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Member Jordan Wax

## BICYCLE / PEDESTRIAN ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Regular Meeting

Civic Center, Garden Level  
1333 Park Avenue, Emeryville, CA 94608  
**December 1, 2025 – 5:30 PM**

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**FURTHER INFORMATION** may be obtained by contacting Phillip Toste, Committee Secretary, at 510-596-4340 or [phillip.toste@emeryville.org](mailto:phillip.toste@emeryville.org) / [bpac@emeryville.org](mailto:bpac@emeryville.org). The next regular meeting is scheduled for February 2, 2026, at 5:30PM.

**DATED: NOVEMBER 26, 2025**

Post On: NOVEMBER 26, 2025  
Post Until: DECEMBER 2, 2025

  
Lorrayne Leong, Deputy City Clerk

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Public Comment
  - 3.1 Submit a written comment card at [www.emeryville.org/advisorybodies](http://www.emeryville.org/advisorybodies).
4. Welcome New Member (Olsen, 5 min)
5. Approval of November 3, 2025, Regular Meeting Action Minutes
6. Action Items
  - 6.1 Adopt 2026 Meeting Schedule (Toste, 15 mins)
  - 6.2 Emeryville Greenway User Statistics / "Two Million User" Event (O'Connell, 20 min)
7. Information Items
  - 7.1 Wayfinding and Public Art on 40<sup>th</sup> Street (Evans, 45 mins)
  - 7.2 Planning Updates (Chung, 5 mins)
  - 7.3 Public Works Updates (Toste, 10 mins)
8. Future Agenda Items
9. Announcements / Member Comments
10. Adjournment

## BICYCLE / PEDESTRIAN ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Regular Meeting, November 3, 2025

### Draft Minutes

1. Call to Order

Meeting called to order at 5:31 pm.

2. Roll Call

Members present: Cohen, Markley, Olsen, Raymond, Suter, Wax

3. Public Comment

No Public Comment.

4. Welcome New Member

New member Lazinskiy was absent from the meeting.

5. Approval of the October 6, 2025 Regular Meeting Action Minutes

**BPAC Move/Second/Pass (M/S/P)** Cohen/Wax 6-0-0-3 (Aye/Nay/Abstain/Absent) to approve the October 6, 2025 regular meeting action minutes.

7.3 Bike Parking Standards Refresher

***Item was requested to be heard out of order.*** Staff Chung presented this item on current and past City of Emeryville bike parking standards. BPAC members provided feedback and comment on the presentation.

One Public Comment.

6. Action Items

6.1. Conversion of Required Bike Parking Ratios from Estimated Automobile Parking Demand to Building Square Footage, Part 2

Staff Oaks presented the item and provided additional information regarding different Emeryville developments constructed under different bike parking standards. BPAC members asked clarifying questions and provided feedback and comment on the presentation.

No Public Comment.

**M/S/P** Cohen/Markley 6-0-0-3 (Aye/Nay/Abstain/Absent) to approve the proposed table for residential.

7. Information Items

7.1. San Pablo Avenue Corridor Projects Update

ACTC staff presented updates on the projects proposed for the San Pablo Avenue corridor. BPAC members asked clarifying questions and provided feedback and comment on the presentation.

One Public Comment.

7.2. Bikeway Trash Management

Staff Aboutaleb presented this item on the new program to provide trash sweeping service for Class 4 bikeways with the City's "bobcat" equipment. BPAC members asked clarifying questions and provided feedback and comment on the presentation.

Two Public Comments.

**M/S/P** Markley/Olsen 6-0-0-3 (Aye/Nay/Abstain/Absent) to extend the meeting to 7:45pm.

7.4 Planning Updates

Staff Chung provided updates on ongoing and new planning projects. BPAC members asked clarifying questions and provided comments.

One Public Comment.

7.5 Public Works Updates

Staff Toste provided updates on ongoing public works projects. BPAC members asked clarifying questions and provided comments.

No Public Comment.

8. Future Agenda Items

Member Wax requested adding the Future of the Greenway to the future agenda items list. Chair Olsen commented that several future agenda items were crossed off the list with this meeting.

9. Announcements / Member Comments

No announcements or member comments.

10. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 7:37 pm.



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Date: December 1, 2025

To: Bicycle / Pedestrian Advisory Committee

From: Phillip Toste, Associate Engineer, Public Works Department

Subject: **Item 6.1 – Adopt 2026 Meeting Schedule**

## **BACKGROUND:**

At their November 18, 2025 meeting, City Council adopted Resolution 25-106 to allow the Bicycle/Pedestrian Advisory Committee to set their annual meeting schedule by majority vote of the membership, instead of by City Council resolution.

## **DISCUSSION:**

The Emeryville Bicycle / Pedestrian Advisory Committee (BPAC) meets on the first Monday of each month, except in August, which aligns with the City Council's annual recess, and in January, when meetings fall within the City Council-requested committee meeting moratorium from December 15 and January 15, established during the September 2, 2025 Study Session. If a meeting date falls on or around a City holiday, that meeting must be rescheduled or cancelled. For example, the first Monday of September is always the Labor Day holiday, therefore, the BPAC meeting for September must always be cancelled, then a special meeting rescheduled.

With the recently passed Council Resolution 25-106, the BPAC has the ability to set it's own meeting schedule annually, allowing for proactive forecast of future meeting conflicts with holidays. This eliminates the need to formally cancel a meeting on or around a holiday, and reschedule a special meeting, saving on staff time and City resources. Based on established practice within BPAC and the 2026 City holiday schedule, the following meeting schedule seems most appropriate:

- January – NO MEETING (City Council moratorium)
- February 2, 2026 (First Monday)
- March 2, 2026 (First Monday)
- April 6, 2026 (First Monday)
- May 4, 2026 (First Monday)
- June 1, 2026 (First Monday)
- July 13, 2026 (Second Monday, July 4 holiday is on Saturday before First Monday, July 6)
- August – NO MEETING (City Council recess)
- September 14, 2026 (Second Monday, September 7 is Labor Day)
- October 5, 2026 (First Monday)
- November 2, 2026 (First Monday)
- December 7, 2026 (First Monday)

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

Staff recommend for the Bicycle / Pedestrian Advisory Committee members to review the proposed schedule and adopt the schedule.

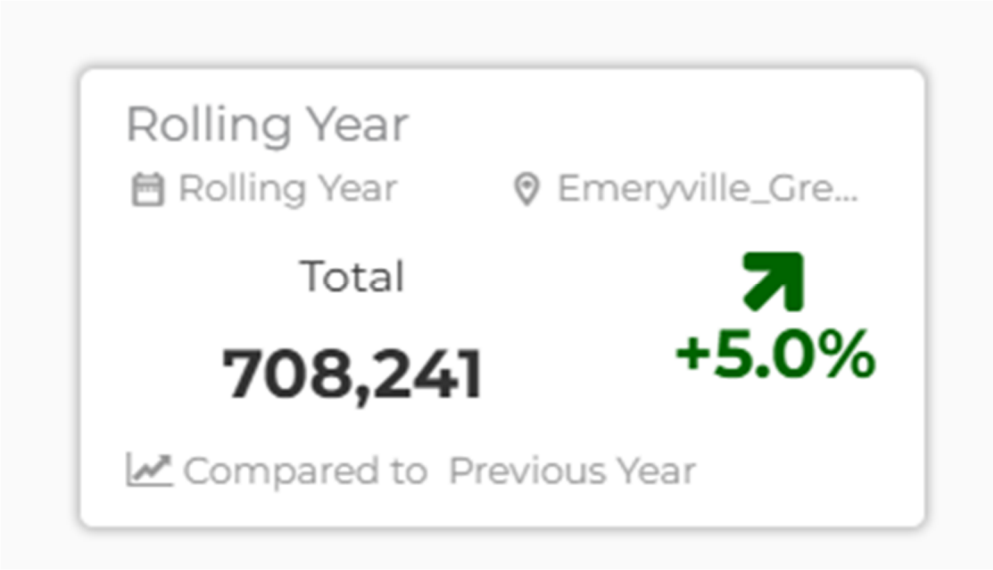


Emeryville Greenway Trail Counter Stats

Key Figures

April 1, 2023 - November 25, 2025

Site	Total traffic	Daily Average	Average week days	Average weekend traffic	Daily Median	Peak Day	Peak Count
Emeryville_Greenway	1,806,927	1,863	2,010	1,497	1,905	Tue 11 June 2024	3,626

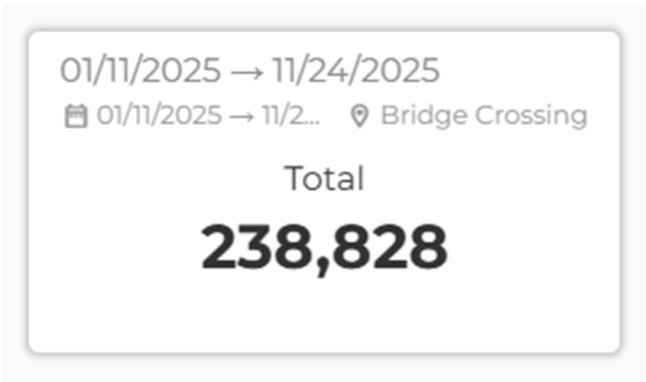
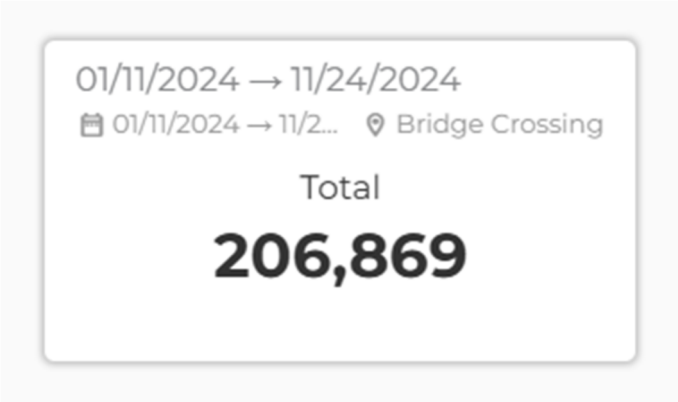


South Bayfront Bridge Counter Stats

Key Figures

January 11, 2024 - November 24, 2025

Site	Total traffic	Daily Average	Average week days	Average weekend traffic	Daily Median	Peak Day	Peak Count
Bridge Crossing	475,576	695	648	813	704	Fri 6 December 2...	1,397



15.44% INCREASE



# City of Emeryville

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## MEMORANDUM

**DATE:** November 13, 2025

**TO:** Public Art Committee  
Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee  
Transportation and Sustainability Committee

**FROM:** Amber Evans, Community Development Coordinator

**SUBJECT:** 40th Streetscape Public Art and Icon Design

### STAFF RECOMMENDATION

The Public Art Committee (PAC), Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Committee (BPAC), and Transportation and Sustainability Committee (TSC) (together, the “Review Bodies”) are asked to review the Design Proposal for the 40<sup>th</sup> Streetscape Art and Iconography and survey results and then:

- Recommend to the City Council one of two designs for each of three signs, or recommend that the standard sign not be modified
- Provide feedback on all design elements, including recommendations on modifications to design prior to finalization

### BACKGROUND

Sijia Chen was selected through a competitive process for the design of the 40<sup>th</sup> Streetscape Public Art Project, inclusive of an icon for the wayfinding signage along the corridor and other flora and fauna to be included throughout the project’s laser cut imagery. The artist created a website found here: <https://www.emeryville40thstreetart.com/connect> to collect public comments, and the public was further engaged as described below.

