DART Blue Line Extension
DART Passenger Station (Rowlett)
Art & Design Committee
City of Rowlett
Brief to Mayor & Council
August 17, 2010
Brian Funderbunk
City of Rowlett
07.22.09: Participant Orientation Meeting
08.13.09: Site Tour / Meeting
08.31.09: Workshop I: Brainstorm Session
09.24.09: Workshop II: Design Concepts
01.14.10: Workshop III: Design Development
02.15.10: Workshop IV: Station Design
05.06.10: Artwork Final Approval
Darren Ratajski
Austin Bridge & Road, L.P.
Art & Design Committee
Committee Members (Design)

Parsons – Brinkerhoff
KAI Texas
Caye Cook & Associates
PWR Solutions
Austin Bridge & Road, L.P.
The inspiration for the Rowlett Station artistic design was derived from the community’s values of history, family, education, and environment. The following two quotes that contributed to the design are from two eminent individuals who lived in two distinct eras. - Viola Delgado

“In every conceivable manner, the family is [a] link to our past, bridge to our future” – Alex Haley

“The great thing in the world is not so much where we stand, as in what direction we are moving.” – Oliver Wendell Holmes
The use of movement, color and line is the common factor in the interpretation of these values, whether they appear in paintings, images or words. It is my hope that passengers viewing the art will take something personal and meaningful away with them – something that will enhance and add quality to their lives. – Viola Delgado
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Artwork Concept (Panels)
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“Listen as the wind directs your spirit...”
“Tranquility is found within the stillness of the soul.”
“What is a flower with a drop of falling rain if not a breath of fresh air,”
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“Music is the voice of the instruments. It is a conversation among themselves, which we are privileged to overhear....”
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Artwork Concept (Windscreen)
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The leaf in the wind is impossible to hold....
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Artwork Concept (Medallion)
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John Lidbury
KAI
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Landscape
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Station Rendering
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Windscreen Rendering

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Landscape (Aquatics)

UMBRELLA PLANT
HORSETAI
LOUISIANA IRIS

FROG FRUIT
SPIKE RUSH
BOG SAGE
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Landscape (Groundcover, Perennials, Lawn)

BIG BLUE LIRIOPE

GIANT LIRIOPE

ASIAN JASMINE

HARDY BLUE ASTER

CRINUM LILY

BERMUDA
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Landscape (Large Trees)

- BUR OAK
- CEDAR ELM
- CHINQUAPIN OAK
- LIVE OAK
- RED OAK
- MONTEZUMA BALD CYPRESS