

# Art in Public Places

## Route 66 Huntington Drive Pedestrian Bridge Art Installation

Monrovia City Council  
July 2, 2024

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# Route 66 in Monrovia

- Originally part the National Old Trails Road
- U.S. Highway 66 was established in 1926
- Original route traveled north on Shamrock Ave and continued west along Foothill Blvd
- Realigned in 1933 along Huntington Drive
- In 2026, Route 66 will celebrate its centennial

# Huntington Drive Bridge





# Selection Process

- Request for Qualifications released in February
- AIPP Committee selected three finalists from 11 submissions
- Finalists received a \$1000 stipend to develop design
- AIPP Committee recommending the design by Monrovia-based artist Ryan Burch

# Design



# Design



TRAVELING WEST



TRAVELING EAST





# Approval and Next Steps

- Approval of design and expenditure of \$60,000
- Execute agreement with artist
- Secure art easement from property owner
- Coordinate installation with Public Works
- Installation to be complete Fall 2024



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