



call to artists

CLOVERDALE SPORT & ICE COMPLEX – LOBBY ARTWORK

Submission Deadline: April 22, 2024

Design Fee: \$100,000

The City of Surrey invites Expressions of Interest (EOI) to create two large artworks for the lobby of the Cloverdale Sport & Ice Complex.

The Cloverdale Sport & Ice Complex will provide additional ice in Cloverdale to meet the community's needs for ice hockey, figure skating, public lessons, skating sessions and dry-floor summer use for sports such as lacrosse and ball hockey. This new facility is located on 64 Ave east of Bill Reid Millenium Amphitheatre and north of the Cloverdale Fairgrounds.

The lobby has two feature walls to display significant artworks. The two walls directly face each other with one above the reception desk and the other above the main entrance/exit. One artwork will welcome users to the facility, while the other will bid them farewell as they leave. The works would also be viewable from the second floor and staircase.

These walls could support 2D forms, such as paintings or large-scale photographs, or relatively light weight low relief sculptures. All approaches will be considered as long as they meet the weight restrictions outlined below. Artworks should be related and complement each other in form, aesthetics, or concept.



Who is Eligible?

- This call is open to all professional artists and artist teams.
- Applicants must demonstrate the creative expertise and technical skills to manage a project of this scale from concept development to installation.
- Applicants must have the skills to liaise and coordinate with project contractors and municipal staff.

What projects will be considered?

- Concepts must adhere to the technical constraints below
- Concepts must be the original creation of the artist(s) and must not have been previously executed.

Project Goals

- To welcome residents to the facility and animate the lobby
- To enrich public space and bring art into the daily lives of neighbourhood residents



Selection Process

- Proposals will be shortlisted by a selection panel consisting of community members and art professionals.
- The selection process will occur in two phases
- **PHASE 1: Expressions of Interest**
 - Eligible artists will submit an Expression of Interest (EOI)
 - The selection panel will review all eligible submissions and short-list up to 5-7 artists for the next phase
- **PHASE 2: Concept Development**
 - Short-listed artists will be given a project orientation.
 - Each short-listed artist or team will be given an honorarium of \$1,500 to further develop their concept proposal.
 - Proposals will be presented to the selection panel.
 - The selection panel will recommend the final artwork for presentation to the Arts and Culture Advisory Committee.

Site Notes

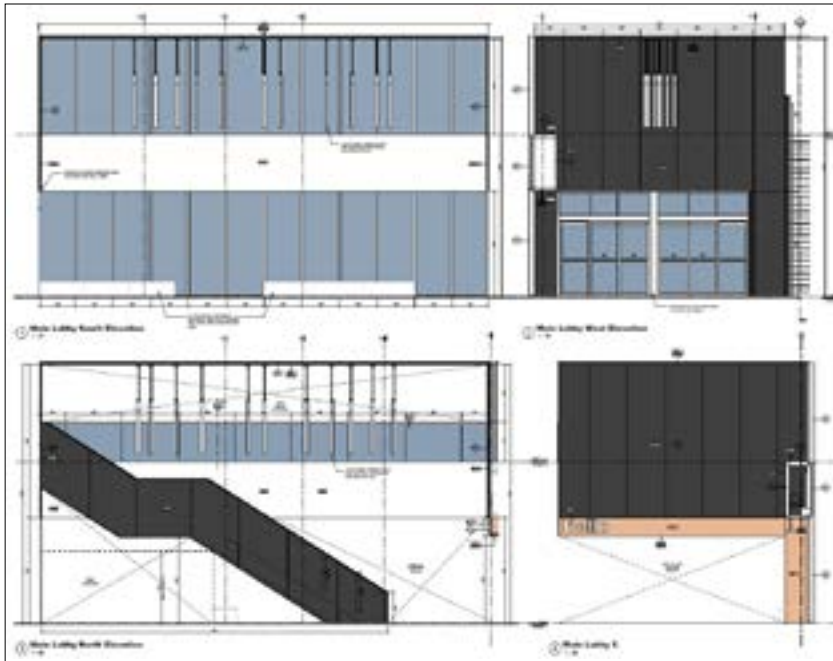
- The Cloverdale Sport & Ice Complex will include three new sheets of ice.
- Along with new ice sheets, the project includes:
 - Seating for 200 spectators per sheet
 - Multi-purpose rooms and community rooms
 - Change rooms and other amenities.
- The new sports and recreation facility has been designed to be energy efficient and meet the highest standards for accessibility.
- When opened, the facility will offer various programs including:
 - Ice hockey
 - Figure skating
 - Public lessons
 - Skating sessions
 - Dry-floor summer use for sports such as lacrosse and ball hockey.
- [Click here](#) for more information about the Cloverdale Sport & Ice Complex.



