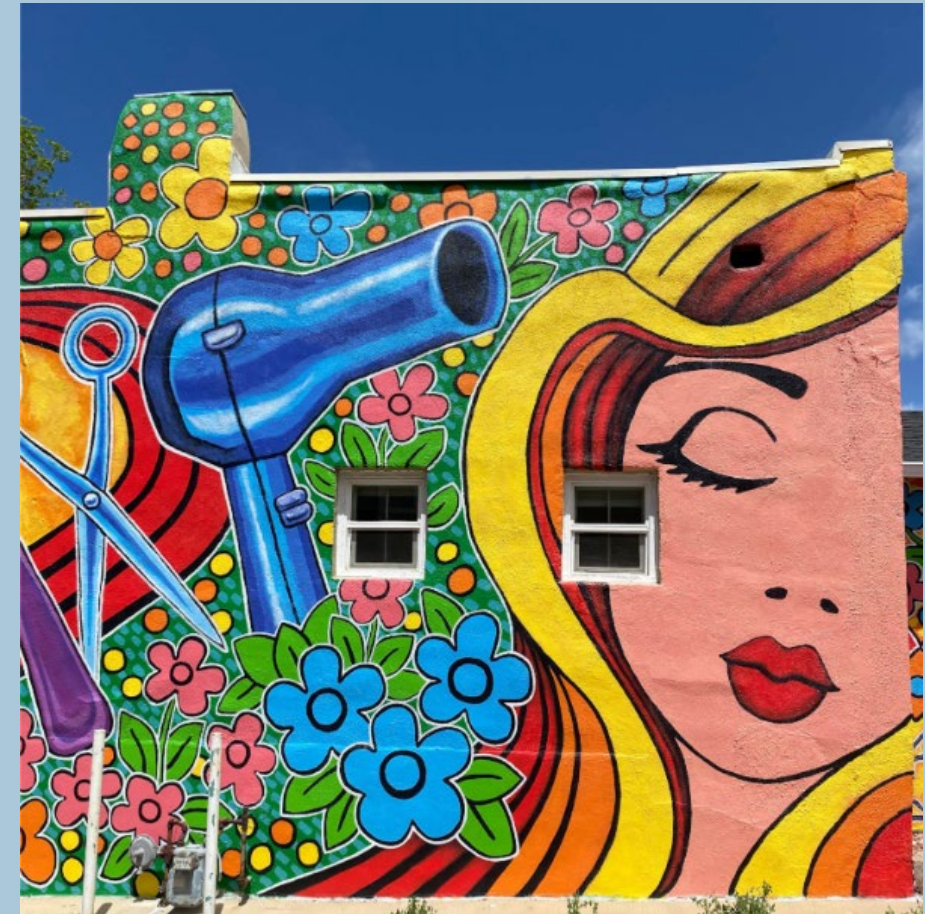


JOINT MEETING WITH THE ARTS & CULTURE BOARD

JD McCrumb, ACB Chair

Denise Weed, ACB Vice-Chair

AUGUST 26, 2025



Untitled by Christine Rose Curry
Evolution Hair Studio, 2025

2025-26 LODGERS TAX GRANT APPLICATIONS

Total Estimated Amount Available for Distribution: \$672,500

Tier I: \$400,000

- Bemis Public Library
- Hudson Gardens
- Littleton Museum
- Town Hall Arts Center