#### Public Outreach

Staff arranged for the artist to seek feedback, stories and art submittals from the public at three workshops in April 2025:

- Emeryville Center of Community Life – After School Workshop
- Bike and Pedestrian Advisory Committee
- Public Art Committee

In July, the artist returned for solicitation of direction on preferred iconic species and continued to offer workshops at:

- Emeryville Crescent Community Day,
- 45th Street Artists Coop, and
- Senior Center Picnic

Through these workshops at least 60 adults and 85 children participated in the possible design for images to be included in the final project.

## DISCUSSION

Prior to developing a draft design, the artist sought direction from the PAC on preferred iconic imagery. This direction is reflected in the 40th Streetscape Public Art and Icon Design as shown in Attachment 1 to this report. A survey asking for public consideration of two options for signage or whether there is a preference to default to standard signage was shared publicly via a City Newsflash and the City's Social Media in October as found [here](#) and printed in Attachment 2. Attachment 3 depicts the draft images in standard signage for conceptualization of the final works.

The Review Bodies are asked to examine the options in Attachment 1 for recommendation of preferred signage and iconography for three settings:

1. Standard Bike Route Sign in Emeryville consistent with signage in adjacent municipalities with possible minor modifications
2. Bike Boulevard Signage in Emeryville consistent with signage in adjacent municipalities with possible minor modifications
3. A new icon for Emeryville to be used in place of, or in addition to, the City logo on wayfinding signage for which a circular element is included.

Attachment 1 includes all the designs for all the proposed works of art to be included in the 40<sup>th</sup> Streetscape Public Art Project. This includes:

- Two Bus Shelter Backings
- Four Bus Shelter Attachments
- Six Fence Attachments
- Four Lean Bar Attachments
- Eight Light Pole Attachments
- Four Sculptures including
  - One work with 21 individual panels in one lighted work
  - One work with six panels in three works
  - One work with two panels in two works
  - One work with six panels in three to four works

For a total of 34 individual art works.

The Review Bodies are also requested to note any recommended modifications to the Iconography or Design Elements, whether a modification to imagery (e.g. add eyes to the

raccoon) or the included species in an icon (e.g. add a dog is needed in the Bicycle Boulevard Sign or fewer flowers are needed in the hummingbird icon) or an artistic element (e.g. a willet or a ground squirrel should replace the flying squirrel on the light pole attachment). The total elements to be installed is fixed, and cannot be added to, but species can be swapped for one another and elements revised based on the Review Bodies' direction and acceptance by the City Council.

## **CONCLUSION/NEXT STEPS**

With the Review Bodies, survey and staff recommendations, the artist will make final modification for presentation to the City Council for adoption of the wayfinding signage iconography and final design for the 40<sup>th</sup> Streetscape Public Art Project.

## **ATTACHMENTS:**

- Attachment 1. 40th Streetscape Public Art and Icon Design
- Attachment 2: Printout of the Survey dispersed for the Iconography
- Attachment 3: Depiction of the draft images in standard signage for conceptualization of the Final Works



CITY OF EMERYVILLE  
40<sup>th</sup> STREETScape  
PUBLIC ART  
FINAL DESIGN

**SIJIA CHEN STUDIO**

# Logo Design

## **Single Bike Display**



Example



# Single Bike Display Option #1

Godwits  
Swallow Tail  
Fennel



## Single Bike Display Option #2

Willet  
Blackberry  
Feral Cat



## Dual Bike Display



Example

# Dual Bike Display Option #1

Willet  
Blackberry  
Feral Cat  
Humming Bird  
Swallow Tail



## Dual Bike Display Option #2

Godwit  
Fennel  
Feral Cat  
Humming Bird  
Swallow Tail



# Round Display Option #1

Hummingbird  
Hummingbird Sage  
Sharp-edged “E”



## Round Display Option #2

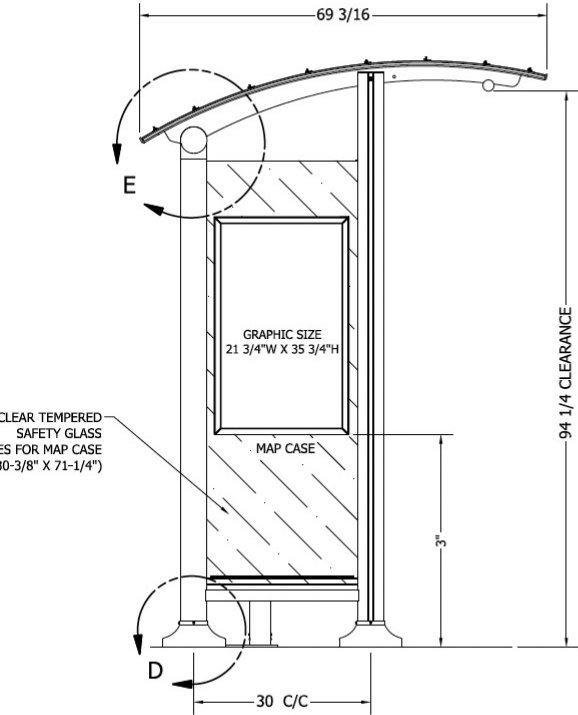
Crow  
Rounded-edged "E"



# **Bus Shelter Backing**

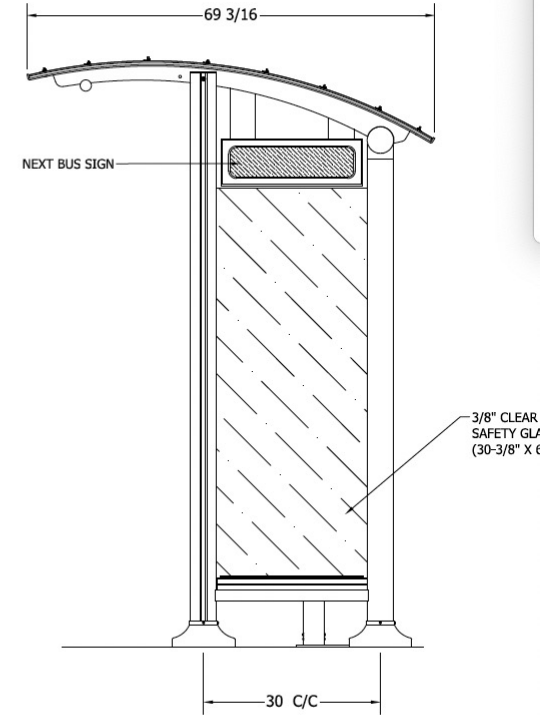
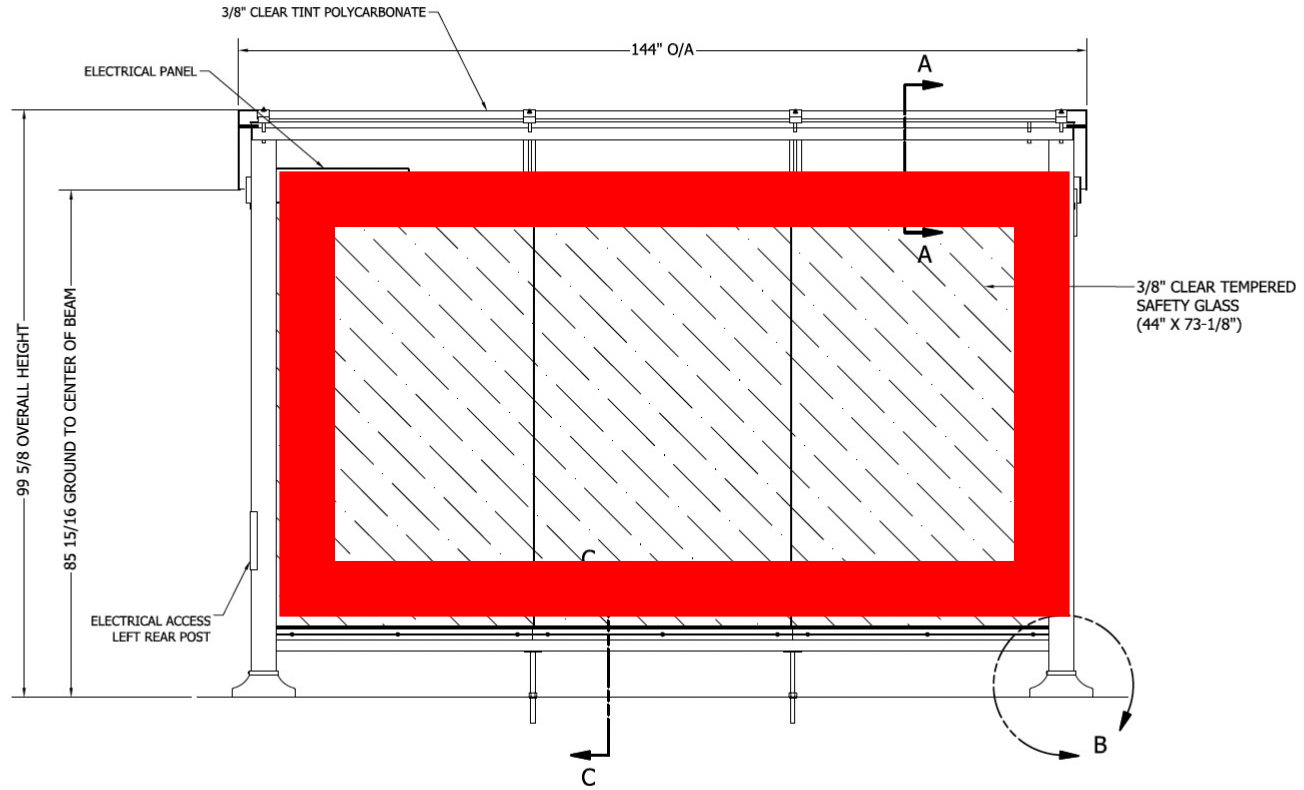


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SCALE 1/8



SCALE 1/10

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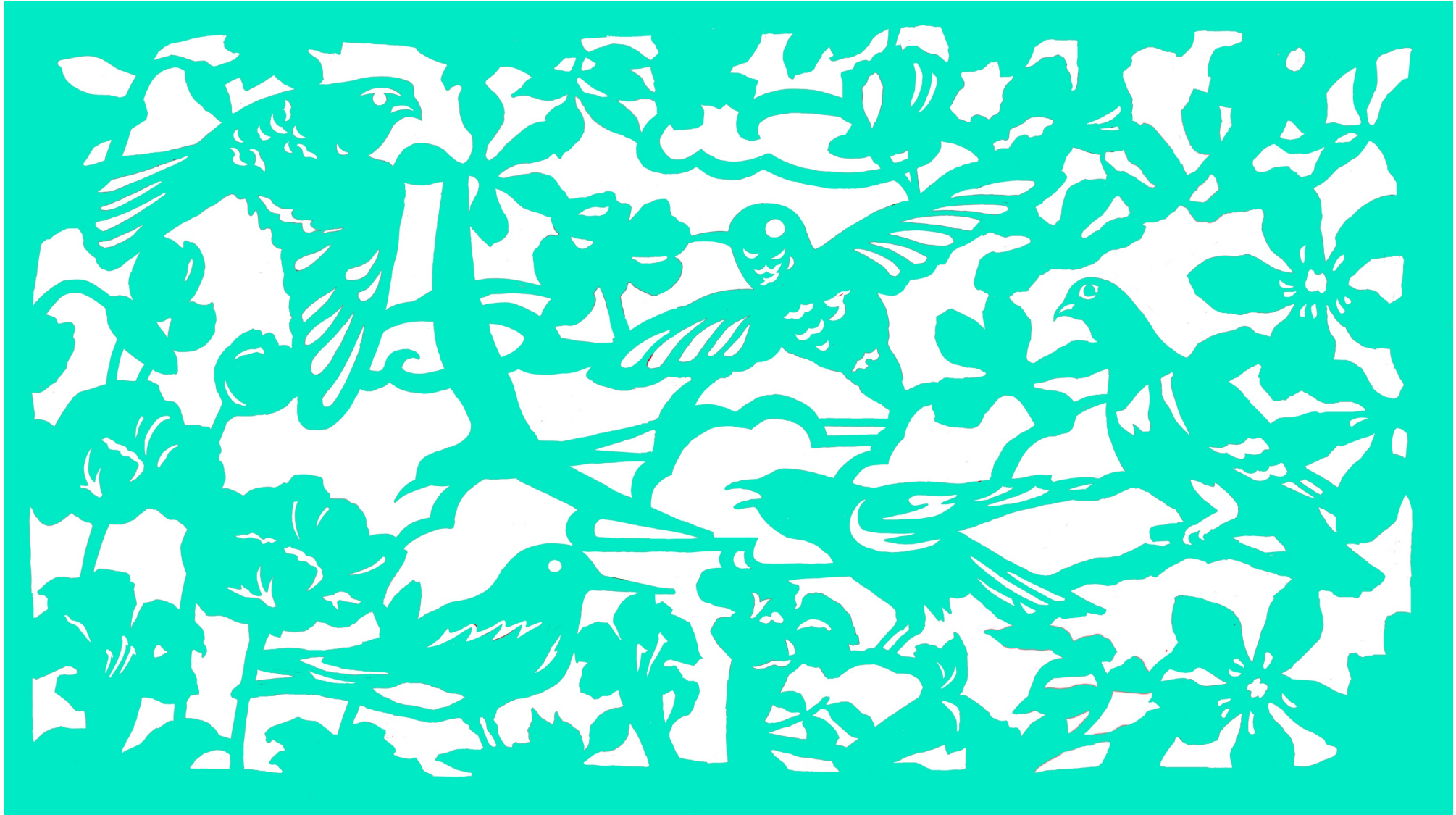


