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Jake McConnell

ARTS & EXHIBITS

Montalvo repurposes advertising spaces

Through July 31, Montalvo Arts Center is presenting original artworks around the Bay Area in their new public exhibition "lone some." The 25 works, which will be on view on billboards in San Francisco, Berkeley, Oakland, Santa Clara and East San Jose and at bus shelters on the Peninsula, will

transform spaces traditionally used for advertising into canvases where local artists and poets explore concepts of what it means to experience loneliness in this time of social distance.

Work will also be on display in Montalvo's public park and entry foyer (visible from the

street) in Saratoga. Artists include Lucas Artists fellow Chloë Bass, Modesto Covarrubias, Leena Joshi, Jane Chang Mi, Susan O'Malley and Alyson Provax.

A detailed map of where the works can be seen is available at montalvoarts.org.

— Tony Bravo

"lone some": Public art on display through July 31. Montalvo Arts Center, 15400 Montalvo Road, Saratoga and throughout the Bay Area. www.montalvoarts.org