

City Clerk Staff

From: g hope <localart2003@yahoo.com>
Sent: Sunday, November 6, 2022 9:10 AM
To: Grp. City Council and City Web Site
Subject: Sculptures in nature area

Dear Council,

Thank you for your work to keep Missoula a good place to live. I am writing to address a issue that I read about in the Missoulian regarding the proposal by the Public Art Committee to put sculptures in the nature area to the East of the Orange Street Bridge. My request is to not allow that in this location. I am an art teacher and appreciate public art, sculptures, and all arts but I also appreciate being able to walk through a nature area without the intrusion of human made statements, besides a bench. This little island of nature is treasured as a respite by many in our busy downtown area.

A sculpture park could go in McCormick park, Silver Park, or many other places that already have the human mark. Thank you for considering this and passing my thoughts onto the Public Art Committee.

Respectfully,
Gwen Hoppe

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