

Alissa McCain – District 1

**Abstention statement**

While I support funding to relieve the current space and affordability crisis for artists, I am abstaining from this vote due to the unknown effect this additional bond request will have on recommendations previously made by the Bond Election Advisory Task Force. Priority consideration should be given to our cultural centers (Asian American Cultural Center, Carver Museum and Cultural Center, and Mexican American Cultural Center) and the Dougherty Arts Center.