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**City Council**  
**Meeting of: July 17, 2024**

Agenda Item No.:  
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**DEPARTMENT: Finance**

**CONSENT**

**DIRECTOR: Gayle Lloyd-Leakos, Acting**

**SUBJECT:**

For possible action to approve award of Contract No. 220265-PH, Downtown Civic Center Plaza Public Art Project - Harmonic Ascension, located at 513 South Main Street - Department of Parks, Recreation, and Cultural Affairs - Award recommended to: CLIFF GARTEN & ASSOCIATES DBA CLIFF GARTEN STUDIO (\$923,000 - Municipal Arts Fund) - Ward 3 (Diaz)

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

Budget Funds Available

Amount: \$923,000

Funding Source: Municipal Arts Fund

Dept./Division: Parks, Recreation and Cultural Affairs

**PURPOSE/BACKGROUND:**

This contract provides for the design, fabrication, delivery, and installation of an original 27-foot tall stainless steel, LED-lighted sculpture entitled "Harmonic Ascension," for the new Downtown Civic Center Plaza. This award recommendation is made as the result of a competitive Request for Proposals (RFP) process. Cliff Garten & Associates dba Cliff Garten Studio is located in Venice, California.

**RECOMMENDATION:**

Approve as recommended, with signature authority granted to the Purchasing and Contracts Manager per R-20-2017.

**BACKUP DOCUMENTATION:**

1. Contract No. 220265-PH