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Plane Trees  
Canada Goose  
Pelican  
Godwit  
Egrets  
Hérons

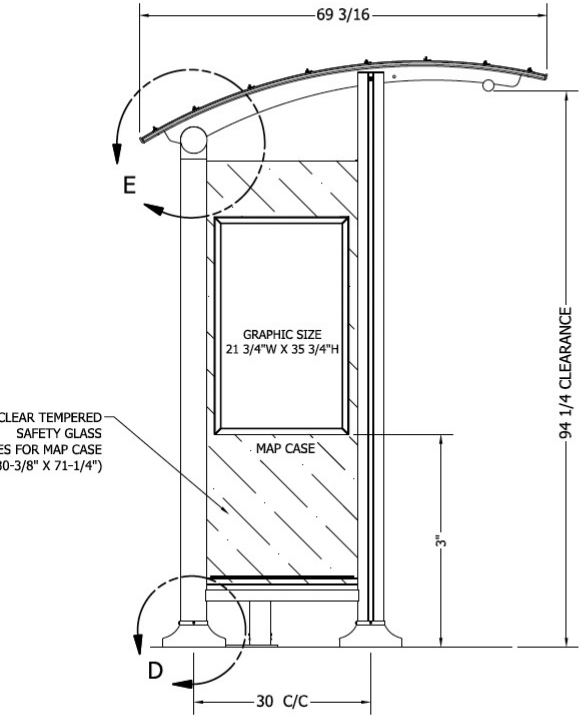


Hummingbird  
Jasmine  
Tern  
Crow  
Trumpet Pine  
Pigeon  
Poppy  
American Kestrel



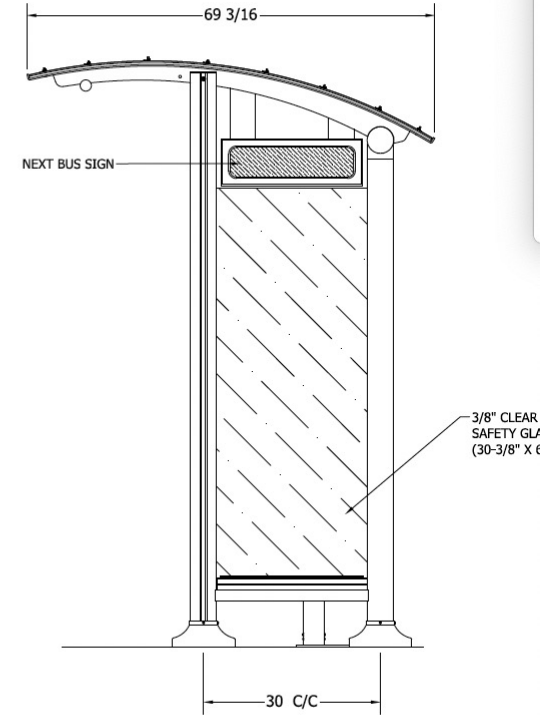
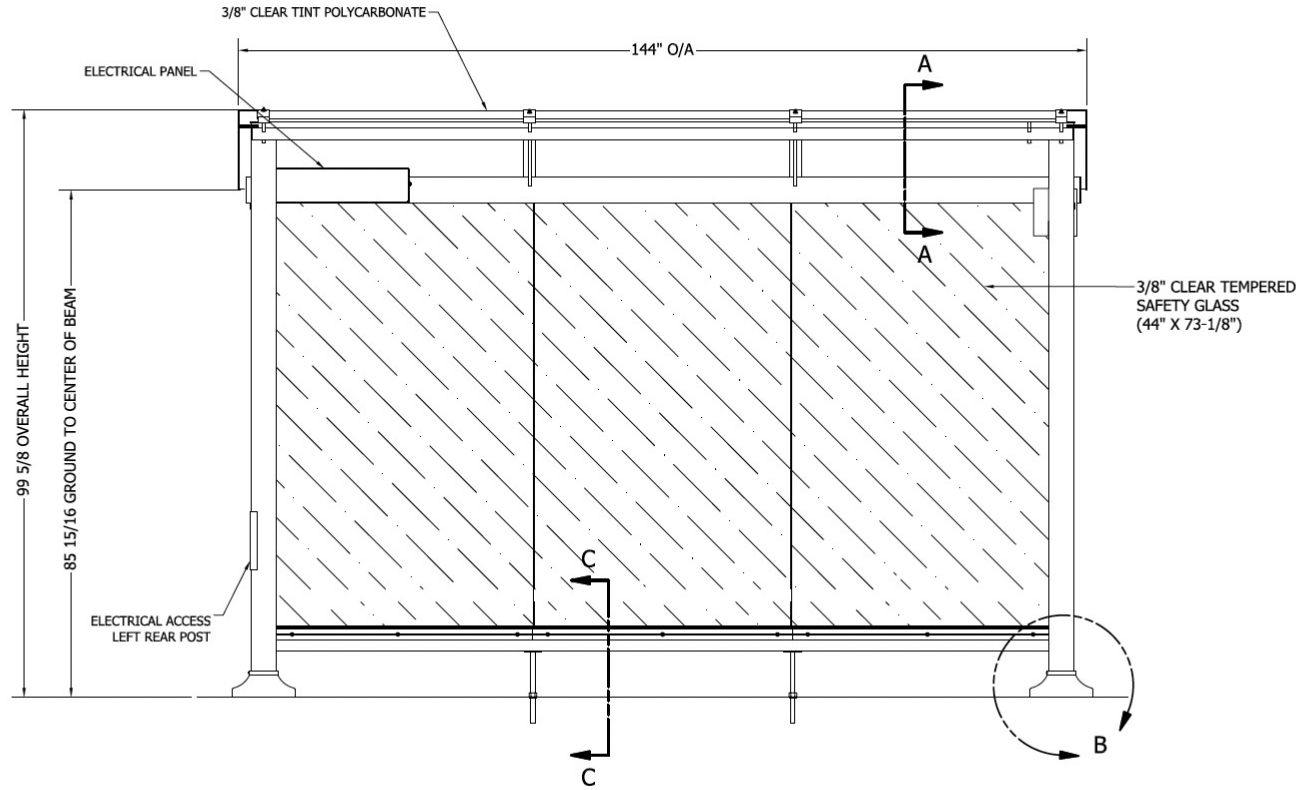
# **Bus Shelter Attachments**

(GLASS SUPPORT)  
SCALE 1/8



SCALE 1/10

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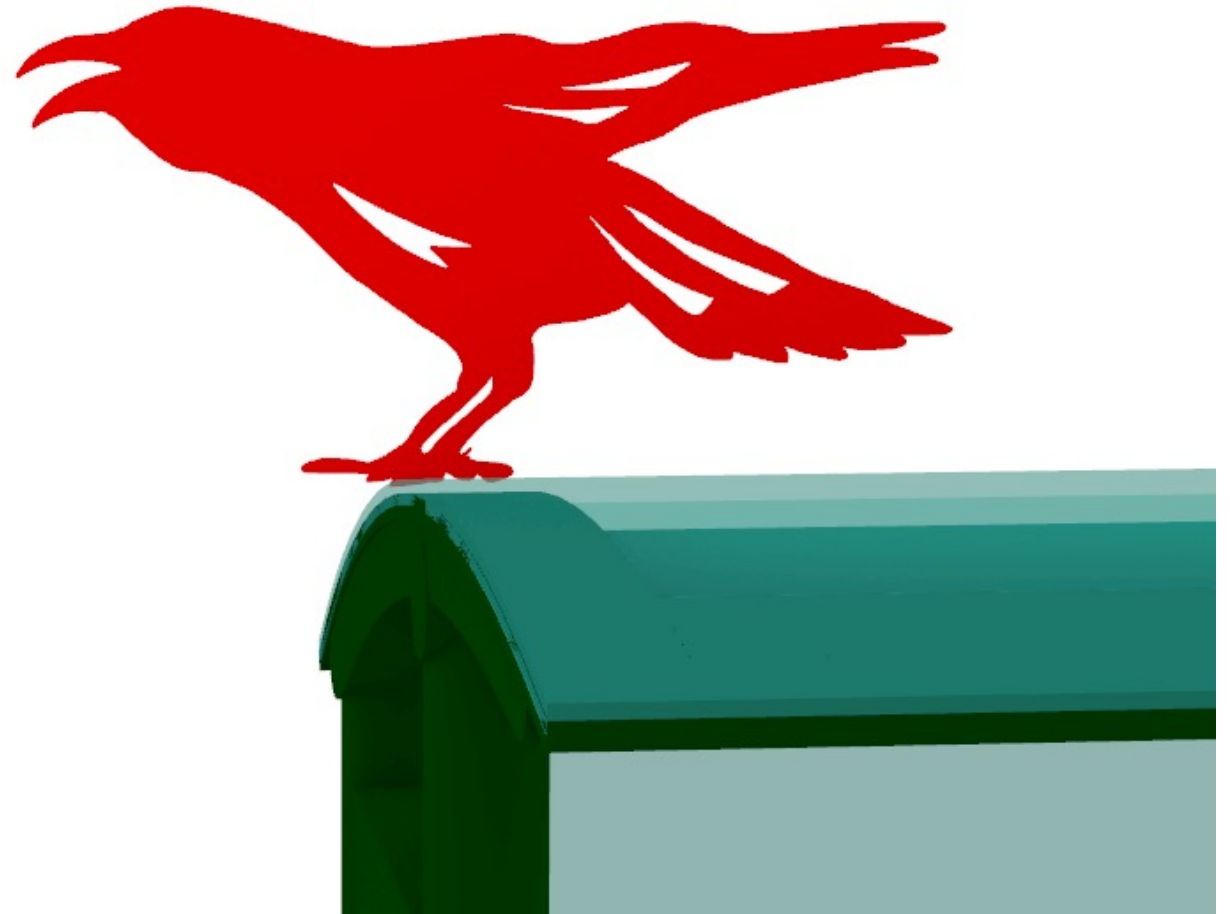
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# Bus Shelter Attachment #1

