

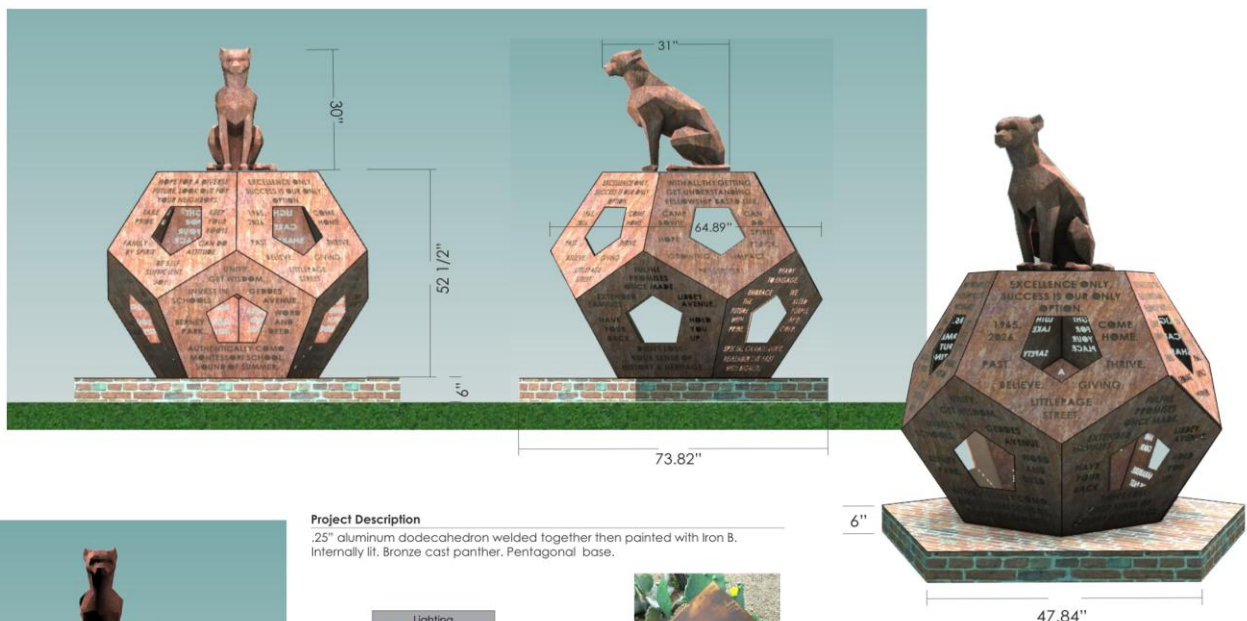
M&C ATTACHMENT SARAH AYALA FOR COMMISSION OF PUBLIC ART FOR FIRE STATION 16

Exhibit A: Approved Final Design

Fort Worth Artist Sarah Ayala's free-standing artwork will anchor the most visible corner of the project site, the grassy area near the building facing the intersection of Lovell Avenue and Horne Street. She conceptualizes the artwork as representing the contemporary life of three communities: Como and Ridglea and their distinct histories, cultures and values, and the community of fire fighters at Fire Station #16.

The artist's design is an abstracted panther, fabricated as a low-polygon form and poised atop a dodecahedron, a twelve-sided polyhedron. The dodecahedron will include water jet cut phrases collected from the community and the fire fighters. Lit from within, light will shine through these openings to broadcast the phrases outward like a beacon. The artist's concept is based on:

1. The feedback shared by the Project Core Team included an interest in expressing the rich and overlapping histories and cultures of these two adjacent communities, and how it's manifested today using words and phrases that characterize their values
2. Input from the firefighters of Station #16, who expressed an interest in having their mascot – the panther – included in the artwork; and,
3. The artist's interdisciplinary practice and use of complex geometries, patterns and text to give form to these values and concepts



Project Description

.25" aluminum dodecahedron welded together then painted with Iron B. Internally lit. Bronze cast panther. Pentagonal base.

Lighting

LEDs

Finish Selection

Iron B Satin

Fabrication Notes

1. .25" aluminum pentagons welded together to create a dodecahedron. Will have text cut out, and tabs to keep corners. Painted Iron B.
2. Will provide foundry with a 3D printed poly panther. They will produce a bronze cast.
3. LED's In interior of dodecahedron. Secured to top and illuminate downwards. more details on next page.
4. Pentagonal Concrete Base with brick patterned laminate.
5. 2"x2" tubing to support Lid interiorly.
6. Top panel, with panther attached, is removable for more access on interior, for service and cleaning.
7. Drain holes will be added to the bottom corners.

Exhibit B: Site

Fire Station #16, 5701 Lovell Avenue, Fort Worth, Texas, 76107

