



UNIVERSITY OF GUAM
UNIBETSEDÅT GUÅHAN
Board of Regents

Resolution No. 26-01

RELATIVE TO APPROVING ART PROJECTS FOR THE WATER AND ENVIRONMENTAL RESEARCH INSTITUTE OF THE WESTERN PACIFIC BUILDING AND THE MARGARET PEREZ HATTORI-UCHIMA SCHOOL OF HEALTH NURSING ANNEX IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTS IN PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND FACILITIES LAW AS CODIFIED IN 1 G.C.A. §850 ET.SEQ.

WHEREAS, the University of Guam (UOG) is the primary U.S. Land Grant and Sea Grant institution accredited by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges Senior College and University Commission serving the post-secondary needs of the people of Guam and the Western Pacific region;

WHEREAS, the governance and well-being of UOG is vested in the Board of Regents (BOR);

WHEREAS, UOG is undertaking major construction projects on campus, including the Water and Environmental Research Institute of the Western Pacific Building and the Margaret Perez Hattori-Uchima School of Health Nursing Annex;

WHEREAS, under Guam law and contractual provisions, each of these projects includes a “1% for the Arts” requirement mandating the allocation of one percent of total construction costs for the integration of public artwork; and

WHEREAS, in compliance with this requirement, local artists submitted proposals for the artwork to be subcontracted by the primary contractors, and the primary contractors have selected, with the assistance of UOG’s Administration, the proposals attached herein as Exhibit A.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, in accordance with 1 G.C.A. §852(a)(2)(B), the BOR, as UOG’s governing board, hereby approves the artwork proposals chosen by the primary contractors, with the assistance of UOG’s Administration attached herein as Exhibit A.

Adopted this 14th day of January, 2026.

Agapito “Pete” A. Diaz, Chairperson

ATTESTED:

Anita Borja Enriquez, D.B.A., Executive Secretary

EXHIBIT

A

Water and Environmental Research Institute of the Western Pacific (WERI) Building 1% for the Arts Budget: \$133,000

Artist	Artwork Title	Medium	Dimensions	Pictures		Committee Suggested locations	Price		
Dell'Isola, Mark	Blue Planet/ bubble 5x10ft		5x10'			2nd Floor WERI Large Classroom/Lecture Hall	\$20,000.00		
	Blue Planet/ typhoon 7.6x12ft		7.6x12'			2nd Floor WERI Large Classroom/Lecture Hall	\$20,000.00		
Furukawa, Yumiko	Waters of Life Diptych-Magic	Acrylic on canvas	36x48 in			2nd Floor WERI Conference/Multi-Use Room (OPTION 1)	\$3,189.00		
	Waters of Life Diptych-Breath of the Ocean					3rd Floor facing stairwell (OPTION 2)	\$3,189.00		
Castro, Jerrold	Kahulu' i Layak (Raise the Sail)	Acrylic on canvas	5x10'			TBD	\$6,500.00		
	Malak i Ma'lak Tāsi	Requested to recreate it in oils	2x4'			Director's office	\$1,100.00		
	Kahulu' i Karai'ta' (Raise Your Hands)	Acrylic on canvas	40x60 in			TBD	\$2,400.00		
Bec, Sujin	Chromatic Currents: A Sculpture for Scientific Discovery	Aluminum, polymer plastic	overall: 20'x5' (approx)			Front of building, right hand side	\$58,800.00		
Castro, Ric	San Carlos Swimming Hole		5x5'			2nd Floor Wall facing stairwell	\$3,500.00		
Agerstrand, Joshua	Donor Wall			TBD		2nd Floor, across from Elevator	\$10,000.00		
Modification Expenses							\$4,322.00		
TOTAL							\$133,000.00		

Margaret Perez Hattori-Uchima School of Health Nursing Annex Building 1% for the Arts Budget: \$97,500

Artist	Artwork Title	Medium	Dimensions	Pictures	Committee Suggested locations	Price
Park, Yeon Sook	Flow of Life	Mixed media	17'x20'		Wall on the first floor	\$52,500.00
Dimalanta, Ariel	Legacy Wall	Mixed media	8'x10'	TBD	Wall on the first floor	\$15,000.00
Agerstrand, Joshua	Donor Wall	Mixed media	9'x18'	TBD	Wall on the second floor	\$29,000.00
Modification Expenses						\$1,000.00
						TOTAL \$97,500.00



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MEMORANDUM

To: Angie R. Taitague
Director, Guam Council on the Arts and Humanities Agency

From: Anita Borja Enriquez, D.B.A., President

Re: **Courtesy Notification of Selected Local Artists for Art Installations**

In accordance with 1 GCA, Chapter 8, Government Facilities, Article 2: Arts in Public Buildings and Facilities, and specifically Subsections 850 and 852, the University of Guam is providing this courtesy notification to the Guam Council on the Arts and Humanities Agency (CAHA) regarding the inclusion of works by local artists in major University of Guam capital projects, specifically the new Water and Environmental Research Institute of the Western Pacific Building and the Margaret Perez Hattori-Uchima School of Health Nursing Annex.

As outlined in the “1% for the Arts” provisions, public buildings or facilities with construction or renovation costs exceeding \$100,000 must include works of art by local artists, or alternatively, allocate the requisite funds for such works. For the University’s aforementioned projects, we have selected artists from Guam whose works align with the cultural and artistic objectives described in § 851 of the law.

While CAHA approval of the artworks is not required, we are informing your office as a professional courtesy and to confirm that the selected artists meet the “Guam local artist” designation under the statute.

The selected local artists and their works are as follows:

Water and Environmental Research Institute of the Western Pacific Building			
Mark Dell'Isola	Blue Planet/bubble		\$20,000
	Blue Planet/typhoon		\$20,000

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Water and Environmental Research Institute of the Western Pacific Building (continued)		
Yumiko Furukawa	Waters of Life Diptych-Magic	\$3,189
	Waters of Life Diptych-Breath of the Ocean	\$3,189
Jerrold Castro	Kahulu' i Layak (Raise the Sail)	\$6,500
	Malak i Ma'lak Tåsi	\$1,100
	Kahulu' i Karai'ta' (Raise Your Hands)	\$2,400
Sujin Bec	Chromatic Currents: A Sculpture for Scientific Discovery	\$58,800
Ric Castro	San Carlos Swimming Hole	\$3,500
Joshua Agerstrand	Donor Wall	\$10,000
Modification Expenses		\$4,322
Total cost for artwork, installation, and modification expenses		\$133,000

Margaret Perez Hattori-Uchima School of Health Nursing Annex		
Yeon Sook Park	Flow of Life	\$52,500
Ariel Dimalanta	Legacy Wall	\$15,000
Joshua Agerstrand	Donor Wall	\$29,000

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Margaret Perez Hattori-Uchima School of Health Nursing Annex (continued)	
Modification Expenses	\$1,000
Total cost for artwork, installation, and modification expenses	\$97,500

We appreciate CAHA's role in fostering and preserving Guam's rich cultural heritage, and we look forward to continuing our shared commitment to supporting local artists through public art initiatives.

Please confirm receipt of this correspondence for inclusion in our proposal package for Board review. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact Ms. Tes Reyes-Burrier, University Advancement Office, at advancement@triton.uog.edu or 671-735-2902.

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