02-109

AUTHORIZATION FOR ACQUISITION OF PUBLIC ART FOR BOND CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM

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REPORT:

The "Percent for Public Art Program" in Oregon began in 1975, when legislation set aside "not less than 1% of the direct construction funds of new or remodeled State Buildings with construction budgets of \$100,000 or greater for the acquisition of art work which may be an integral part of the building, attached thereto, or capable of display in other State Buildings". Since 1975, most other public agencies in Oregon have adopted similar programs for their construction projects, as has PCC.

For the College's current Bond Construction Program, staff recommends that one percent (1%) of direct construction estimated cost be authorized for the acquisition of Public Art. Those budget numbers per campus are:

Cascade \$287,000 Rock Creek 132,000 Sylvania 72,000 Southeast 120,000 \$611,000

Art Selection Committees are being formally established for each campus, which will then each issue separate calls for proposals so that interested artists can propose existing art works, or specific ideas for public space. Guidelines and procedures for the acquisition process are currently being developed.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Board of Directors authorize the acquisition of Public Art for the current Bond Construction Program at the one percent (1%) level, for an estimated total expenditure of \$611,000. All of these expenditures will be from the Bond Fund.

Resolutions 02-106 through 02-109 were moved for approval by Director McKinney and it passed unanimously.