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Jazz, art to be part of the Saturday Augusta Sculpture Trail reveal

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Pieces of Augusta's Sculpture Trail entitled, left to right, "Maestro", "Unstoppable", "Orion", and "Popsicles". Staff photo

The Augusta Sculpture Trail has been a four-month project by the Greater Augusta Arts Council and consists of 11 sculptures, two of which are part of a set, spread out across the downtown Augusta area.

Spokeswoman Rhian Swain said the ceremony is Saturday, Feb. 6, from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Augusta Common on Reynolds Street. Speakers include Mayor Hardie Davis, Bennish Brown of the Augusta Convention and Visitors Bureau, Commissioner Sean Frampton, Greater Augusta Arts Council Executive Director Brenda Durant, Downtown Development Authority Executive Director Margaret Woodard and Emcee Jay Markwalter of the Georgia Convention and Visitors Bureau.

Live music will be provided by Karen Gordon, director of Garden City Jazz. Live painting will be done by local artist Billy S.

Several sculptures are located along Broad Street, four are on the Augusta Common, and two have been placed at the Riverwalk 8th Street Bulkhead.

A digital walking tour is available on an app that gives details on each sculpture. The app is free to download on the Apple App Store and the Google Play Store.

For more information about the sculpture trail visit AugustaSculptureTrail.com.