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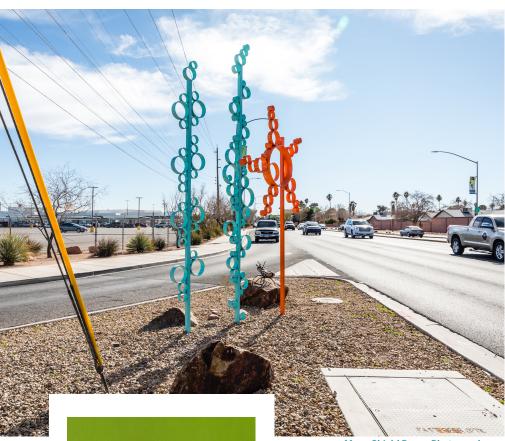


The Contemporary Public Art Program uses city Capital Improvement Project funds to partner with the community, artists and creative teams to present temporary, siteresponsive murals, sculptures, projections, performances and other proposed media on public and private designated property sites.

SUN & WATER BY RANDY MENDRE

Sun & Water (2019 - 2020) uses the universal symbol of a circle in combined forms to represent these essential natural elements.

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Working as Mendre Sculptures, he has worked with private residents, developers, and the City of Las Vegas on numerous projects. In 2014, Randy won the SNWA best landscape award for a resident. Also that year, Randy started 101 Suns where Project. collaborated with Green Our Planet, schools, teachers, and students. His goal is to add a sun sculpture in every school garden in Clark County to inspire young artists.

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