

Gallery Team Memorandum

To: Tom Thomson Art Gallery Advisory Committee

From: Art Collection Team

Date: October 15, 2024

Re: Update Report: Art Collection Team

The Art Collection Team met on Thursday, August 29, 2024, when three main topics were discussed. First, the Team reviewed the Collection Policy, and no concerns were raised. Second, the staff updated the Team about the HVAC Renovation Project, and third, the Team made recommendations to the staff concerning acquisition strategies when staff resources would be greatly reduced during the HVAC Renovation Project. The Team suggested that staff should explain to the donor about the temporary current HVAC Renovation Project and that decisions about new acquisitions will not be made until after the project's completion.

Respectfully submitted,

David G. Taylor, Chair, Art Collection Team, and Liaison to the Advisory Committee, October 15, 2024