Tier III: \$100,000

- Tourism Marketing

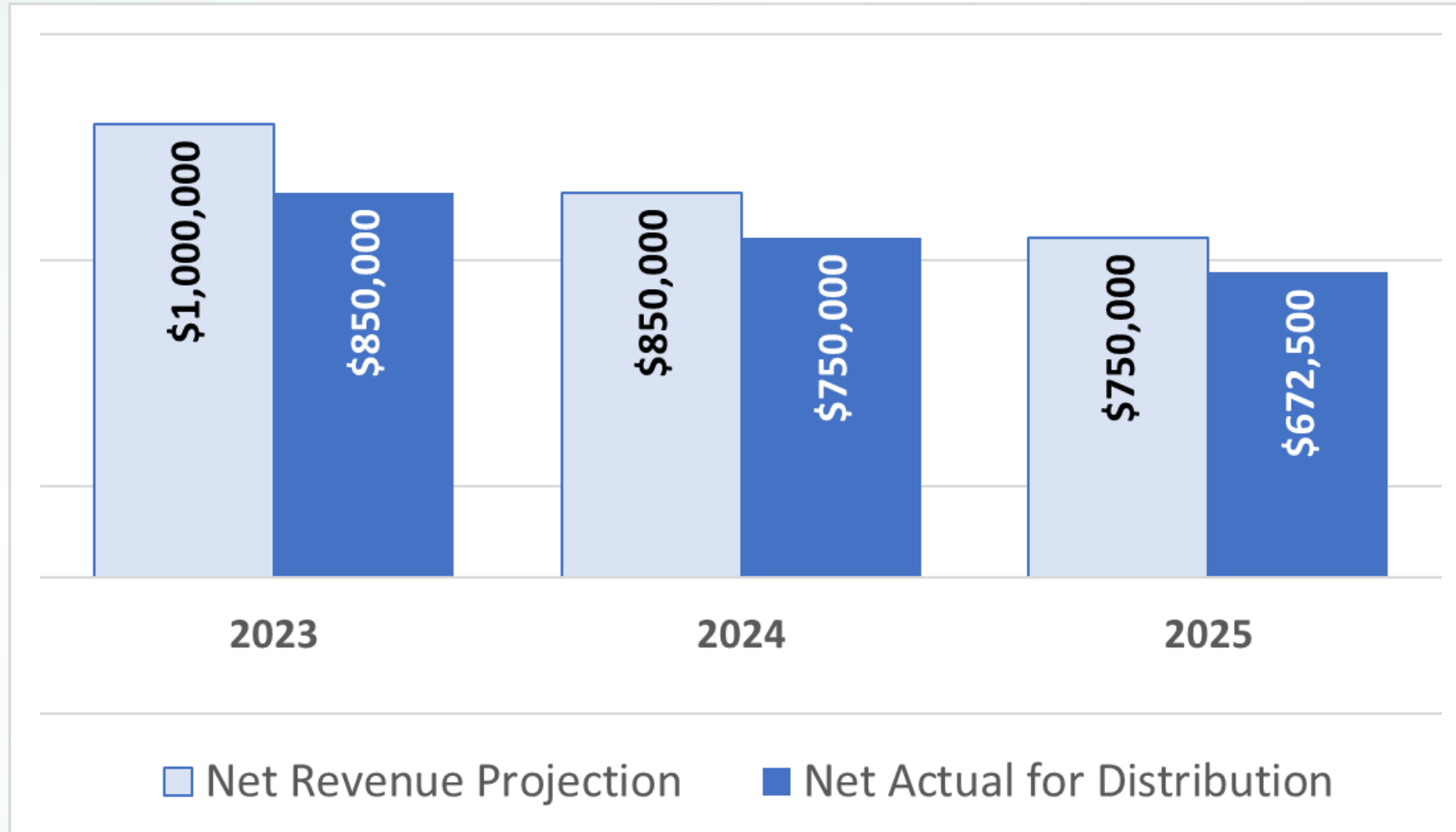
Tier II: \$115,500

- Number of Applications Received: 39
- Total Funds Requested: \$464,000
- Number of Awards Recommended: 17

Tier IV: \$57,000

- Culture and Art Partners
- State of the Arts annual event
- Mural Program
- Off-Cycle Requests

LODGERS TAX REVENUE



DIRECTION FROM COUNCIL

Questions?

Does Council approve ACB's Lodgers Tax funding recommendations?

