

# City of Palm Desert Public Art Deaccessioning/Relocating Worksheet

Artist: Michael Todd

Title: Lily Pad Bench

Location of work: Sage/El Paseo (south west corner), 73-199 El Paseo A

Name of property: City right-of-way

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Property owner at the time of commission: City of Palm Desert

Year commissioned/purchased: 2004, CC approved 6/10/2004, installed 2/10/2005

Purchase Price / Art in Public Places fee / Value at time of install: \$10,000

Dimensions: Height: \_\_\_\_\_ Width: \_\_\_\_\_ Depth: \_\_\_\_\_ Weight: \_\_\_\_\_

*1 inch thick aluminum plate with 24" diameter circles*

Estimated current fair market value: unknown

Source of estimation: n/a

Proposed deaccession reviewed by City Attorney: Yes: \_\_\_\_\_ No: \_\_\_\_\_

Detailed reason for deaccessioning artwork: Bench is located in front of new restaurant, Shake Shack, 73-199 El Paseo A. The pedestrian path has become more constrained, making the bench more of an obstruction to foot traffic. The City received a complaint from a visitor who reported walking into the bench and sustaining a minor injury.

Proposed deaccessioning method: Staff recommends relocating to a palm desert park and integrating into a shaded, environment.

New location for work (if it is being moved): Civic Center Park.

Condition: \_\_\_\_\_Excellent    XX\_\_\_Good    \_\_\_\_\_Fair    \_\_\_\_\_Poor

Maintenance evaluation and instructions:

Minimal maintenance due to the materials. This piece will be part of the Public Art maintenance schedule.