

Request for Qualifications

Artists for Utility Box Wraps

The City of Lacey (City) is working on a public art project to celebrate the area's rich history, promote community identity, and create an enjoyable and welcoming community experience. This project will transform utility control boxes throughout the City into visually fun and appealing art that reflects the City's history, culture, and diversity.

The City is seeking artists of all ages and abilities to create designs for these utility boxes wraps.

Designs will include important individuals and organizations that have positively impacted the greater community, see **Table A**. For more detailed information on those being recognized see: https://laceyparks.org/utility-wrap-profiles/.

Table A Utility Wrap Themes		
1. 1984 Women's Olympic Marathon	6. Karen Fraser	11. Lacey Women's Club
Trials		
2. Lisa Brodoff & Lynn Grotsky	7. Fred U. Harris Lodge #70	12. Gene Liddell
3. Cecelia Svinth Carpenter	8. Jose "Luvva J" Gutierrez, Jr.	13. Barbara O'Neill
4. Virgil S. Clarkson	9. Vivian Hicks and Gladys	14. Luther J. Wyckoff
	Buroker Minsk Mazowiecki	
5. Evergreen Ballroom	10. Minsk Mazowiecki	15. Barbara Nichols

Utility Box Wrap Projects Steps:

- 1. Review and submit an RFQ.
- 2. City selects artists based on the applicants' qualifications, experience, previous works, and ability to meet the project timeline.
- 3. Artists will create two designs that reflect the theme.
- 4. Successful candidates awarded \$300 for their work.
- 5. Designs are displayed for the community to view and vote on.
- 6. Lacey City Council considers final designs.
- 7. The selected designs put on utility box wraps across the City. Information about the artist and a description of the artwork is published on the City's web page and accessible on the boxes by QR code.