## Crow

Height: 14 inches

Width: 26 inches



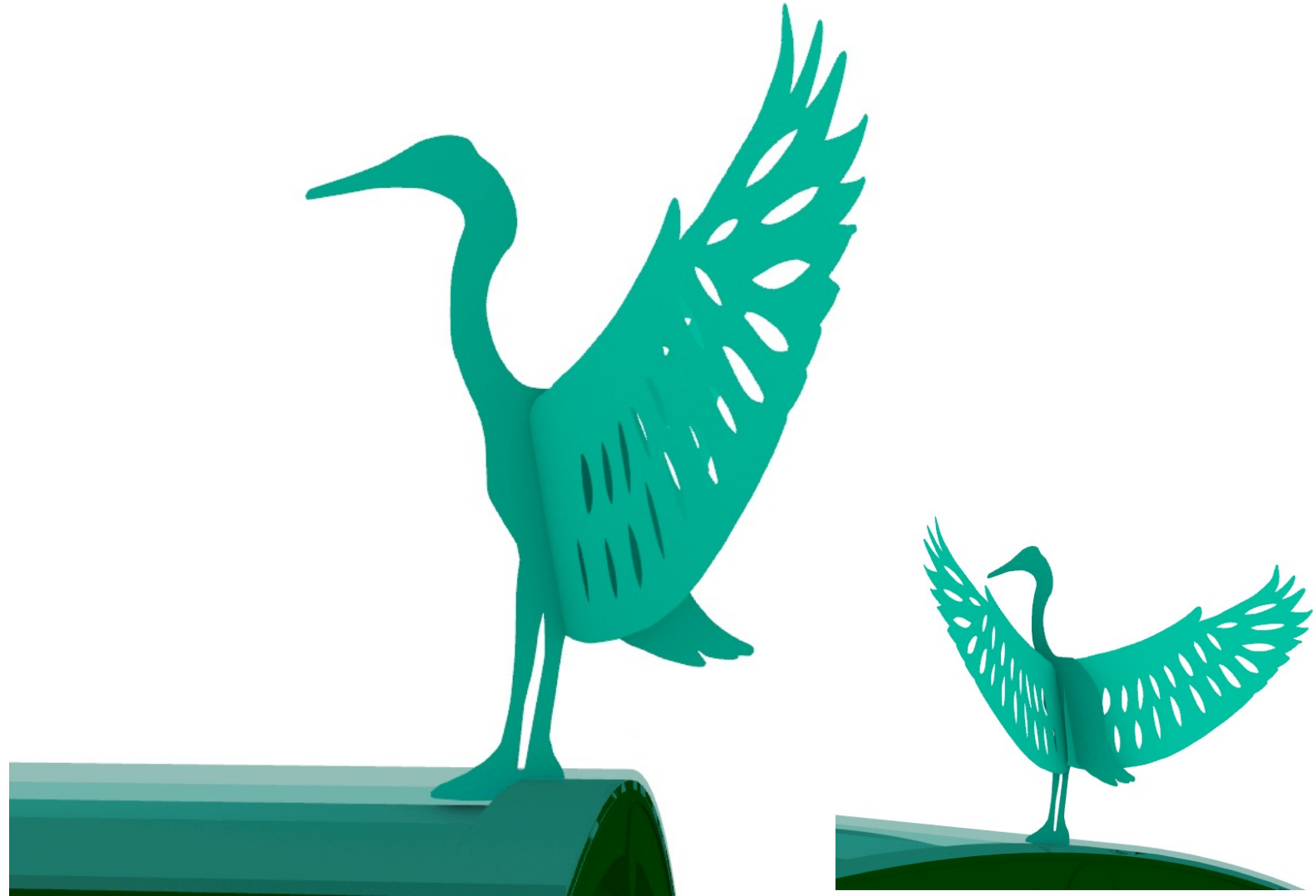
## Bus Shelter Attachments #2

### Egrets

Height: 26 inches

Width: 20 inches

Depth: 43 inches



# Bus Shelter Attachments #3

## Racoon

Height: 31 inches

Width: 15 inches





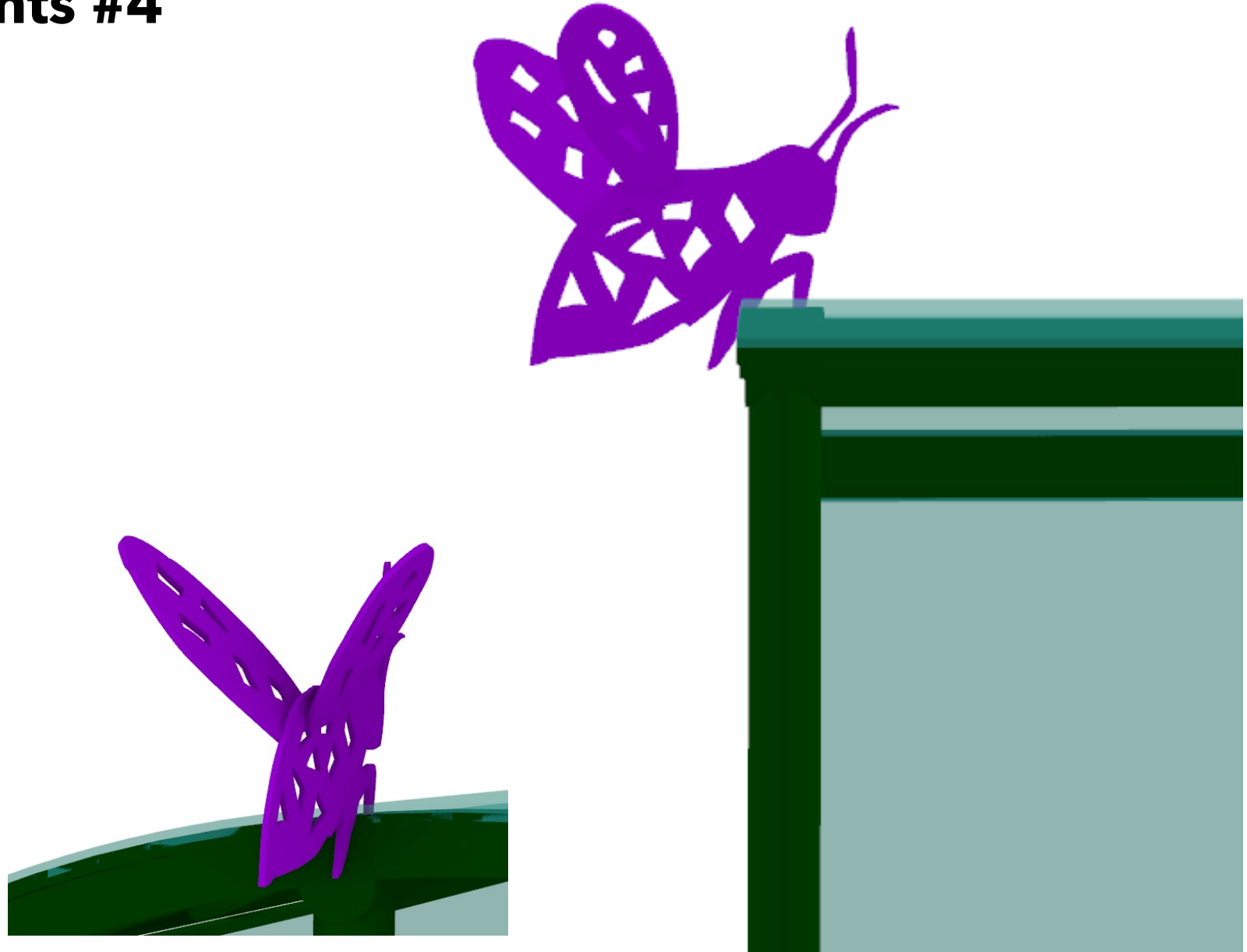
# Bus Shelter Attachments #4

## Bee

Height: 18 inches

Width: 13 inches

Depth: 22 inches



# **Fence Attachments**

## Fence Attachments #1-6



Mushroom  
14x26 inches

Eelgrass  
14x31 inches

Gingko  
18x27 inches



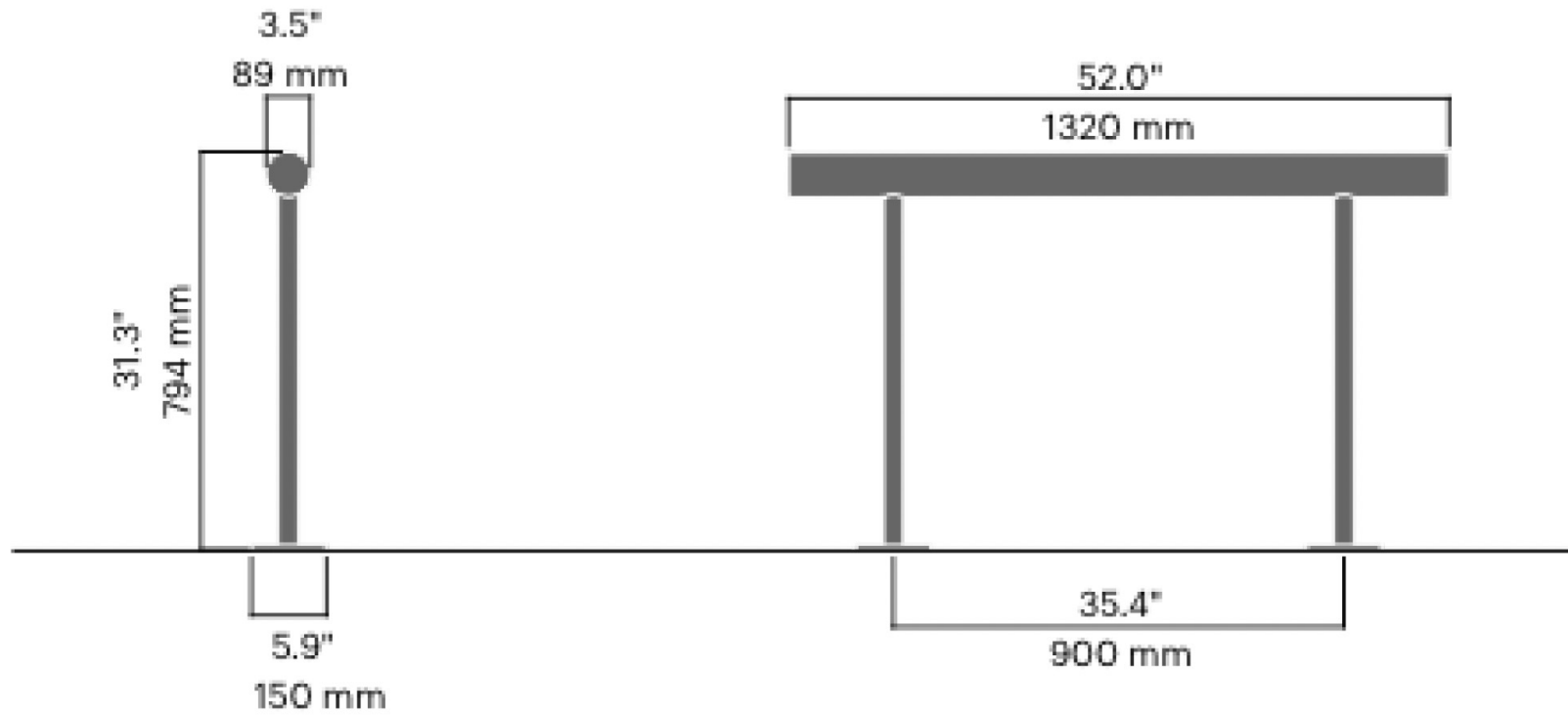