PERCENT FOR PUBLIC ART OVERVIEW

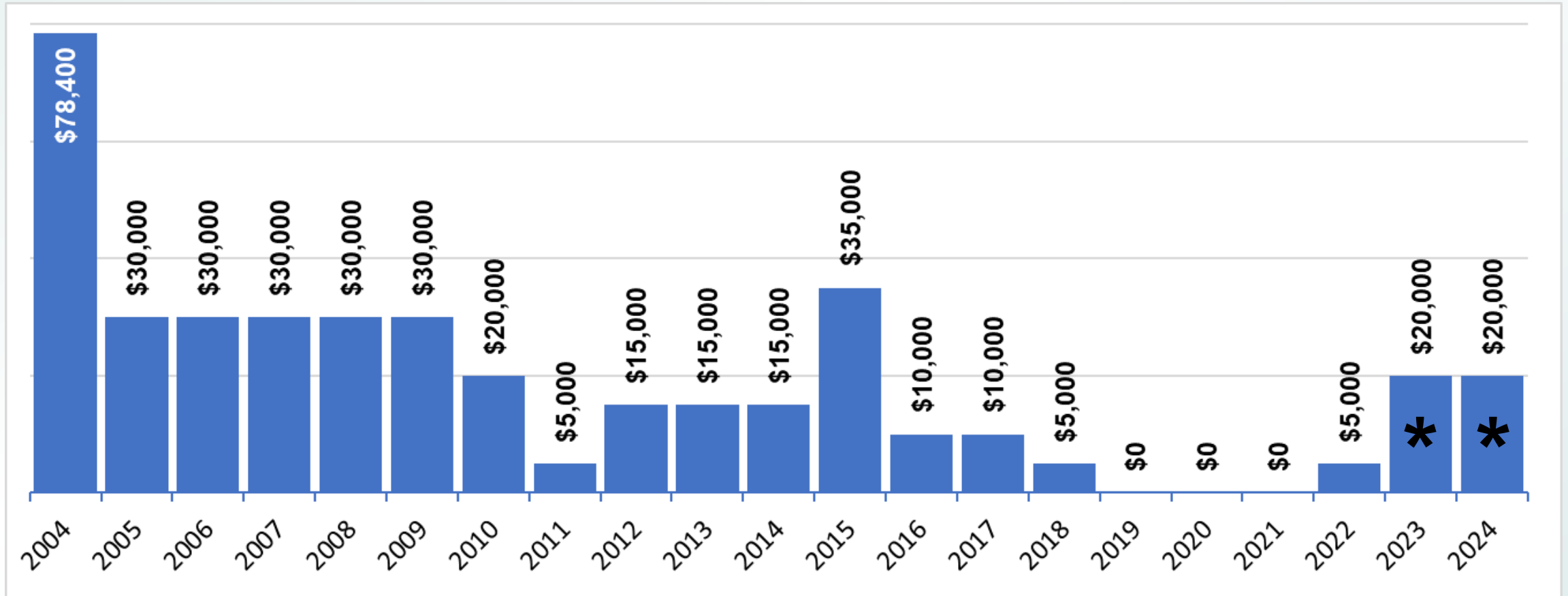


WHAT IS A PERCENT FOR PUBLIC ART PROGRAM?



Percent for Public Art programs allocate a small portion of municipal capital improvement budgets (usually 1.0%) for the purchase, installation, and maintenance of public art. In the US, there are more than 350 Percent for Art programs (the first established in Philadelphia in 1959). Governance and management systems vary.

FUNDING FOR PUBLIC ART IN LITTLETON: 2004-2024



* Mural Program (Lodgers Tax Tier IV)

POLICY REVISIONS BASED ON FEEDBACK

- Draft policy only applied to public projects, does not include private development projects at this time
- 1% surcharge on all eligible public construction projects over \$500,000
- 1% calculated on actual expenditure total reconciled at end of fiscal year
- Excludes non-COL sources of funding (Federal, State, grants, etc.)
- Excludes temporary improvements, repair and maintenance, pavement management, etc.
- Artwork selection led by Public Art Subcommittee of the Arts & Culture Board

DIRECTION FROM COUNCIL

Questions?

ACB requests direction on whether to proceed with the development of a Percent for Public Art program.