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Item J.6 Downtown art projects

My name is Diana Odom Gunn and I am representing the Merced Downtown Neighborhood Association tonight.

DNA has always pushed for more and better use of art in the downtown area. We want to embrace our thriving arts scene. Art beautifies and distinguishes our community. People respect aesthetically pleasant spaces and will litter less, graffiti less, and vandalize less. Painting the boarded up window covers, painted ugly utility boxes and exposed pipes, artfully dressed trash cans, benches, and more--bring it on!

Let's decorate downtown with art.

Diana Odom Gunn
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