Poppy  
11x33 inches

Matilija  
15x26 inches

Trumpet vine  
17x20 inches

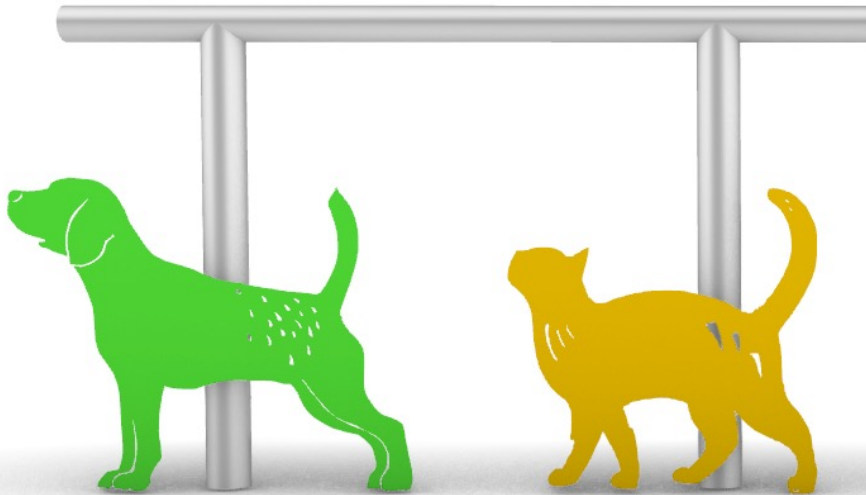
# **Lean Bar Attachments**

# Lean Bar Attachments

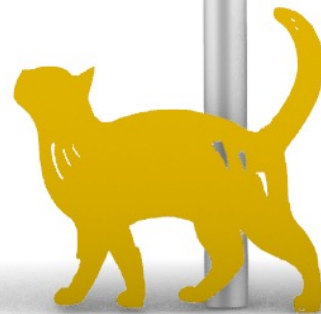


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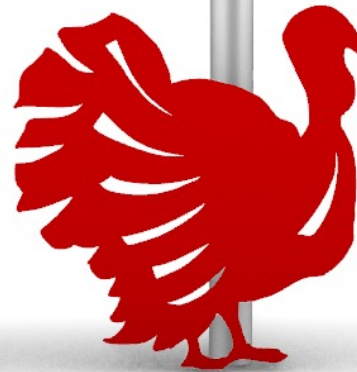
## Lean Bar Attachments #1-4



Dog  
25x20 inches



Cat  
20x20 inches

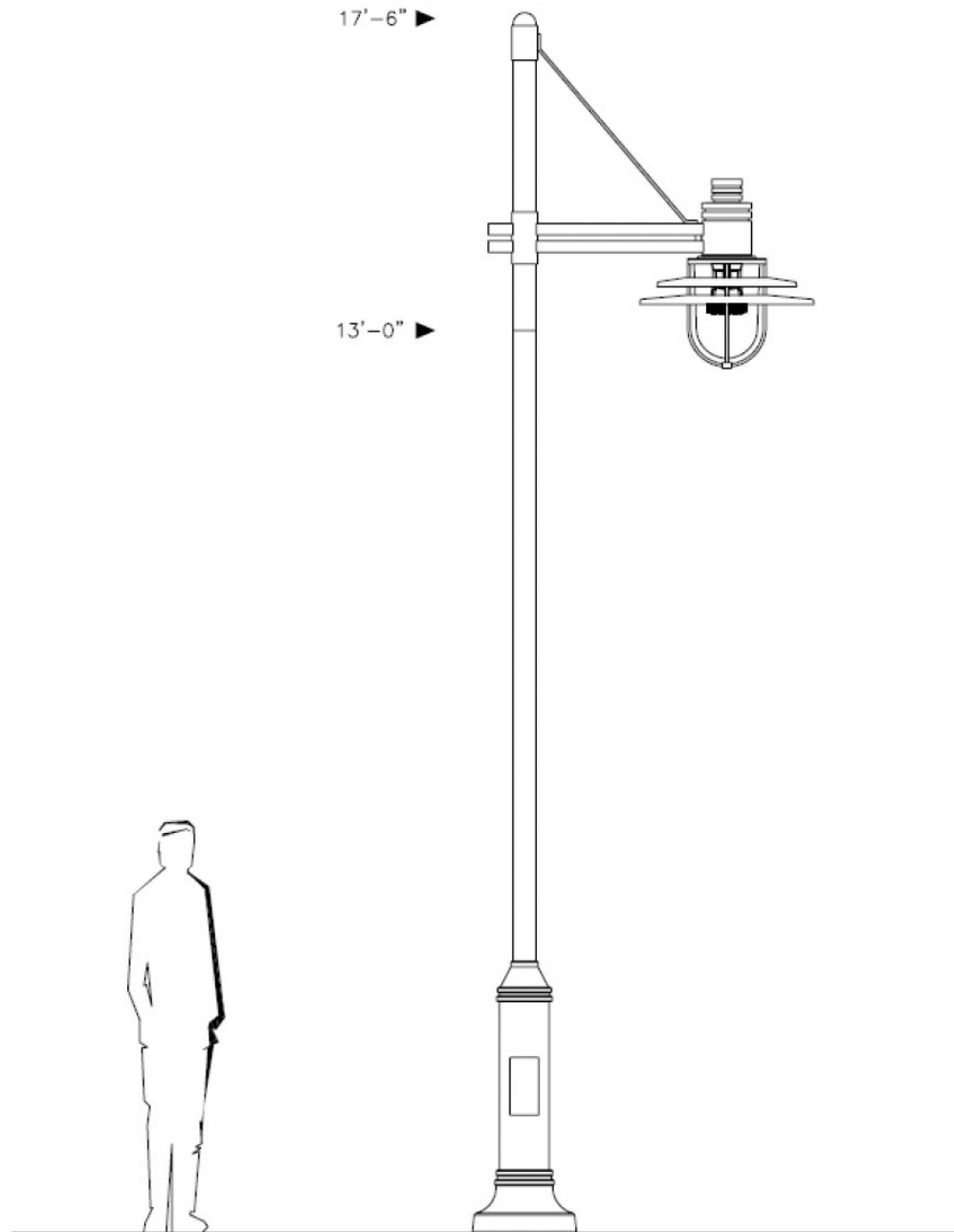


Turkey  
22x23 inches



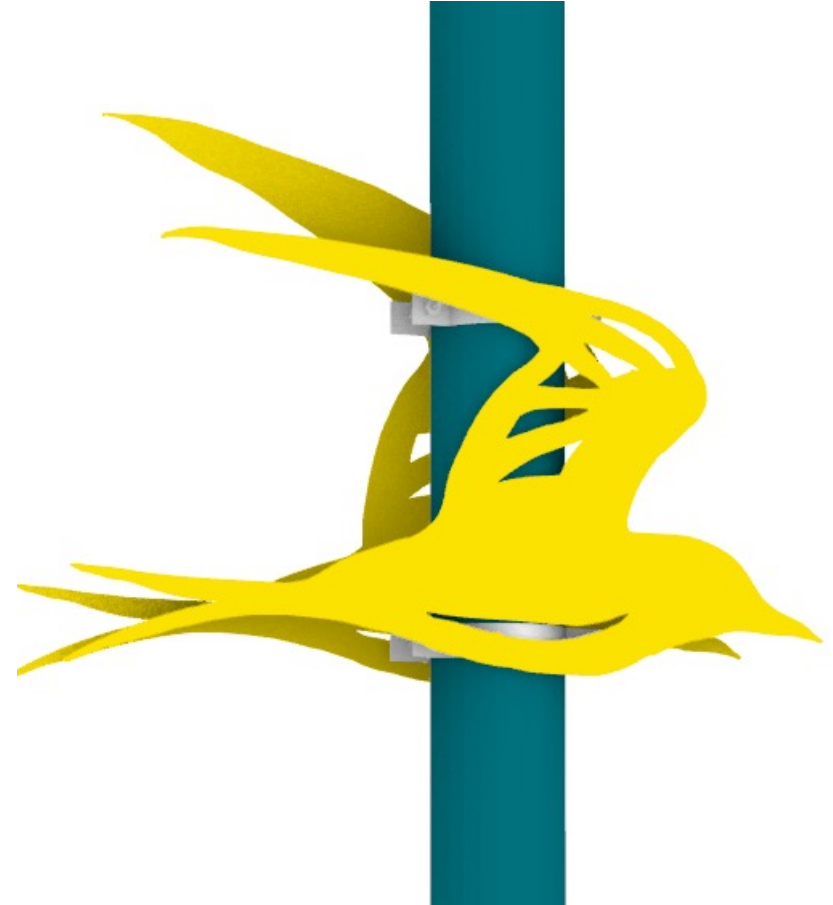
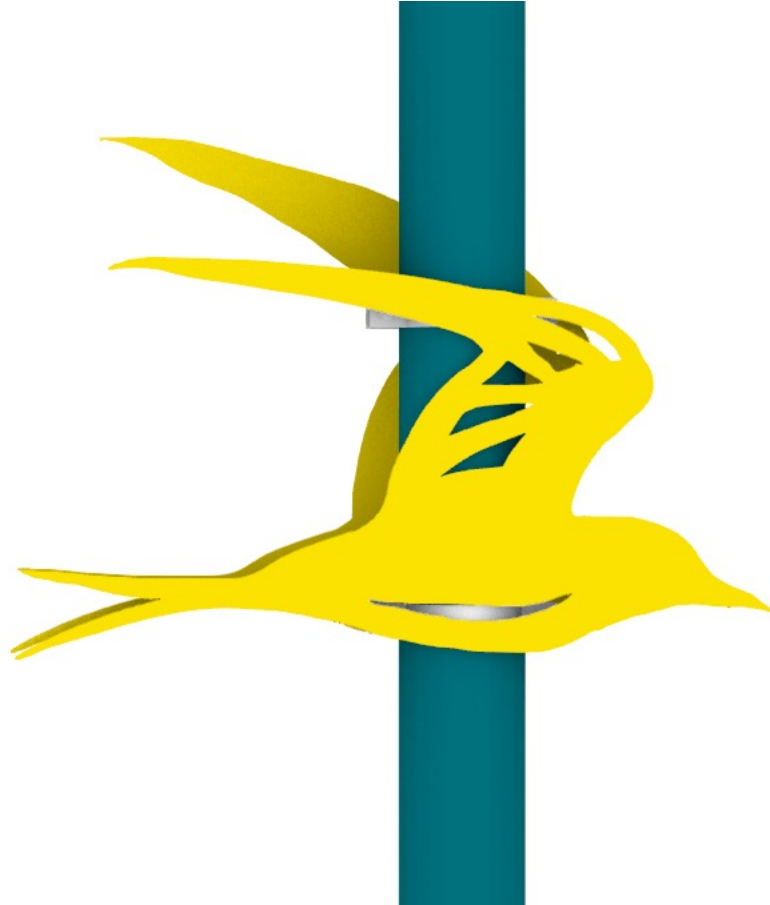
Opossum  
30x12 inches

