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***Love Letters Sculpture is Latest Addition to Beverly Hills Public Art Collection***  
*Universal Theme of Love selected by Mayor Gold sits at Public Works Building*



*Beverly Hills, Calif. – Love Letters* sculpture is the latest addition to Beverly Hills Public Art collection. Beverly Hills Mayor Julian Gold selected a sculpture entitled “*Love Letters*” as the Mayor’s Purchase Award from the spring Beverly Hills artSHOW and it was installed this week at the Public Works building on Foothill Drive. After six months of fabrication and art space preparation, the piece is now available for public viewing.

“It must be love,” says Mayor Julian Gold. “When I walked through the art show, it was difficult to make a decision because I was so impressed by the terrific art. But when I came upon this sculpture, it just spoke to me and I knew it was the right piece. At that point, it was an easy decision.”

Love Letters is the work of artist Charles Sherman of the Charles Sherman Infinity Sculpture and Design Studio in Los Angeles. “Love Letters is a powerful, iconic symbol, a monumental kiss and hug, that expresses a universal message of love,” says Sherman. “This playful, giant kiss and hug sculpture hopefully generates a smile in all who see it.”

The City of Beverly Hills is committed to arts and culture with over 70 pieces of public art on display throughout the city.

To learn more about Beverly Hills Public Art, go to [www.beverlyhills.org/publicart](http://www.beverlyhills.org/publicart).

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