



Progress Report on Amendments to the Public Art Policy

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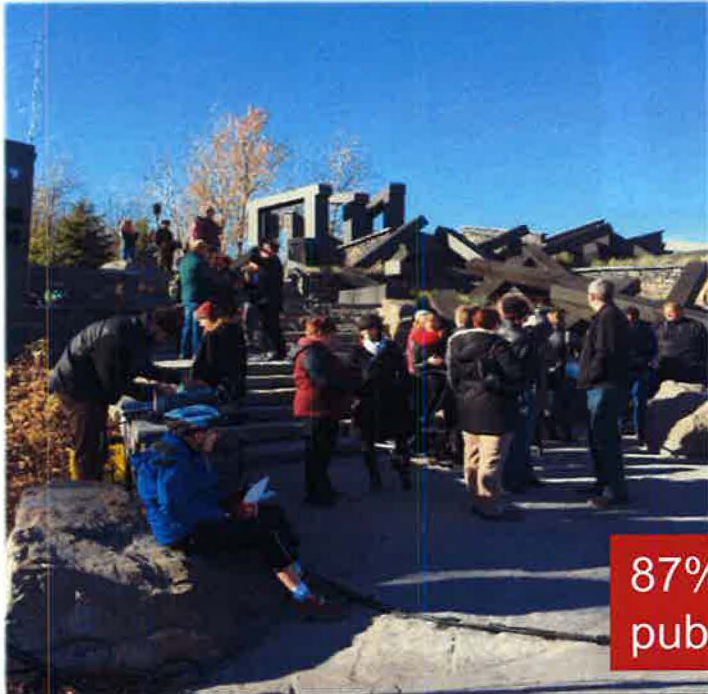


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Public Art In Calgary Since 2004





87% of Calgarians agreed that “It is important to have public art in Calgary.”
(Ipsos survey)



Controversy over some art installations has caused:

- Council to lose confidence in the public art process
- Calgarians to question the value of public art



