

DEPARTMENT: County Counsel BY: Jeffrey G. Green PHONE: 966-3222

RECOMMENDED ACTION AND JUSTIFICATION: (Policy Item: Yes\_\_\_ No X)

Jamey Brzezinski, the artist the Board commissioned to paint the mural for their meeting chambers, has submitted an amended proposal to include the suggestions of adding elements to the mural, such as representations of the Yosemite Railroad, the lumber industry, and more female figures. Because of the additions and the much larger wall location where the mural will be placed, Mr. Brzezinski has amended his proposal to include the changes which involve scaling up the painting from 5' x 11' to 6 1/2' x 18'. The cost of the initial proposal for the mural was \$5,000; the cost for a larger mural is \$6,000. A copy of Mr. Brzezinski's Art Proposal Addendum is attached.

The Government Center's Art Decoration Sub-Committee recommends that the Board:

1. Authorize artist Jamey Brzezinski to paint a mural to include the changes contained in his Art Proposal Addendum after the Board reviews the detailed preliminary drawing.
2. Approve the cost of \$6,000 for the cost of the mural.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:

At their meeting of October 13, 1998, the Board adopted Resolution No. 98-381 which commissioned Jamey Brzezinski to paint a mural depicting the history of the County.

LIST ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

- Approve this action.
- Amend this action as the Board desires and approve.

COSTS: ( ) Not Applicable

A. Budgeted current FY \$ \_\_\_\_\_

B. Total anticipated costs \$ \_\_\_\_\_

C. Required additional funding \$ \_\_\_\_\_

D. Internal transfers \$ \_\_\_\_\_

SOURCE: ( ) 4/5ths Vote Required

A. Unanticipated revenues \$ \_\_\_\_\_

B. Reserve for contingencies \$ \_\_\_\_\_

C. Source description: \_\_\_\_\_

Balance in Reserve for Contingencies, if approved: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS:  
List the attachments and number the pages consecutively:  
Art Proposal Addendum.

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CLERK'S USE ONLY:

Res. No.: 98-432 Ord. No. \_\_\_\_\_

Vote - Ayes: 5 Noes: \_\_\_\_\_

Absent: \_\_\_\_\_ Abstained: \_\_\_\_\_

Approved ( ) Denied ( )

Minute Order Attached ( ) No Action Necessary ( )

The foregoing instrument is a correct copy of the original on file in this office.

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

ATTEST: MARGIE WILLIAMS, Clerk of the Board  
County of Mariposa, State of California

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION:  
This item on agenda as:

Recommended

Not Recommended

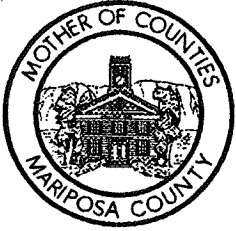
For Policy Determination

Submitted with Comment

Returned for Further Action

Comment: \_\_\_\_\_

A.O. Initials: *gh*



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## MARIPOSA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

### MINUTE ORDER

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TO: JEFFREY G. GREEN, County Counsel  
FROM: MARGIE WILLIAMS, Clerk of the Board *MW*  
SUBJECT: Mural for the Board of Supervisors Meeting Chambers; Res. 98-437

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THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF MARIPOSA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA,

ADOPTED THIS Order on December 1, 1998

#### ACTION AND VOTE:

Discussion and Direction Relating to Jamey Brzezinski's Mural for the Board of Supervisors Meeting Chambers (County Counsel)

**BOARD ACTION:** Jeff Green, County Counsel, reviewed the amended proposal. Discussion was held and input was provided, including the suggestion of adding a cannonball stage coach to the mural. (M)Parker, (S)Pickard, Res. 98-437 adopted approving the amended proposal and increased cost as recommended/Ayes: Unanimous.

cc: Mike Edwards, Public Works Director  
Ken Hawkins, Auditor  
File

**ART PROPOSAL ADDENDUM  
JAMEY BRZEZINSKI**

Thank you for the opportunity to do the *Mariposa History* painting for the new Government Center's Supervisors' Chambers. I am delighted to be so honored.

My initial proposal for a 5x11 foot painting was designed for the 12 foot wide, curving wooden wall behind the supervisors in-session work stations. When I spoke to Jeff Greene he pointed out that a more appropriate location would be on the West wall of the Supervisor's Chambers. While I agree that this is a better, less-distracting spot, a 5x11 foot painting will not fully occupy this significantly larger space. A large wall deserves a large painting. In addition, the supervisors made several suggestions that would involve including elements in the composition, such as the Yosemite R.R., something signifying the lumber industry, and more female figures. These are good suggestions, but require a larger painting. Naturally, a larger painting will cost more money.

In my discussions with Mr. Greene I suggested that for these reasons we scale up the painting. He felt that this was a good idea. My proposal is to scale up the painting to 6 1/2x18 feet, an 80% increase in size, for an additional \$1000.00, an approximate 17% price increase. In addition, my drawing shows a taller middle section to the composition that would add another six to eight square feet at no extra cost.

Again, I am looking forward to doing this piece for our county. I am willing to do the painting according to the parameters and estimate of my original proposal: 5x18 for \$5,000.00. However, in the new location a painting 6 1/2x18, almost twice as large but less than 1/5 more in price, would look much better.

I am working on a more detailed preliminary drawing for your perusal, but I thought I'd get you this proposal first. Please let me know what you think.

Yours,

  
Jamey Brzezinski