

FREE PUBLIC ART PANEL DISCUSSION

Tuesday, Sept. 19

6:30 – 8:00 PM

Light reception to follow



John Talley and Lance Fung of Fung Collaboratives created this event as part of the public engagement process for continued research for the Redwood City Public Art Master Vision report.

Veterans Memorial Senior Center, Redwood Room
1455 Madison Ave. Redwood City, CA

Please come for a fun-filled evening to listen and engage with Bay Area public art experts **Elise De Marzo**, **Jennifer Easton** and **Robin Lasser**

Elise De Marzo, Public Art Program Director for the City of Palo Alto will share recent and upcoming temporary and permanent public art initiatives in Palo Alto. She will also shed light into how the City of Palo Alto Public Art program has expanded and professionalized in recent years, bringing high caliber artworks in municipal and private development projects that stimulate discussion and thoughtful reflection.

Jennifer Easton, Director of Public Art for BART will explain how she is creating a solid foundation for public art to be embedded through the entire BART system. She will discuss some of the practical and logistical challenges she faces as well as the aesthetic desires and goals. As the former public art director for the City of San Jose, she intends to discuss some of the important aspects of community engagement.

Oakland based artist **Robin Lasser** will illustrate the challenges and successes of creating thoughtful and meaningful art in the public realm through a slide presentation of some of her previous works. As a tenured professor at San Jose State University, her lecture will surely be enlightening as to the public art process from the unique artist's point of view.

A 15-minute Q & A period will take place following the individual presentations

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