# **Light Pole Attachments**

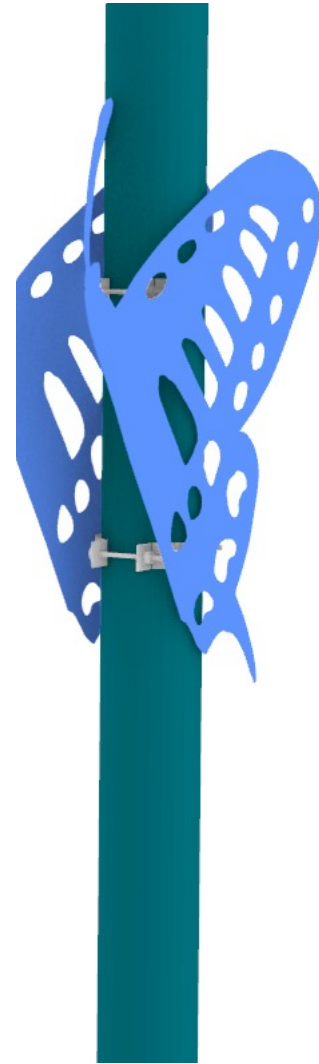
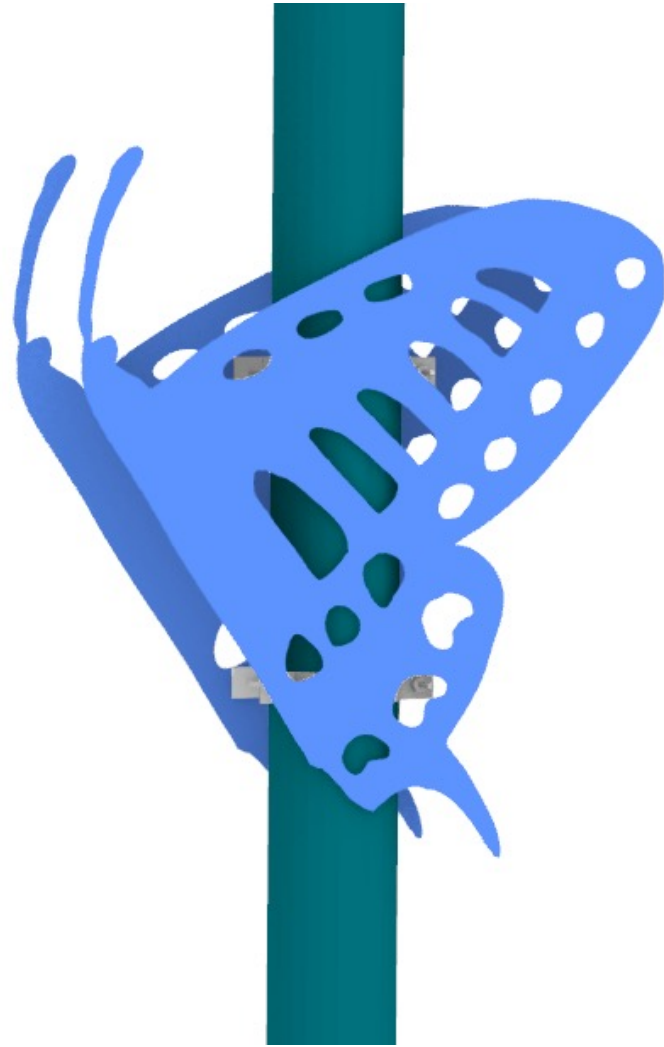




Tern  
33x20 Inches



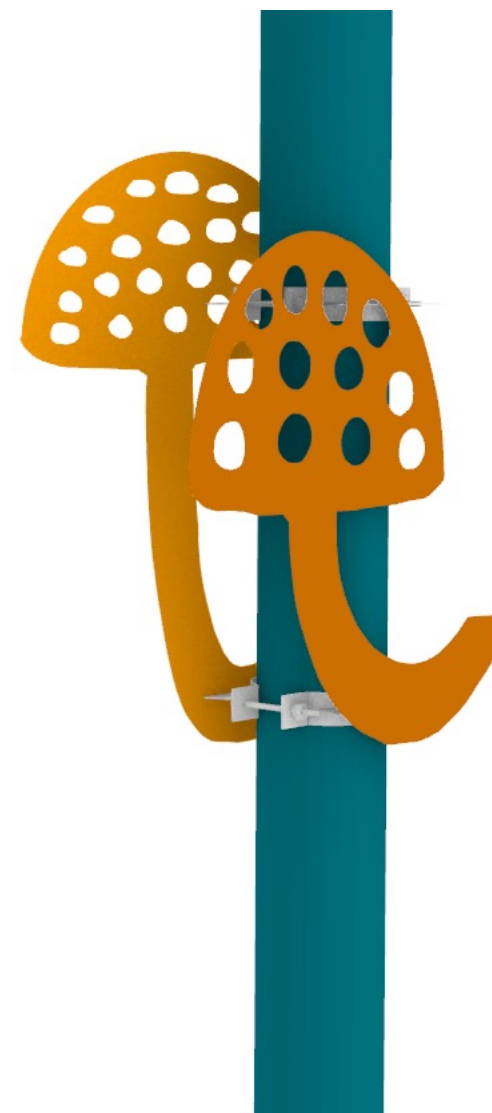
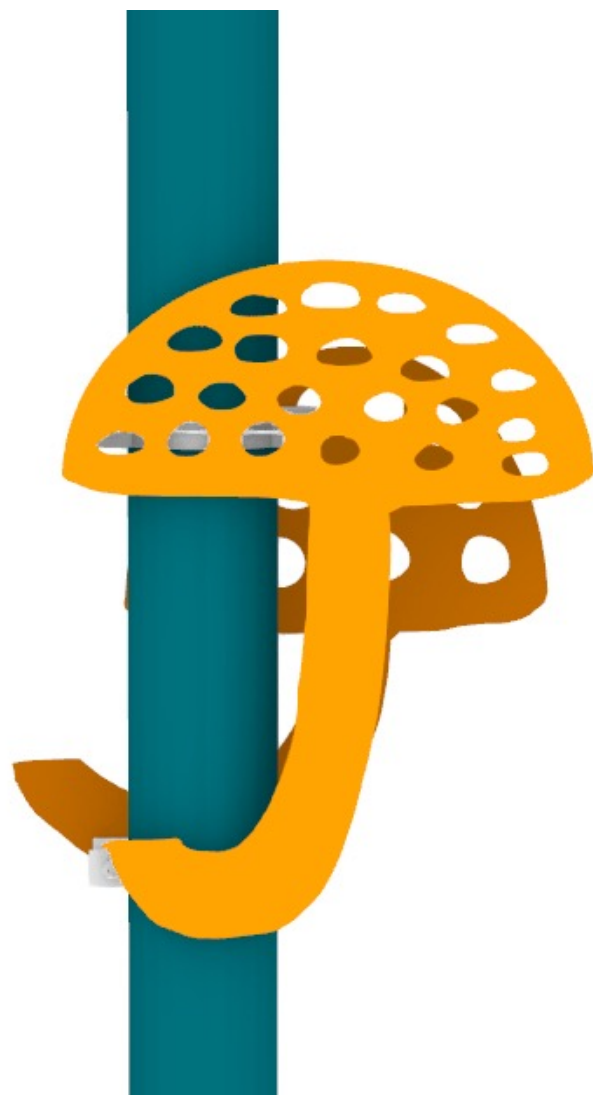
Butterfly  
33x20 Inches



