

Description of Proposed Work

I am one of four artists commissioned by Amazon Cares to create murals around the city of Seattle inspired by the concept of Care and Caring. Each artist has been tasked with designing and choosing a location for their mural. I have lived in Seattle for nearly 14 years believe Columbia City represents

Title of the mural: "Flourish Together".

My design is inspired by the diverse population of Columbia City and the various diasporas they come from. I have worked closely with Lance Randall and Adam Rose to connect with the community and create something that considers the multi-cultural aspects of Columbia City.

Indigo background

A color that honors and celebrates diasporas of many different backgrounds and cultures. This historic color knits together our many different cultures through shared experiences of travel and community.

PacNW Florals

The electric flowing floral imagery brings together nature and music into a dance of colors, which are widely used in modern PacNW art.

Hands Coming Together

The center of the piece features cyan hands coming together, in a clasp, an embrace, and acceptance. A modern and fluid representation of community.

Outreach to community and comments below:

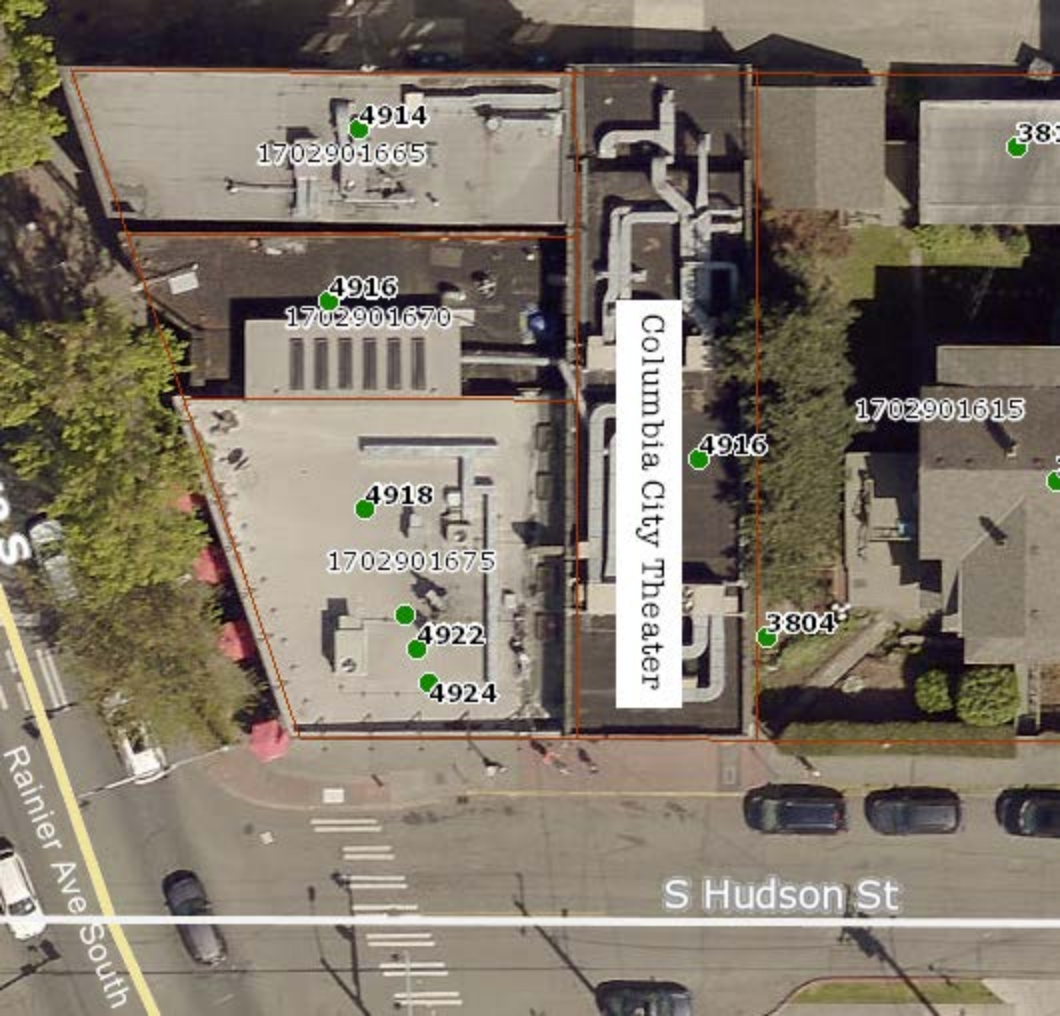
Beautiful murals help bring communities together.

Having public art that represents "this place" adds quality of life to neighborhoods, becomes a landmark ("you know, by that cool mural") builds pride, creates positive expectations and adds joy and quality of life.

The colors, PNW theme and images of hands clasping in this mural are beautiful!

As a member of the community and architect who lives and works in Columbia City, I believe this mural would be a delightful

addition to our neighborhood center. The original brick facade of the Columbia City Theater with no windows is forgettable and easy to walk past without even recognizing that it is an entry to a music/performance venue. The mural adds to the sense of place and the bold, beautiful and vibrant design elevates the building and street corner.



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Columbia City Theater

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Photos of Columbia City Theater, as seen from Rainier, from the west side of the street.



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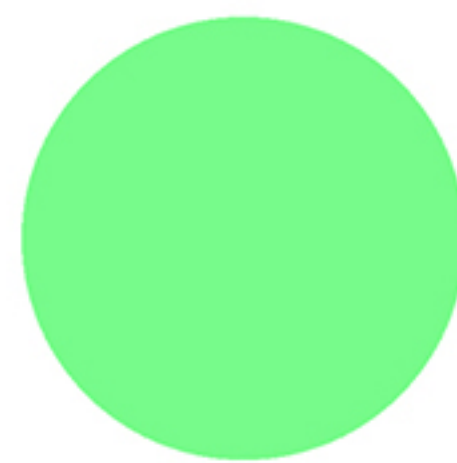
COLOR PALETTE FOR COLUMBIA CITY THEATER MURAL



GOLD



SKY BLUE



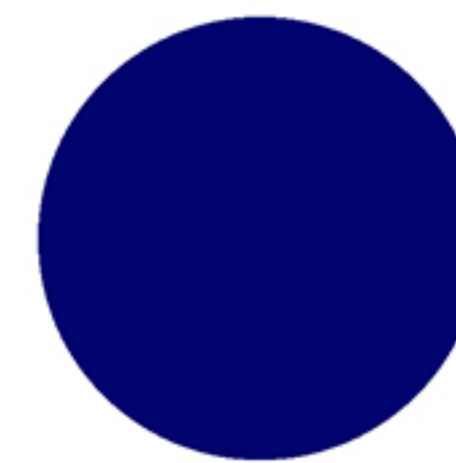
BRIGHT GREEN



GRASS GREEN



FOREST GREEN



INDIGO BLUE

