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Stockton Arts Commission Hosts Ribbon Cutting Celebration Market Parking Garage Mural Unveiling – August 1

STOCKTON, Calif. – The Stockton Arts Commission will host a ribbon cutting celebration, unveiling Stockton's newest mural at the Market Parking Garage, Thursday, August 1, 2024, 9:00 a.m., at the corner of E. Market St and S. Sutter St., 430 E. Market St. This celebration is open to all members of the community.

The mural "Winged Wanderers" was designed and created by artist Charly Malpass, depicting monarch butterflies fluttering above a map of Stockton, with vibrant orange and black hues. The monarch butterflies appear as though paused mid-flight to admire the landmarks and streets. The presence and perspective of butterflies adds a touch of enchantment to the composition, evoking a sense of serenity and harmony between nature and urban life.

This celebration is a testament to the power of collaboration between artists and the community and shows the shared commitment to enriching public spaces that define our community. For more information about the program that has made this mural and other art in public spaces possible, visit www.stocktonca.gov/PublicArt or call (209) 937-8206.

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