

## **Statement of Interest**

McMow Art Glass is passionate about providing unique public art to enhance beauty through glass within the community. Our team was compelled to produce custom artwork for this specific call due to the proximity and context of the board's special requests. McMow Art Glass has been a leader in art glass mosaic installation for public art for over 45 years. Renowned for its expertise in designing and fabricating intricate glass mosaics, McMow Art Glass has transformed public spaces with its craftsmanship and artistic excellence. The company's dedication to innovation, quality, and community engagement has made it a trusted name, bringing visionary projects to life with aesthetic beauty and durability.

Our studio is located within Lake Worth Beach, a similar historic beachy city, not too far from the site location. We felt familiarity with this call and enthusiastically highlighted the waterfront, native ecology, and artistic culture of Port Salerno.

The center of our rendering features a Brown Pelican perched atop a piling, paying homage to the native bird and welcome graphic to the Historic Port Salerno signage. A Sailfish splashing out of the waters symbolizes the deep-sea sportfishing culture and history of the village. Pink hibiscus, breezy palms, and a fluttering monarch butterfly bring attention to the natural beauty endemic to the region. Our design also showcases the Florida Orange Ridged Sea Star, Queen Conch, Sand Dollar, and Red Coral, celebrating the native biodiversity that makes Port Salerno an ecological paradise. A vibrant and vivid sunset represent the artistic culture of the colorful historic village and art scene.

Our proposed mosaic will integrate seamlessly into the 6'x7' back wall of the site and feature a custom framed perimeter.

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**EDUCATION**

1974-76	Marymount Women's College Boca Raton, Florida	Associates of Arts Degree
1977-79	Florida Atlantic University Boca Raton, Florida	Fine Arts Major

**EMPLOYMENT**

1976- Present	<b>McMow Art Glass, Inc.</b> Lake Worth, Florida President and CEO Custom art glass studio for residential, commercial and liturgical commissions; retail instruction and supplies
1995- Present	<b>Creative Etchings, Inc.</b> Lake Worth, Florida President Custom on-site glass etching operation
2004- Present	<b>Alhambra Art Glass, LLC.</b> West Palm Beach, Florida President Importer of decorative doors and leaded glass for distribution nationally

**COMMISSIONS INCLUDE**

• St. Peter Catholic Church	Jupiter, Florida
• Palm Beach Atlantic University	West Palm Beach, Florida
• Gianni Versace Estate "Casa Casarina"	South Beach, Miami, Florida
• Cudjoe Key Fire Station, AIPP	Cudjoe Key, Florida
• Palm Beach County AIPP, West County Court House	Belle Glade, Florida
• FL Keys Council of Arts, Key West International Airport	Key West, Florida
• FL Keys Council of Arts, Key West International Airport	Key West, Florida – awarded 2019
• AIPP Riverside Library	Hillsborough County, Florida – awarded 2019
• Florida Art in State Buildings, Polk County Health Dept.	Lake Wales, Florida
• The Church of the Good Shepherd	Tequesta, Florida
• Vizcaya	Miami, Florida

**AWARDS**

2017 Athena Award Winner, Chamber of Commerce of the Palm Beaches  
2013 Florida Retail Federation's Retailer of the Year  
2010 Lake Worth Chamber of Commerce Business of the Year  
2009 Lake Worth Chamber of Commerce Business of the Month

**PROFESSIONAL REFERENCES**

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How proposed artwork will appear in finished mosaic form with inclusion of frame



## **Art Glass Mosaic Project Budget**

**Total Project Cost: \$15,000**

**Size: 42 square feet 7' x 6'**

### **1. Artistic Design & Development - \$2,500**

- Initial concept and artwork development
- Two rounds of client revisions
- Colorization, material consultation
- Small-scale (maquette) and full-scale design mock-ups

### **2. Materials - \$4,500**

- Premium hand-cut art glass (multiple types/colors/textures)
- Mosaic setting materials (cement, mesh backing, adhesives)
- Grout, sealant, and edge finishing
- Custom shipping and protective packing (if applicable)

### **3. Fabrication & Labor - \$7,000**

- Custom hand-cutting and assembling of all glass pieces
- Mosaic layout and setting at studio
- Grouting and finishing by skilled artisans

### **4. Professional Installation - \$1,000**

- On-site installation by professional team
- Surface preparation and bonding
- On-site adjustments and touch-ups
- Cleanup and client walk-through





### Cudjoe Key Firestation

Mosaic art glass

12' x 6' x 2"

