

Waves Of History

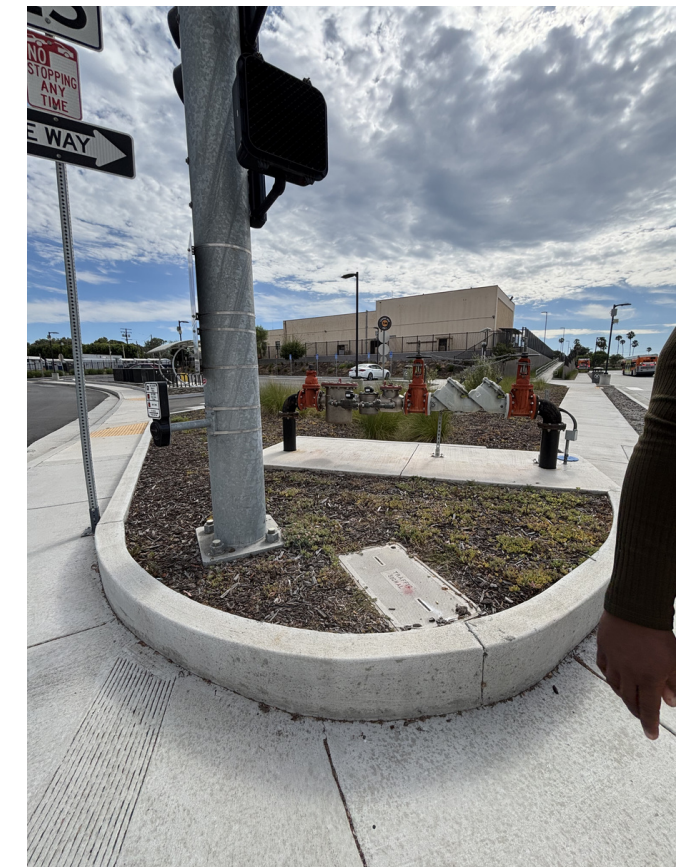
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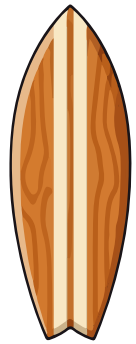
RBTC is located at 1521 Kingsdale Avenue RB

Areas for Possible
Public Art



Thematic Public Art Direction: ‘Waves Of History’

The proposal for an installation using a narrative timeline format, weaving together three eras of local transit, surf culture and coastal ecosystem.

