

SUBTITLE 6A. MARYLAND PUBLIC ART INITIATIVE PROGRAM.

4-6A-01.

(A) THERE IS A MARYLAND PUBLIC ART INITIATIVE PROGRAM TO PROMOTE THE INSTALLATION OF ARTWORK IN PUBLIC FACILITIES IN THE STATE.

~~(B) TO FUND THE PROGRAM, THE GOVERNOR SHALL ANNUALLY PROVIDE AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO 0.5% OF THE TOTAL CONSOLIDATED LOAN BUDGET FOR:~~

(B) IT IS THE INTENT OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY THAT, BEGINNING IN FISCAL YEAR 2007 AND IN EACH YEAR THEREAFTER, THE GOVERNOR SHALL APPROPRIATE AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$500,000 \$1,000,000 FOR THE PROGRAM IN THE STATE OPERATING BUDGET OR THE CAPITAL CONSOLIDATED LOAN BUDGET.

(C) PROGRAM FUNDS SHALL BE USED FOR:

(1) THE ACQUISITION OF PUBLIC ART TO BE OWNED BY THE STATE OF MARYLAND;

(2) ~~MAINTENANCE~~ PRESERVATION OF PUBLIC ART ASSETS INCLUDING ASSETS OF THE MARYLAND COMMISSION ON PUBLIC ART; AND

(3) A GRANT FUND AVAILABLE TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS ~~THAT DO NOT HAVE CAPITAL PROJECTS IN THE CONSOLIDATED LOAN BUDGET.~~

~~(C)~~ (D) THE STATE ARTS COUNCIL SHALL DEVELOP REGULATIONS TO IMPLEMENT THE MARYLAND PUBLIC ART INITIATIVE PROGRAM THAT SHALL ADDRESS THE FOLLOWING:

- (1) PROCEDURES FOR ARTIST AND ART SELECTION;
- (2) COMPOSITION OF SELECTION PANELS;
- (3) BUDGET ALLOCATIONS FOR EACH PROJECT;
- (4) LOCAL COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT; AND
- (5) CONSERVATION AND MAINTENANCE CONCERNS.

4-6A-02.

(A) (1) IN THIS ~~SECTION AND UNDER § 4-6A-02 OF THIS~~ SUBTITLE; THE FOLLOWING WORDS HAVE THE MEANINGS INDICATED.

(2) "COMMISSION" MEANS THE MARYLAND COMMISSION ON PUBLIC ART.

(3) "PROGRAM" MEANS THE MARYLAND PUBLIC ART INITIATIVE PROGRAM.

(B) THERE IS A MARYLAND COMMISSION ON PUBLIC ART.

(C) (1) THE COMMISSION CONSISTS OF 11 MEMBERS, 4 OF WHOM ARE INSTITUTIONAL MEMBERS AND 7 OF WHOM ARE PUBLIC MEMBERS.