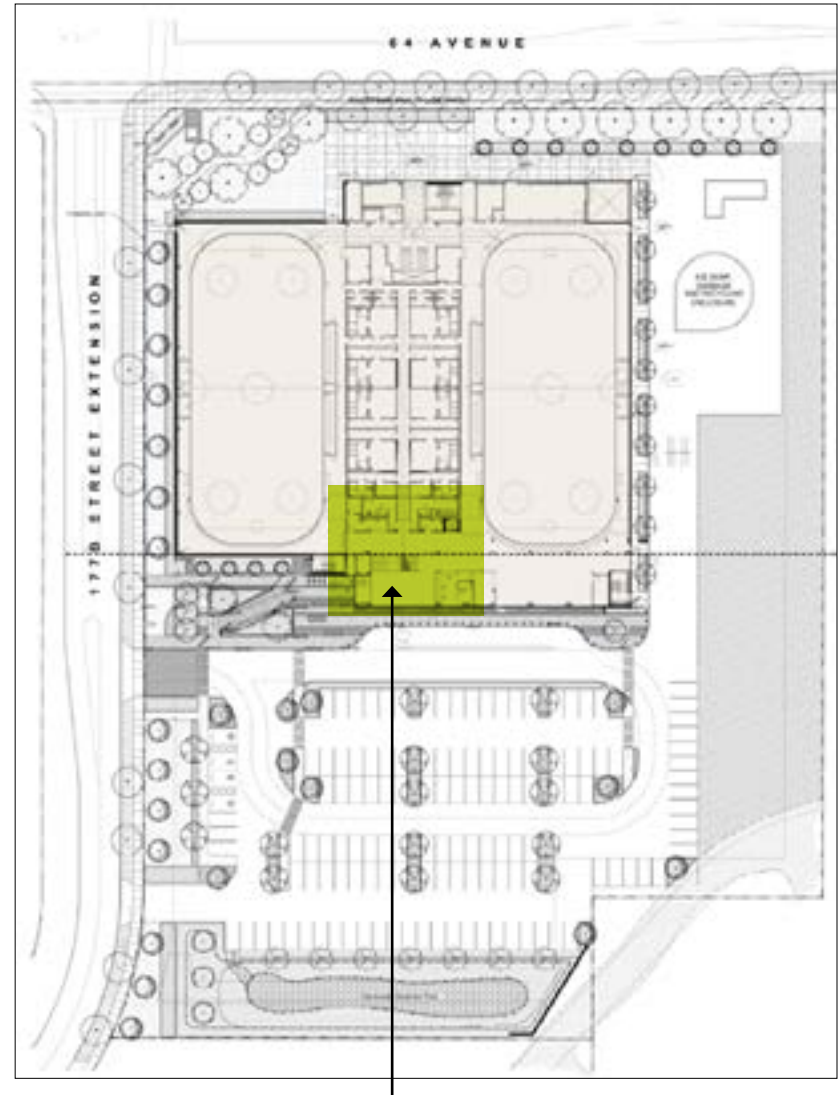
South Elevation



View of Lobby



Lobby: Section View



Site Map

The green square is the location of the lobby.

Technical Considerations

- The lobby has two feature walls for artwork display located above the:
 - Reception desk; and
 - Main entrance/exit
- Each wall measures 12' x 20' (H x W)
- The wall will be gypsum board finish over ¾" plywood backing
- Each wall can accommodate 15 lbs per square foot to a maximum of 3500 lbs, if the weight is distributed evenly across the entire surface

Administrative Notes

- The City respects the intellectual property rights of the artist.
- The artist will retain ownership rights over their proposal and concepts.
- Submitted images will only be shared with the selection panel and will not be used for any other purpose.
- Due to the large number of submissions, only the shortlisted artists selected for the opportunity will be contacted.
- The City reserves the right not to implement the project should circumstances change.

Budget

The budget for the selected artwork is \$100,000.00

- This is inclusive of all costs including:
 - Artist fees
 - Design
 - Materials
 - Insurance
 - Engineering expenses
 - Fabrication
 - Delivery & installation
 - Travel and taxes



Schedule

KEY DATES

March 15	Call for Expressions of Interest announced
April 22	Application deadline
Late April	Phase I Selection Panel
May	Announcement of Short-listed Artists
May – June	Concept Development
Late June	Presentation to Selection Panel
Late June	Phase II Selection Panel
July	Presentation to Advisory Committee
Fall – Winter 2024	Design & Fabrication
Spring 2025	Installation

**Dates are subject to change based on construction*

How to Apply

Please submit an Expression of Interest at:

Email: publicart@surrey.ca

Subject line: **Cloverdale Sport & Ice, Lobby – (Your Name)**

**Deadline for application is
April 22, 2024.**

Your Expression of Interest should contain the following information:

- **Contact Details:** Name, address, email and phone number
- **Letter of Intent:** Outline your artist approach to this project and initial concept ideas (1 page max)
 - *Concept sketches or visuals are not required at this stage, but may be submitted
- **Artist CV:** History of past exhibitions, commissions, education and/or relevant experience
 - If applying as a team, please include one for each team member
- **Bio & Artist Statement:** A brief introduction to who you are and what your practice is about (1 page max)
- **Portfolio:** Up to 10 images of past work
 - Please include titles, date, description and materials
- **Package:** Combine all items into a single PDF document (10mb max)