

## Staff Report for Parcel O Temporary Public Art Program

Parcel O is one of the remaining parcels from the Market/Octavia Better Neighborhood Plan. It is located on Fell and Laguna Streets and is approximately 1 acre in size. Following on the now well established tradition of the community's involvement in the placement of artwork in Patricia's Green, the Hayes Valley Neighborhood Association, Hayes Valley Art Works and Haight Street Art Center are joining forces to activate the space over the next year with a variety of temporary, low impact artworks. The kinds of projects envisioned are art classes in a wide variety of mediums and the accompanying display of those works, performance featuring dance, music and theater and the possibility of mural panels to be placed on the construction fences surrounding the lot. The Community has worked diligently with the Department of Real Estate to ensure that the activities will meet with their approval. Supervisor Breed's office is also supportive of this community-initiated temporary art activity. There will be no cost to the City.

I am requesting a blanket resolution of approval for the next year's slate of art projects described above. Members from each of the organizations will be present at the VAC meeting.