



Ice sculpture for north end of lobby



Water sculpture for north end of lobby

Ice and Water By **Barbara Baer** / 2017

As part of the City of Fort Collins Art in Public Places program, Denver artist Barbara Baer created two sculptures in the newly remodeled Edora Pool and Ice Center (EPIC) lobby. Suspended from the lobby ceiling, the sculptural shapes act like a mobile, gently moving in the space with the air currents.

The artwork is inspired by the uses of the building, Ice and Water. The sculptures' colored panels are inspired by ice crystals formed on a window pane and by a tumbling mountain stream. The artworks act as wayfinding elements. Enter on the south side with the water ripples painted across the transparent panels, and you will be heading toward the pool area of the building. Enter on the north side of the lobby with the ice crystals, and you'll be heading in the direction of the ice rinks.

Barbara Baer also created the artwork on the exterior wall and the illuminated main lobby wall at the Fort Collins Lincoln Center for the City of Fort Collins Art in Public Places program.



Artist Barbara Baer and the panels for her two sculptures in the EPIC lobby

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