts</i>	City Council D1	Arts Funding
Nettie P. Hinton <i>Arts Patronage</i>	City Council D2	Arts Funding
Ernesto Olivo <i>Visual Arts</i>	City Council D3	Public Art
Susana M. Segura <i>Literary Arts</i>	City Council D4	Arts Funding
Valeria Hernandez <i>Visual Arts</i>	City Council D5	Public Art
Richard L. Lapaglia <i>Performing Arts</i>	City Council D6	Arts Funding
Henry Brun <i>Cultural Festivals and Events</i>	City Council D7	Arts Funding
Debra D. Nichols <i>Visual Arts</i>	City Council D8	Arts Funding
Tracy A. Curran-Herman <i>Visual Arts</i>	City Council D9	Public Art
Mark Rogers <i>Arts Patronage</i>	City Council D10	Arts Funding
Guillermo C. Nicolas <i>Chair</i>	Mayor	
Rene P. Barilleaux <i>Public Art & Urban Design</i>	Mayor	Public Art
Alice Carrington Fultz <i>Public Art & Urban Design</i>	Mayor	Public Art
Eduardo Garcia <i>Public Art & Urban Design</i>	Mayor	Public Art
Jessica R. Sanchez <i>Public Art & Urban Design</i>	Mayor	Public Art

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SECTION 5. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon the receipt of eight affirmative votes; otherwise it shall be effective ten days after its passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 2nd day of April, 2015.

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Ivy R. Taylor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Leticia M. Vacek, City Clerk

Martha G. Sepeda, Acting City Attorney

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