

February 1, 2006

Chairperson and Members of the
Parks, Recreation and Community
Resources Advisory Commission

Regular Meeting of
February 7, 2006

Beach Cities Gates Temporary Public Art Proposal

Recommendation

Staff recommends that Commission approve the proposal from Caroline Falk to implement a temporary display of 'gates' designed by local youth located on the greenbelt.

Background

The Community Resources Department received a letter of request (Attachment A) from Caroline Falk dated February 1, 2006. Ms. Falk is requesting approval for a temporary public art program. The intent is to create a venue for artistic exposure to youth populations.

The school districts of Hermosa Beach and Manhattan Beach will facilitate the production of 5,000 'gates' (Attachment B) to be created by school aged children Kindergarten through 8th grade. The flag will be dispersed along the greenbelt through both cities for the duration of one weekend. The unveiling will coincide with the South Park Teen Program at the south end of the City.

Respectfully Submitted,

Lisa Lynn
Community Resources Director