

STATE OF GEORGIA

COUNTY FULTON

**A RESOLUTION TO APPROVE THE PURCHASE OF SCULPTURE AS PART OF THE ArtSS IN THE OPEN COMPETITION AND TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY MANAGER TO EXECUTE DOCUMENTS TO EFFECTUATE SAME**

**WHEREAS**, in 2017, the City of Sandy Springs (“City”) adopted a Public Art Policy identifying a competition for sculpture at City Green as one of the City’s official components for the application of art within public spaces; and

**WHEREAS**, to advance that goal the City, working with Art Sandy Springs, Inc. (“ArtSS”), developed ArtSS in the Open, an annual competition (“Competition”) in which artwork of up to nine finalists are placed on display at City Green, providing the community an opportunity to enjoy annual outside exhibits; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to an agreement with the City (“Agreement”), ArtSS manages the Competition each year and recommends to City Council the purchase of a piece or pieces of artwork participating in the Competition; and

**WHEREAS**, the City hosted its first Competition at City Green in 2019-2020 (“First Competition”) with a purchase budget of \$80,000.00; and

**WHEREAS**, the First Competition is completed and ArtSS has provided its recommendation to the City as described in Exhibit A attached hereto (“Recommendation”); and

**WHEREAS**, the pieces recommended to City Council for purchase by the City from the First Competition include Optimistical, Doppelganger, Delilah and Hand Plant, for a total purchase price of \$73,000.00; and

**WHEREAS**, the Mayor and City Council have considered the attached Recommendation and have agreed to acquire such pieces consistent such Recommendation.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANDY SPRINGS, GEORGIA:**

1. The City’s purchase of the sculpture pieces pursuant to the Recommendation is hereby authorized; and
2. The City Manager is hereby authorized to enter into a purchase and sale agreement with each of the artists of the recommended sculpture pieces upon such terms and conditions as approved by the City Attorney and Finance Department; and

3. The City Manager is hereby authorized to take such further actions as may be necessary to effectuate the intent of this resolution, subject to the approval of the City Attorney and the Finance Department.

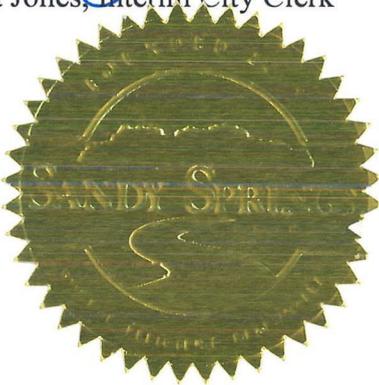
**RESOLVED** this the 4th day of February, 2020.

**Approved:**



Russell K. Paul, Mayor

**Attest:**

  
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Lia Jones, Interim City Clerk

**EXHIBIT A  
RECOMMENDATION**