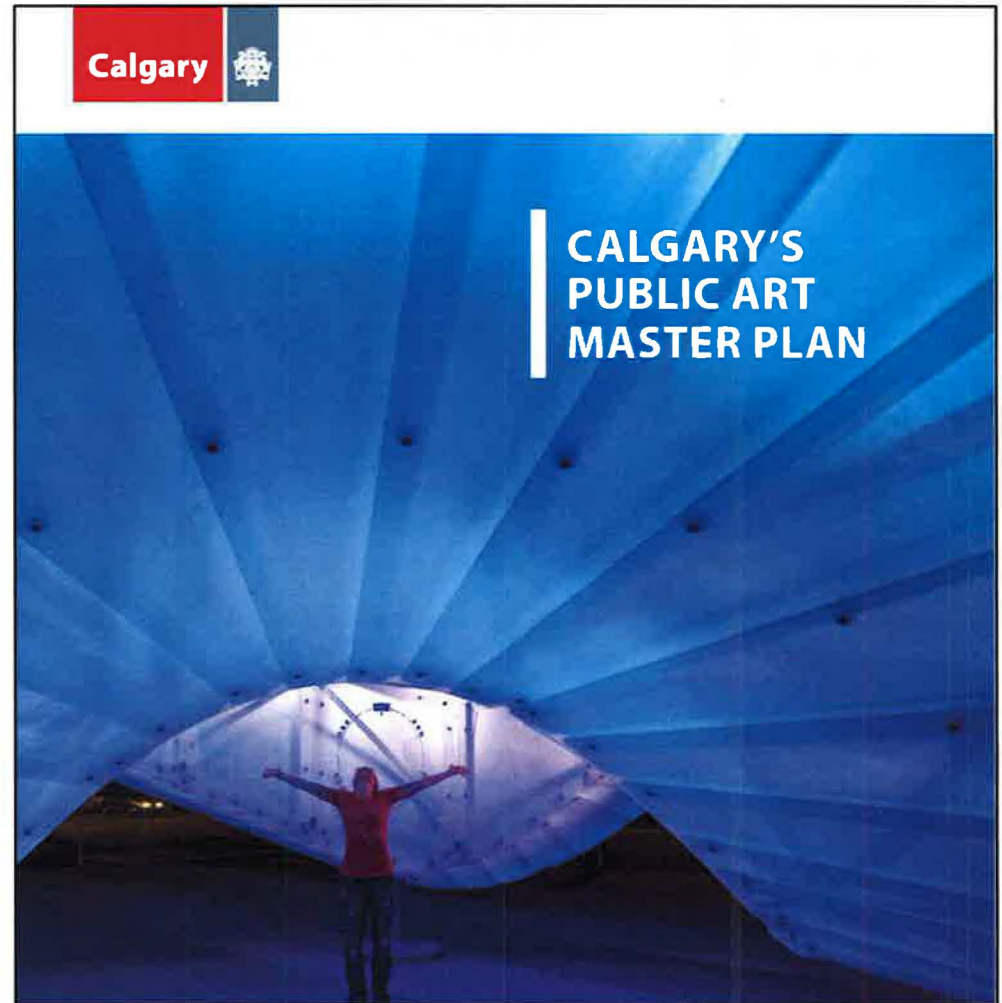
Best Practices

Engaging the Public • Allocating tax dollars for art • Fostering Artists
Selecting Concepts • Briefing Council • Communicating
Progress since 2014 • Lifting the Freeze • Final Report: June



