ORDINANCE NO. 2014-25

An Ordinance Creating the Public Art Commission

The Common Council of the City of Cedarburg, Wisconsin, hereby ordains as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 2-4-19 of the Municipal Code of the City of Cedarburg is hereby created as follows:

SEC. 2-4-19 PUBLIC ART COMMISSION

(a) **Public Art Commission**

- (1) <u>Membership</u>. The Public Art Commission shall be appointed by the Mayor, confirmed by the Council, and shall consist of six (6) voting representatives from the arts and other community organizations, **two (2) members at large**, and one (1) Common Council member. The Director of Parks, Recreation and Forestry, and the City Economic Development Coordinator will serve as non-voting members of the commission. The terms shall be two (2) years expiring on April 30th, except that, upon creation of the Commission, initially the term of three members shall expire after one (1) year to stagger the terms.
- (2) <u>Purpose</u>. The Public Art Board is responsible for promoting and maintaining art displays in public buildings and public spaces in the City of Cedarburg. The Board shall:
 - Facilitate public art in public buildings and public spaces;
 - Inform residents of and visitors to the City of Cedarburg about public art;
 - Advance the City of Cedarburg as an "arts destination" and engage public art as a major attraction for artists, cultural tourism, and economic development;
 - Be responsible for approving the site and content of public art;
 - Be responsible for developing a procedure for the selection of art and/or artists, which includes public input as well as appropriate staff review.
- (3) <u>Authority</u>. This Commission shall serve as an advisory commission, and shall make recommendations to the Mayor and the Common Council. All art-related projects shall be approved by the appropriate boards, committees, and commission having oversight of the proposed project and final approval will be granted by the Common Council. The Common Council also has the authority to request removal of any public art at their discretion.