



Public Art Advisory Committee

2025 DRAFT Work Plan

Purpose Statement: The purpose of the Public Art Advisory Committee is to leverage art to inspire and unify the community.

| Board Goal | Committee Goal | Activity | Outcome | Timeline |
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| A Great Place to Live | Assist the Planning Office to create a public art plan/blueprint/framework for Dakota County in collaboration with the Planning Commission. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify scope of project Appoint subcommittee to serve on project team | Dakota County has an intentional plan for public art and artwork in county spaces. | Q1-4 |
| A Great Place to Live | Host Dakota County student art contest. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Appoint subcommittee to serve on project team. Promote student art contest in Dakota County. Display art in Dakota County facilities. | Students who live in or go to school in Dakota County participate in the art contest. | Q1-4 |
| A Great Place to Live | Collaborate with Parks Department to offer inclusive and representative Music in the Park events. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Participate on the Music in the Park artist selection committee. Assist Parks to recruit, screen and select artists and performers. Represent the Advisory Committee by attending and participating in events. | Parks Department hosts three Music in the Park events and one Summer Solstice Celebration in Dakota County parks that celebrate and represent the diversity of communities throughout Dakota County. | Q1-3 |
| A Great Place to Live | Provide public art consultation on Unity Trail project in Inver Grove Heights | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Appoint subcommittee to serve on project team. Participate in and provide input on public art. | Public art is well represented and reflects and celebrates community throughout the Unity Trail. | Q1-2 |
| A Great Place to Live | Provide public art consultation to departments in Dakota County, as requested, to recommend or select art using approved criteria, particularly during planning and capital improvement projects that have high public art potential. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify scope of project Engage in and provide a public art perspective Appoint subcommittee to serve on project team Assist in the implementation of public art priorities | Increase presence of public art in Dakota County buildings. | Q1-4 |