

SERVICE NOTICE

Follow up #1: Local Law 163 of 2021: Artwork on Temporary Protective Structures

Beginning October 27, 2023, owners who answer 'Yes' to question 11 on the PW1 for a sidewalk shed, construction fence, or supported scaffold in DOB NOW will be required to provide the reason for opting out of the requirement to display approved artwork on the temporary protective structure.

Artwork on Temporary Protective Structures
11. Are you opting out of the requirement to install artwork on temporary protective structures (sidewalk sheds, construction fences, and supported scaffolds that have been installed for at least 90 days)? If no is selected, an approval letter from the NYC Department of Cultural Affairs (DCLA) will be a Required Document. (NYC Building Code 3307.11)*
● Yes
12. Reason: (select one)*
Property is City-owned and funding has not been appropriated for the display of artwork.
 Project receives capital funding from New York City and funding has not been appropriated for the display of artwork.
The DCLA City Canvas art program has not yet been implemented.
The proposed alternative artwork has not yet been approved by DCLA.
○ Other

Temporary Protective Structures Installed Before September 1, 2023

Temporary protective structures installed before September 1, 2023, are not required to display artwork under Local Law 63 of 2021. Owners who would like to participate in the City Canvas program and display artwork on a sidewalk shed, construction fence, or supported scaffold installed before September 1, 2023, should file a Post Approval Amendment (PAA) in DOB NOW and answer No to the above question on the PW1. You will be required to upload a DCLA Approval of Artwork Required Document and submit revised plans.

DOB NOW Inquiries & Support

To submit an inquiry about DOB NOW, visit the **DOB NOW Help Form** at **nyc.gov/dobnowhelp**.