

**CIP
EXPENSE DETAIL**

DATE OF COUNCIL CONSIDERATION:

October 24, 2013

CONTACT DEPARTMENT(S):

Economic Development Department

SUBJECT: Authorize negotiation and execution of a design and commission agreement with the artist team of Stan Pipkin and Barna Kantor in an amount not to exceed \$77,000 for artwork for the 8th St. Streetscape Project.

CURRENT YEAR IMPACT:

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| Department: | Public Works Department |
| Project Name: | 8th Street Streetscape - AIPP |
| Fund/Department/Unit: | 8780-6207-1991 |
| Funding Source: | Certificates of Obligation - 1998 Bonds |
| Current Appropriation: | 100,633.00 |
| Unencumbered Balance: | 99,833.00 |
| Amount of This Action: | (77,000.00) |
| Remaining Balance: | <u>22,833.00</u> |

ANALYSIS / ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: The City of Austin Art in Public Places (AIPP) program of the Cultural Arts Division, Economic Development Department, sought to commission a professional visual artist /artist team to design, fabricate and install artwork that strengthens the identity of the 7-block corridor along 8th St. from Congress to West Avenues, in conjunction with the 8th St. Streetscape Project.