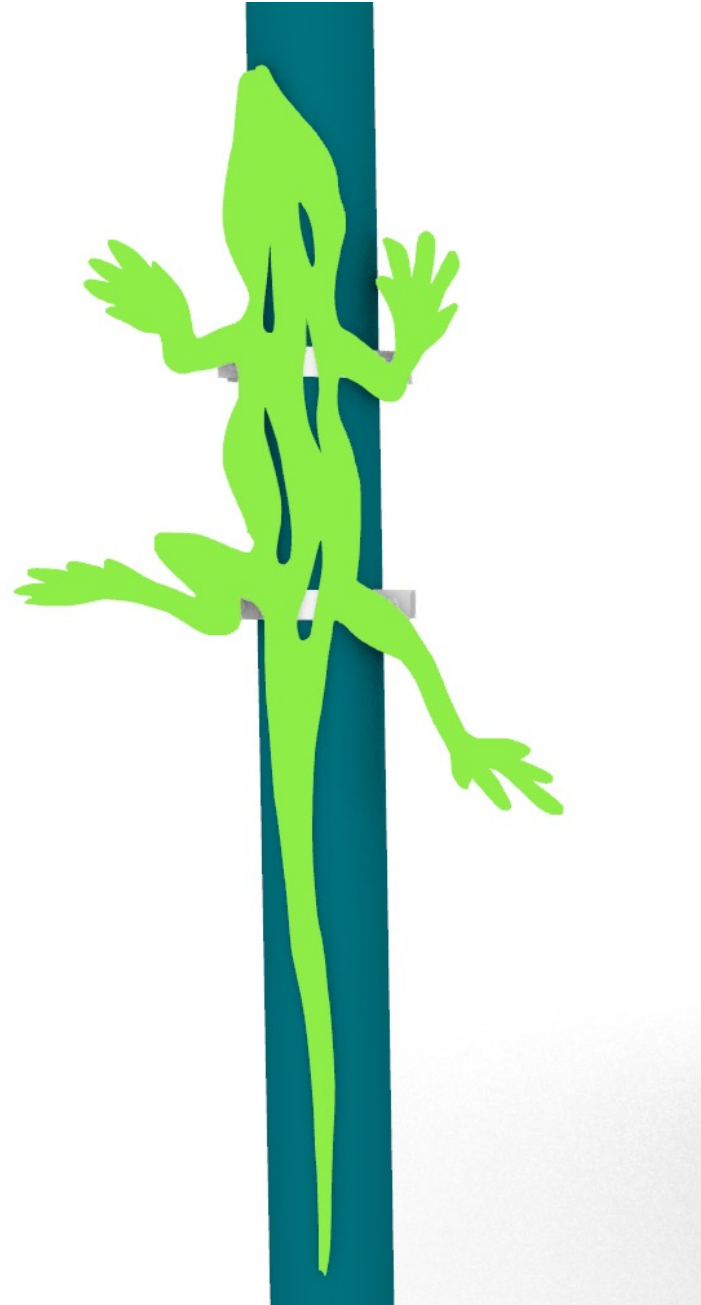
Heron  
38x27 Inches



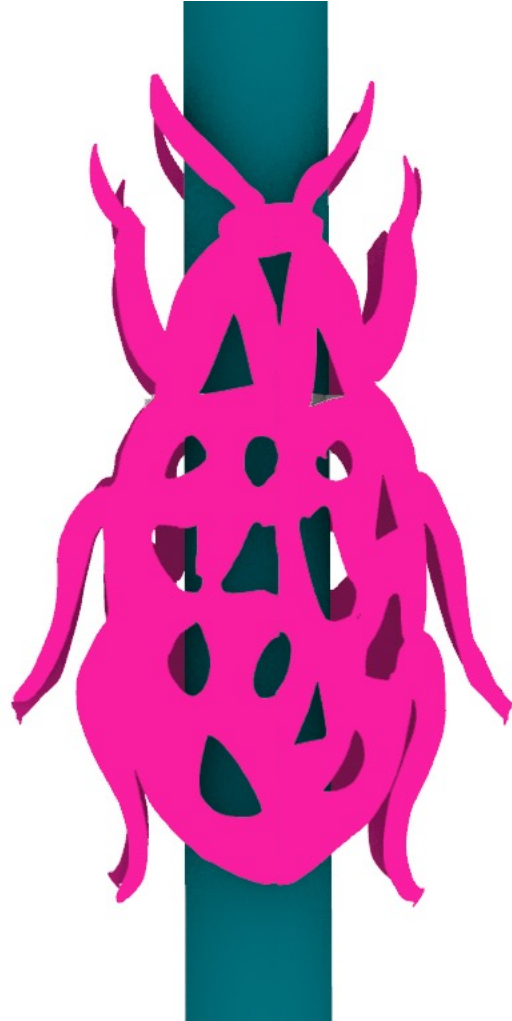
Mushrooms  
25x22 Inches



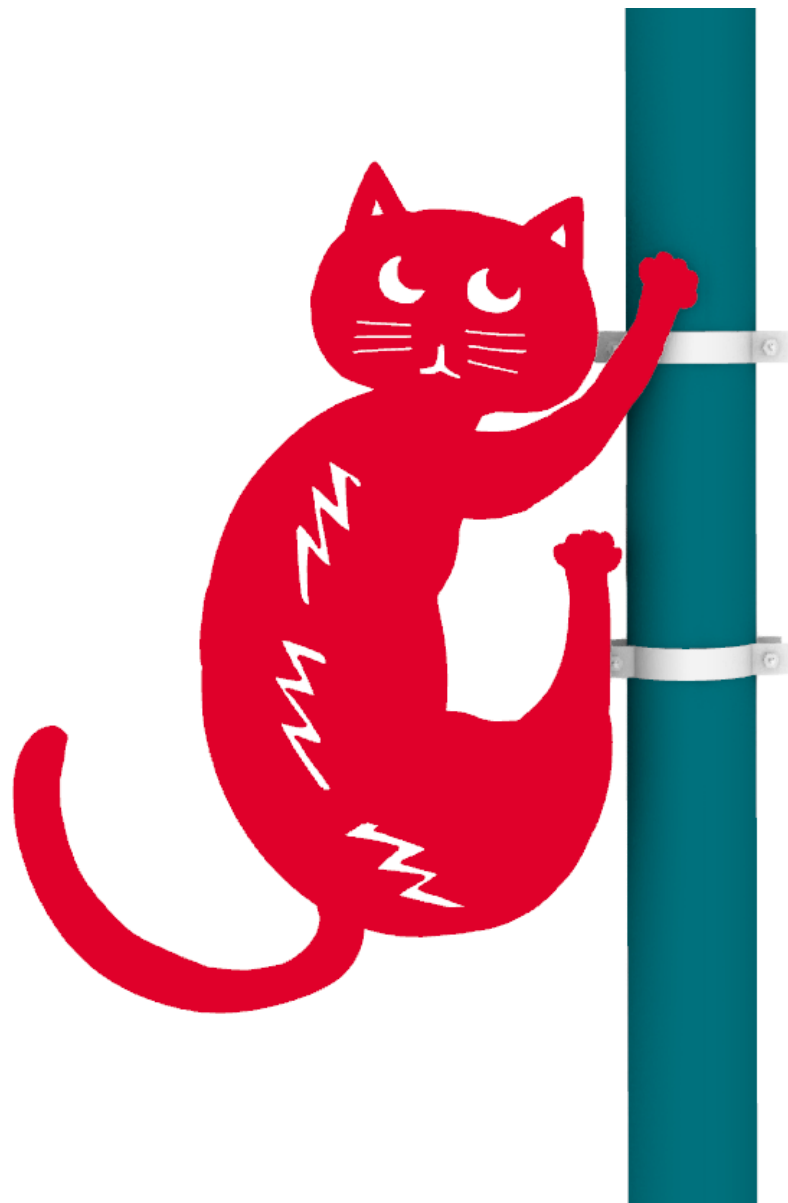
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45x20 Inches



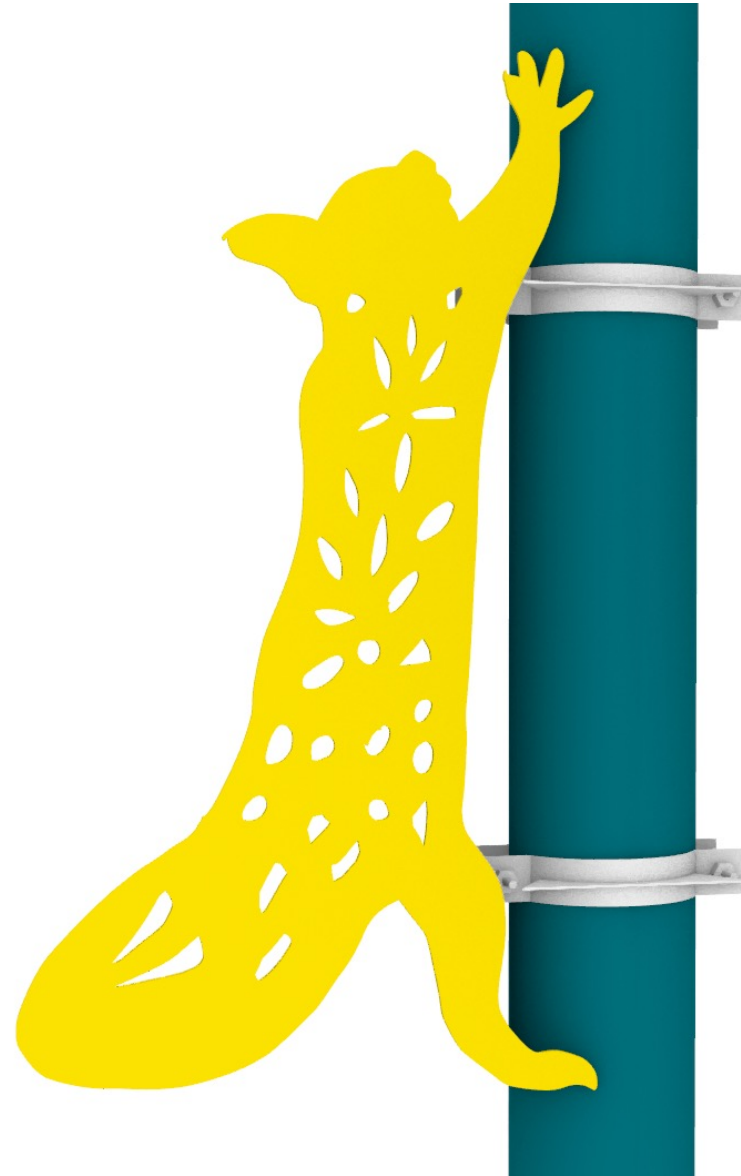
Bug  
20x32 Inches



Cat  
29x36 Inches



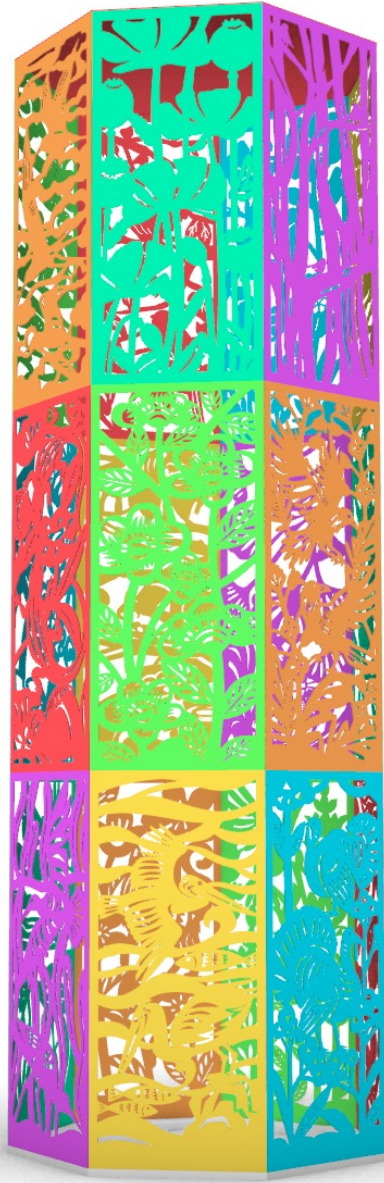
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17x30 Inches



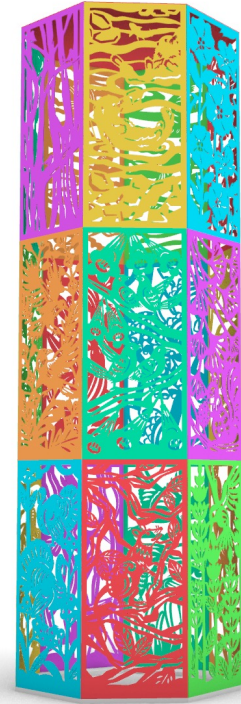


# Hubbard Street Plaza

- Inspired by tree trunks, this sculpture creates a placemaking location to closely observe the papercut content of the column
- LED lighting installed at interior base of the work will provide illumination and create high contrast silhouettes of the papercut sections
- Materials: Stainless steel, acrylic polyurethane paint, LED lighting, anti-graffiti coating
- Dimensions: Height 10', Diameter 3'



Front View



Side Views



Canada Goose



Tern



Poppy



Sycamore



Sea Otter  
Rip Rap



Matilija



American  
Kestrel





Barnacle



Lizard  
Poppy



Calandrinia



Crow  
Mustard Plant



Western Bluebird  
Trumpet Vine



Squirrel  
Ginkgo



Racoon



Hérons  
Eel Grass



Willet  
Eel Grass



Pelican



Turkey  
Hard Stem bulrush



Opossum



Humming Bird  
Hummingbird  
Sage



Cat  
Jasmine

# Watts Street Plaza

- Inspired by bicycle wheels, this sculpture features rotating elements, creating an interactive experience for viewers to create their own unique papercut compositions
- Material: Stainless steel, acrylic polyurethane paint, anti-graffiti coating
- Dimensions
  - Wheel #1: Length 4', Width 1', Height: 4'
  - Wheel #2: Length 6', Width 1', Height: 7'
  - Wheel #3: Length 5', Width 1', Height: 5.5'