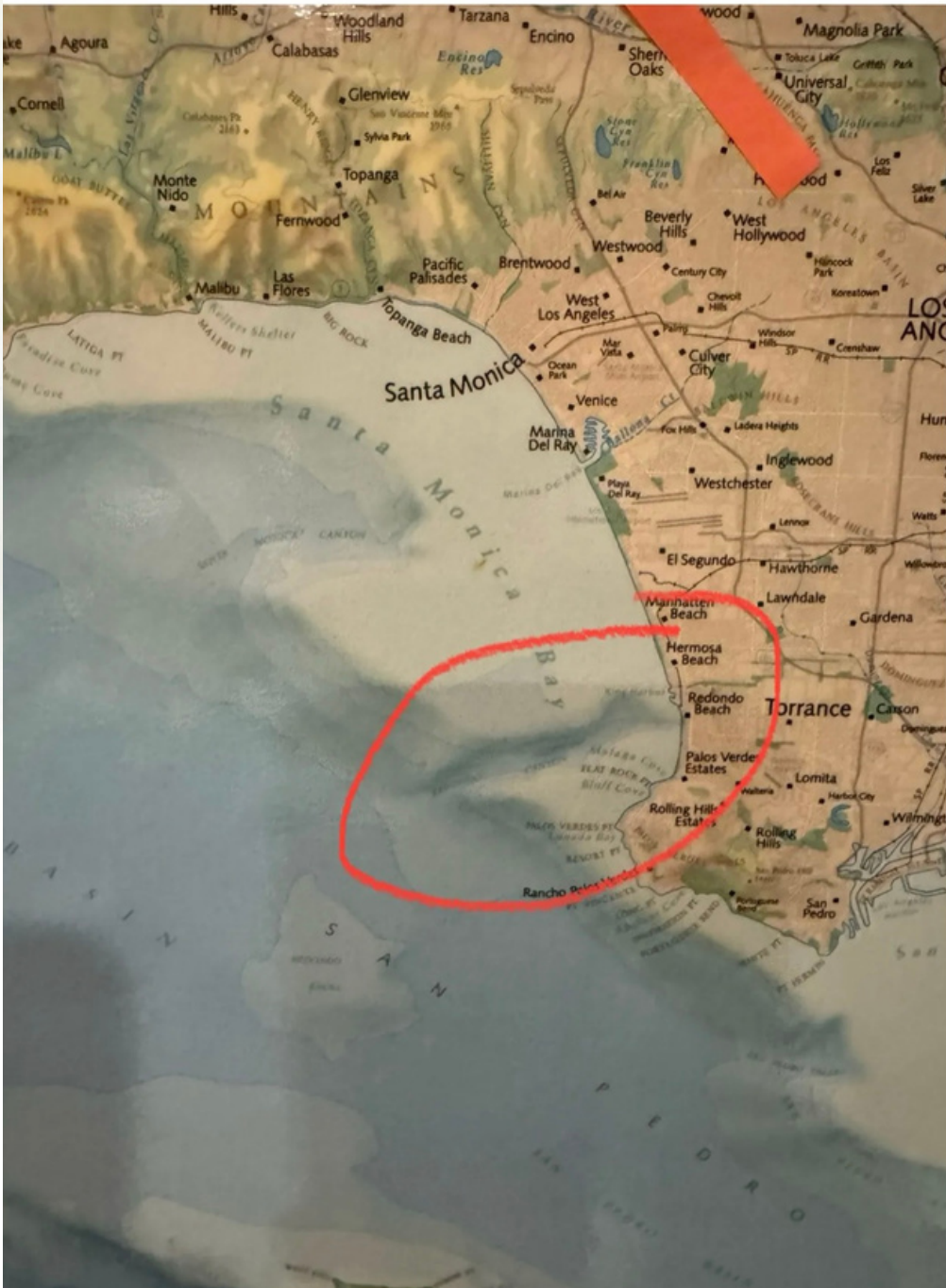


The Rail & Port Era

George Freeth & The Birth Of Surf



The Redondo Beach Submarine Canyon



Material Application For Public Art At RB Transit Center:

- Marine Grade Stainless Steel
- Powder-Coated Structured Steel
- High Fire Vitrified Ceramic Tiles
- Tempered Structural Glass & Kiln-Formed Glass
- Industrial Textures

Materials must feature anti-graffiti coatings & rounded edges for pedestrian safety.

Redondo Beach Transit Center Public Art Goals & Scope:

- To transform a utilitarian commuter space into a cultural gateway that honors local heritage , promotes civic pride, and meets city public art mandates.
- To integrate a structurally sound installation designed to flow fluidly across main plaza and possibly pedestrian transfer pathways that would guide visitors and passengers through three defining “Waves” of Redondo Beach History as they move through the BCTC.

Redondo Beach Transit Center Public Art Concept Ideas:

- Geometric layout arrays mimicking rail lines, switches, and pier pilings
- Sepia tones and historical silhouettes of the classic red car and tall mast ships.
- Fluid, dynamic sweeping curves representing moving ocean waves
- Warm, sun-drenched coastal color palettes (golds, ambers, and deep teals)
- Stylized representations of early redwood surfboards and the iconic silhouette of George Freeth
- Deep, immersive gradients of indigo, navy and bioluminescent blues
- Organic layered patterns representing deep-sea contours, canyon walls, and marine macro-life.
- Subtle use of integrated, low voltage LED lighting to mimic the shimmering depths of underwater trench.