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**SACRAMENTO METROPOLITAN ARTS COMMISSION—ART IN  
PUBLIC PLACES:  
TWO NEW EXHIBITS OPEN THIS MONTH AT SMUD AND  
SACRAMENTO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT GALLERIES**

**SMUD ART EXHIBIT**

LOCATION: SMUD Art Gallery, 6301 S St. (at 65th St), Sacramento

DATES: April 18 - May 30

RECEPTION: Friday, April 25th 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 pm

FREE TO THE PUBLIC

EXHIBIT TITLE: **Hidden Sacramento**

ARTISTS: Carol Abbe, Sandra Beard, Marlene Dulay, Alice Fong, Jane Garofalo, Anne Gregory, Allan Gordon, Linda Katzdorn, Dixie Laws, Robert Leach, Laura Llano, Patricia Tool Mchugh, Sue Roper, Rita Szuszkiewics

IMAGE ATTACHED: “Cache Creek” etching by Robert Leach

The SMUD Gallery presents the work of fourteen professional artists sharing their passion for the mysterious hidden spaces of the Sacramento area that are dear to their hearts. The exhibition will feature artwork in a broad range of mediums from printmaking to paintings and drawings.

The show will be on display at the SMUD Art Gallery from April 18 - May 30 in the lobby of the SMUD Energy and Technology Center at 6301 S St. in Sacramento. A reception - free to the public - will be held on Friday, April 25th from 5:00 - 7:00 pm.

The SMUD Art Gallery is a partnership between the Sacramento Municipal Utility District and the Sacramento Metropolitan Arts Commission with additional support from the City and County of Sacramento.

**SACRAMENTO INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT EXHIBIT**

LOCATION: Sacramento International Airport, Terminal B

DATES: April 11 - July 9

FREE TO PUBLIC

EXHIBIT TITLE: **Underwater: Examining the Beauty of Sacramento's Rivers**

ARTIST: Lynnette Diem

IMAGE ATTACHED: "Equilibrium", 2006 Oil on canvas 30" x 24"

An exhibition of paintings in oil and acrylic by Lynnette Diem is currently on display throughout Terminal B at Sacramento International Airport. The artwork captures the changing light, color, and rhythm of water as it flows over the smooth surface of rocks in the riverbed. Soothing natural colors flow across the surface of her canvasses to capture the meditative moments of a languorous drift along the river.

The Sacramento International Airport Gallery is facilitated through the Sacramento Metropolitan Arts Commission, a City/County Agency, and in cooperation with the Sacramento County Airport System. For further information on programs and opportunities through the Sacramento Metropolitan Arts Commission go to: [www.sacmetroarts.com](http://www.sacmetroarts.com)  
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Some of these artworks are on display in the secure concourses and can only be viewed by ticketed passengers. Free parking for the first half hour is available in the Terminal B Hourly Parking Lot.

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