Front



Tern  
Squirrel  
Sworn Tail  
Lizard  
Mushroom  
Mustard Plant

Back



Hard stern Bulrush  
Mustard Plant  
Jasmin  
Mushroom

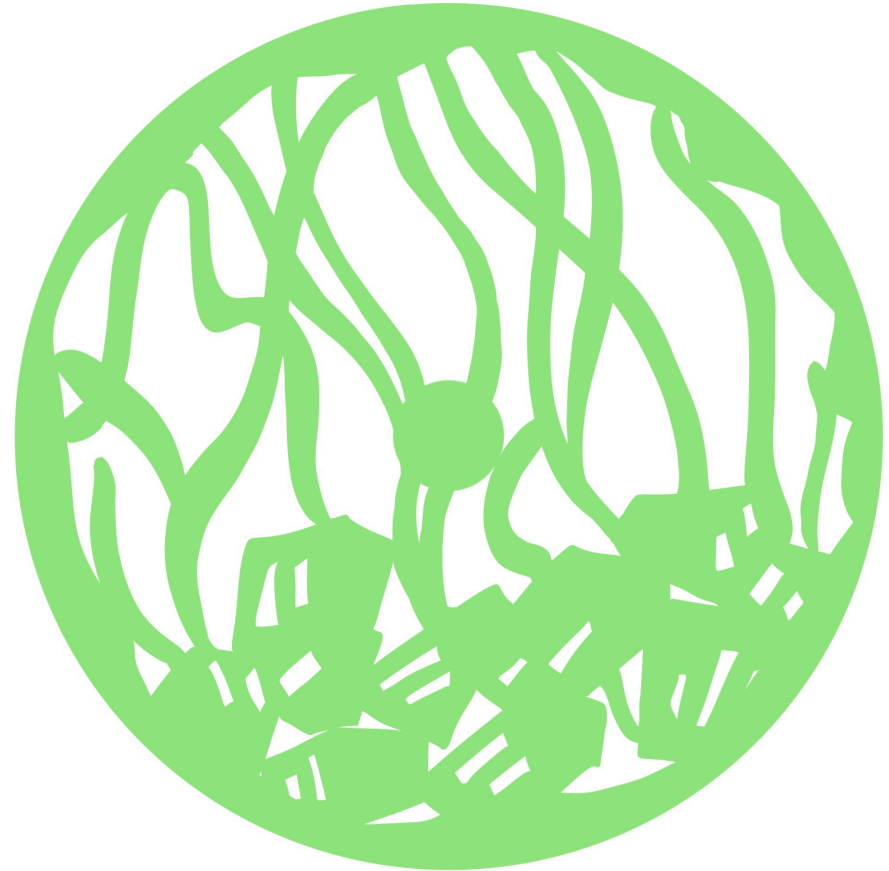


Front



Sea Otter  
Barnacle  
Coot  
Rock Fish  
Sardine

Back



Rip Rap  
Eel Grass

Front



Crow  
Humming Bird  
American Kestrel  
Canada Goose  
Gull

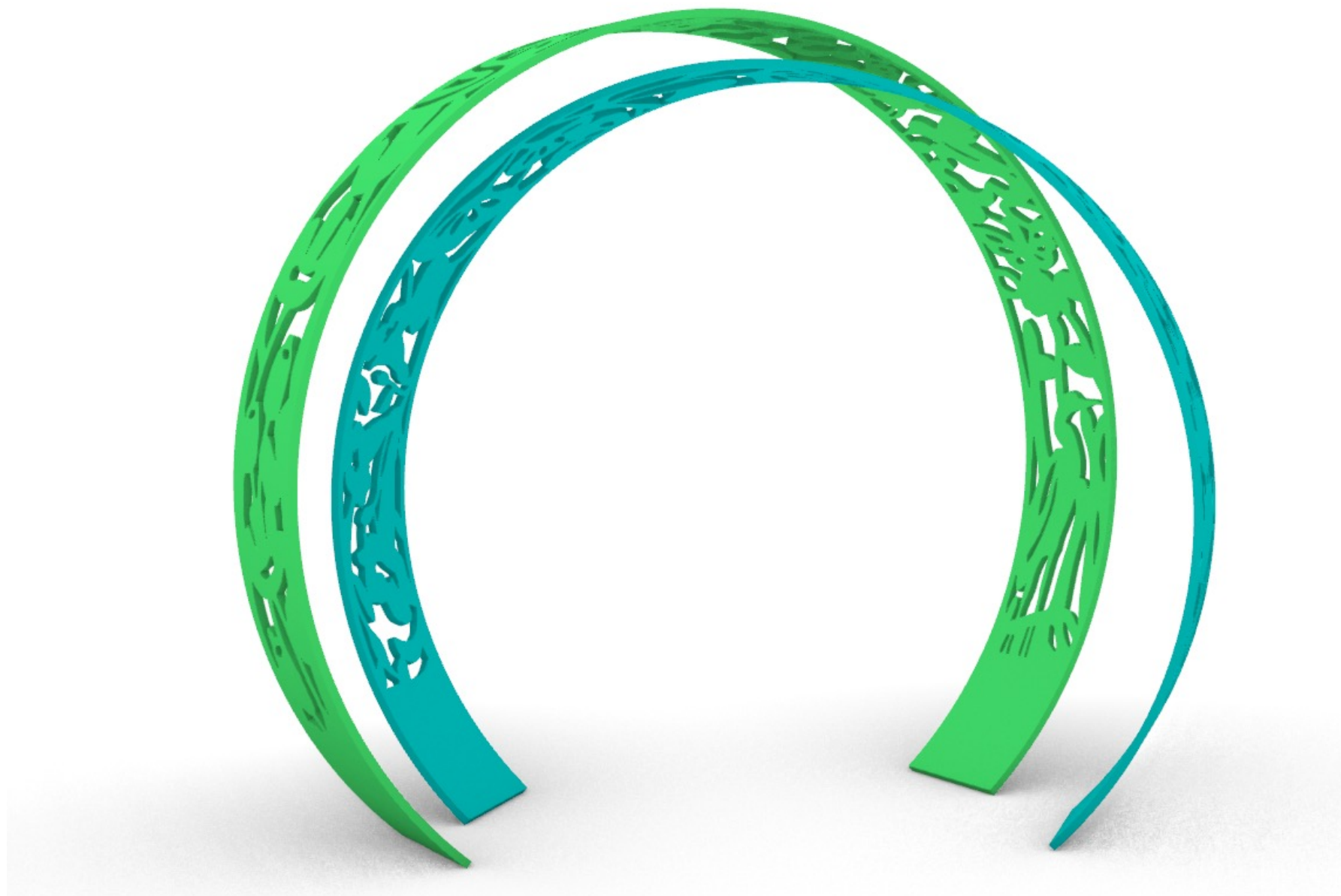
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Sycamore

# Holden Street Plaza

- This placemaking archway work activates and frames the pedestrian space, and creates an interactive experience for the viewers
- Material: Stainless steel, acrylic polyurethane paint, anti-graffiti coating
- Dimensions: Length 10', Width 6', Height: 10







Poppy  
Swallow Tail  
Humming Bird  
Egret  
Eelgrass



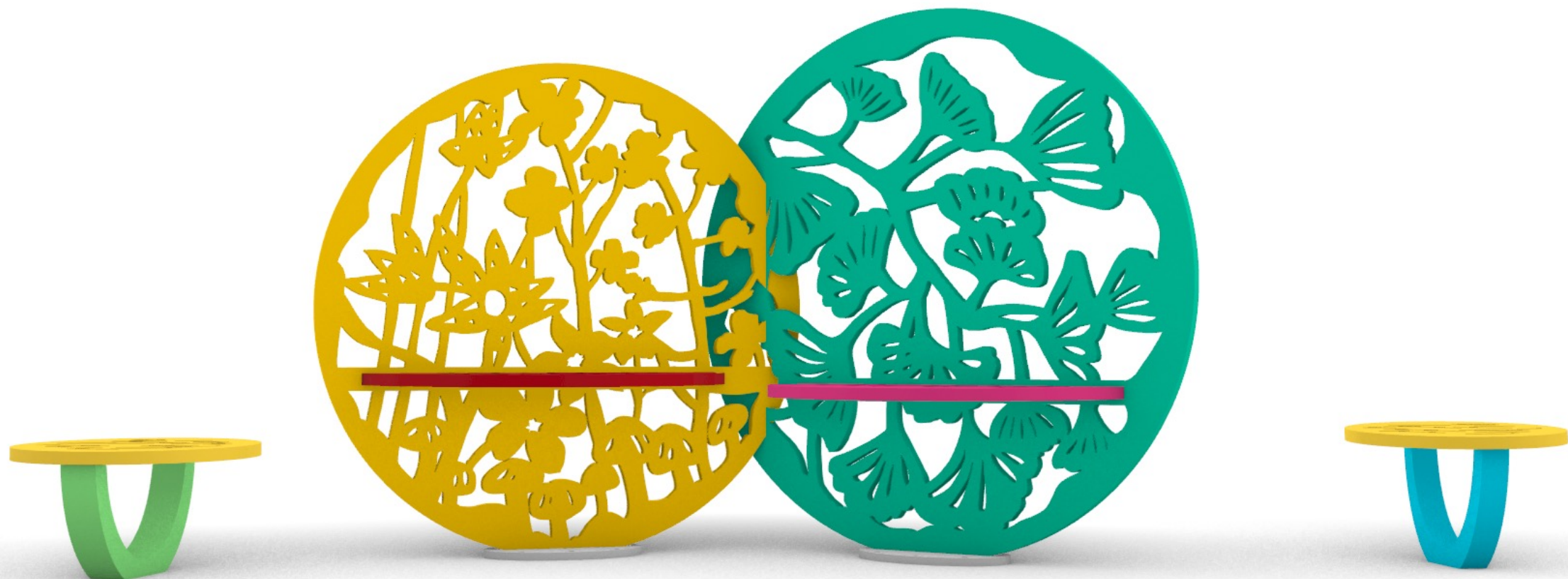
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Trumpet vine  
Ginkgo  
Matilija  
Hummingbird Sage

# Haven Street Plaza

- Inspired by bicycle wheels, this sculpture provides seating areas, and creates an intimate and calm setting for viewers to closely observe the papercut content of each panel
- Material: Stainless steel, acrylic polyurethane paint, anti-graffiti coating
- Dimensions and Weights :
  - Main sculpture: Length 6.6', Width 5', Height 4.3'
  - Stool #1: Length 2', Width 2', Height 1.2'
  - Stool #2: Length 2', Width 2', Height 1.6'





Vertical Panel



Hard Stem Bulrush  
Jasmin  
Mustard Plant  
Mushroom

Sitting Panel



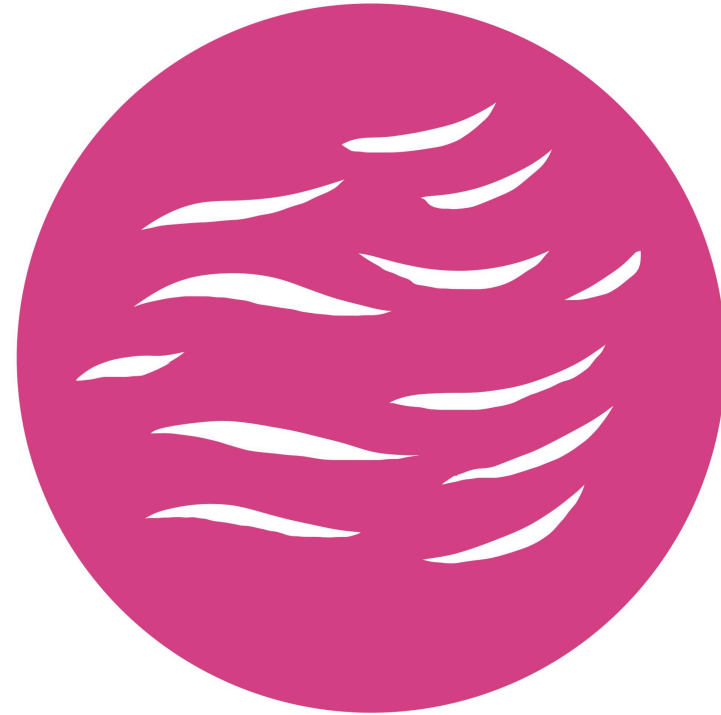
Wave

Vertical Panel



Ginko

Sitting Panel



Wave

Stool Panel



Eel Grass

Stool Panel



Eel Grass



## Preferred alternatives for 40<sup>th</sup> Streetscape Public Art

### Survey

Sijia Chen has prepared two alternatives for three wayfinding sign components as part of the 40<sup>th</sup> Streetscape Public Art Icons and Signage. You are being asked as to your preference between them and if you wish for any other flora or fauna to be added?

#### Question 1

Bike route signage is standard as here:



1. Would you prefer to have this sign modified on the 40<sup>th</sup> Streetscape Project (and possibly other Emeryville Bike route signage) as in A, B or not at all?



a.



b.

c. No change

2. Would you like any flora or fauna added to your preferred image? Y / N

3. If yes what? \_\_\_\_\_ any other changes: \_\_\_\_\_

Bike boulevard signage is found as here typically:



5. Would you prefer to have this sign modified on Emeryville Bike Boulevards as in A, B or not at all?



a.



b

- c. No change to Bike boulevard sign preferred - If so check here ☐

6. Would you like any flora or fauna added to your preferred image? Y/N

7. If yes what? \_\_\_\_\_ Any other changes? \_\_\_\_\_

The 40<sup>th</sup> Streetscape and Citywide Wayfinding Projects are considering a 9 inch circle be mounted on some poles indicating multiple routes and on monument signs. The City logo could alternately be used.



8. Which logo would you like to see as emblematic of the City and the Project as in A, B or are you in favor of not having an icon and using the City logo instead of the new icon?

a.



b.



c. Prefer use of City Logo

9. If you could modify your preferred image how would you? \_\_\_\_\_



Imagery if selected would be integrated with MUTCD and standard signage for easy recognition but a

## Option 1





For visualization only

