



THE CITY OF KEY WEST

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

TO: Jim Scholl, City Manager

FROM: Elizabeth Young, AIPP Administrator

DATE: February 28, 2018

SUBJECT: Accept gift of John Martini Orange Head Sculpture

ACTION STATEMENT

At the February 20, 2018 Art in Public Places meeting, the Board members unanimously approved to recommend that the City of Key West accept the gift from Mr. and Mrs. Lee McMannis of a John Martini sculpture titled, Orange Head for installation at City Hall. The Board recommends installation of the piece as per the diagram which has been approved by HARC staff, Enid Torregrosa.

BACKGROUND

The AIPP Board reviewed this offer at their March 2017 meeting and due to Staff changes the item was not moved forward to the City Commission for approval.

PURPOSE & JUSTIFICATION

The donors have paid the artist for restoration of the artwork, and it is ready for installation. The AIPP Board unanimously approves using \$2,00 of AIPP funds for proper installation including concrete pad, transport and installation by Mr. Martini.

RECOMMENDATION

The AIPP Board recommends acceptance of the Gift as per City policy, and requests that "Orange Head" be sited at City Hall as per the diagram.

FINANCIAL IMPACT

This artwork has an approximate value of \$20,000 and is a notable piece by local artist John Martini. It would be an honor to have this piece included in the City's Public Art Collection..

ARTWORKS SUMMARY