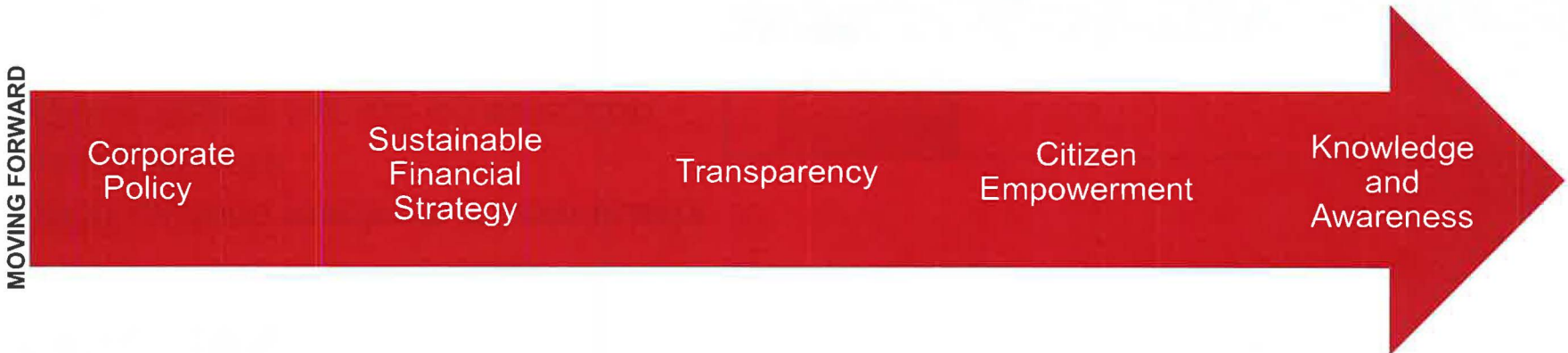
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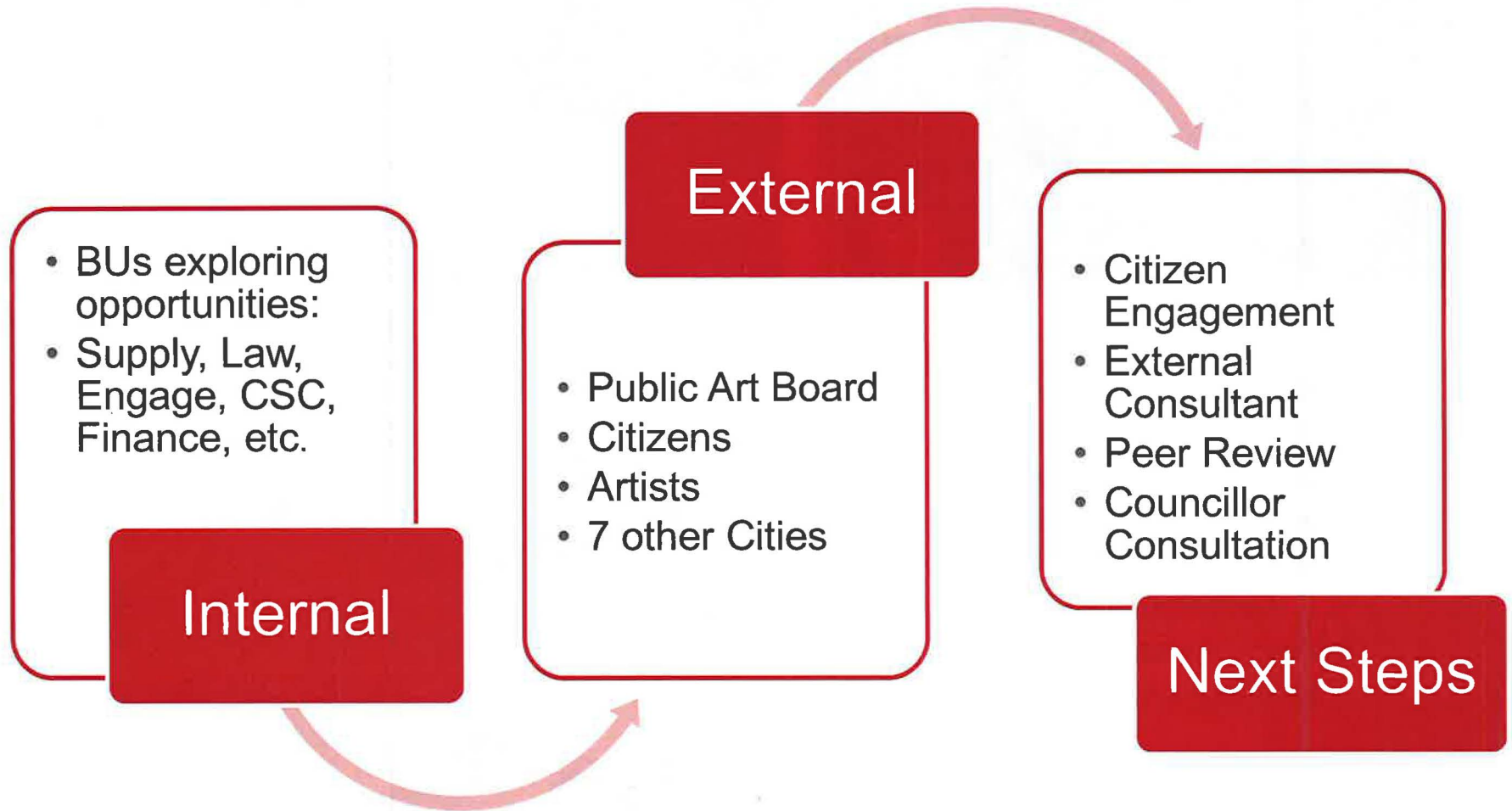
- 3500 citizens involved in community engagements
- 200+ citizens served on selection panels
- 40 local artists mentored
- 13 Public Art 101 sessions
- 6 functional art projects
- 4 projects enabled citizen feedback on concepts
- Public Art Master Plan developed



Executive Oversight: One City, One Program

Governance	Finance	Engagement	Selection	Communicating
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One Calgary • Public Art Board • Delivery methods • Decision making 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Funding sources • Infrastructure Calgary • Maximizing investment • Alternatives 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Citizens, Council and artists • Program requirements • Project requirements 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Procurement standards • Citizen input • Legal requirements 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Strategic communications • Integrated • Consistent • Relevant • Timely







Outcomes



- One City, One Program
- Clear Investment Criteria
- Engaged Calgarians
- Strengthened Public Art Board
- Diversity of Artistic Voices
- Responsive Decision Making
- Industry Best Practice
- Effective Communications





Approve the following exceptions from the suspension of further RFPs as of 2018 April 1:

- a) The annual programs:
 - Painted Utility Boxes
 - Street Art for Youth
 - Artists Working in Community
- b) re-site the Centre Street Bridge Lion to Rotary Park as directed by Council