Artwork for Sale: No

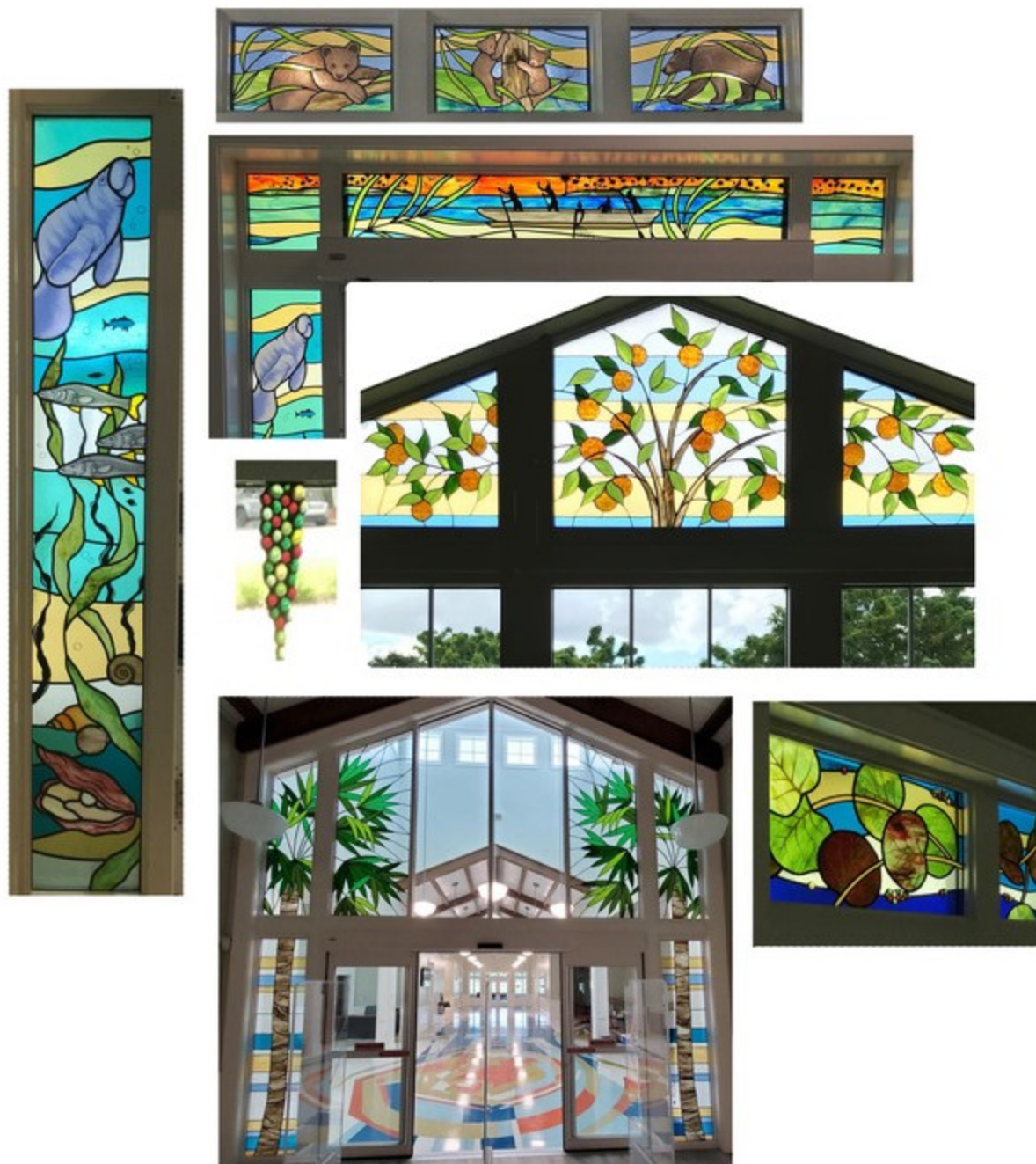
\$75,000.00

2020

Public Art

Art in Public Places: No





**Riverview Public Library**

Stained Glass

12' x 6' x 2"

Artwork for Sale: No

\$150,000.00

2021

Public Art

Art in Public Places: No





**Key West Recreational Facility**

mosaic art glass

6' x 12' x 2"

Artwork for Sale: No

\$45,000.00

2018

Public Art

Art in Public Places: Yes

Location: Key West

Public Art Program: Monroe County