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PORTLAND PUBLIC ART COMMITTEE

Wednesday, January 21, 2026

4:00 PM Hybrid Meeting (Planning Conference Room 4th Floor of City Hall or online via Zoom)

1. Zoom Meeting Information

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2. Call to Order

- * Roll Call
- * Minutes from November 19, 2025 meeting. (See Attachment)

3. Staff Communication (No public comment will be taken)

- A. Public Art Program
Presenter: Sean King
 - 1. Public art fund - reduction of \$3,505.60 for Jewel Box (see attachment).
 - 2. John Ford sculpture and granite post relocation.
 - 3. Conservation assessment FY26.
 - 4. Schedule of meeting in 2026 (see attachment).
 - 5. Committee member term expiration and renomination deadline.

- B. Encumbrances for new acquisitions of public art: no updates
Presenter: Sean King

- C. Collection Updates
Presenter: Sean King
 - 1. John Ford sculpture and granite post relocation.
 - 2. Conservation assessment FY26

4. Subcommittee Reports

- A. Governance/Board Development (Berke, Dennehy)
 - 1. Committee chair declaration.
 - 2. Preparation of FY26 Annual Plan & Proposed Budget FY27 (see attachment)

- B. Acquisitions (formerly "gifts") Subcommittee (Cole, Hrenko, Zagaria)
 - 1. Subcommittee members to share updates.

- C. Communications Subcommittee (Motter, Berke, Gibbs)
 - 1. Subcommittee members to share updates.

- D. Collection Management (Formerly "Site Selection") Subcommittee (Dennehy, Gibbs, Berke, Zagaria)
 - 1. Subcommittee member to share updates.

5. Project Reports

- A. Portland Harbor Common new acquisition subcommittee (Dennehy, Cole, Levesque & Zagaria)
 - 1. Subcommittee members to share updates.

6. Public Comment Prior on Non-Agenda Items

7. Other Business

8. Meeting Adjourns

Next Meeting - February 18, 2026