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Art We Like of the Day: Artist [Beth Grossman](#) photographed the rear-ends of the mayor, the fire chief, a police commander, and several City Council members from the San Francisco-adjacent city of Brisbane, and printed the results on upholstered chair seats as part of her latest art project, "Seats of Power" — currently hanging at Brisbane's City Hall.

From *The Los Angeles Times*:

The mayor and City Council members said they were startled at first by Grossman's proposal. But after she assured them that they would keep their clothes on, all five council members and various top officials agreed.

"I don't mind being the butt of jokes," Richardson said. "I thought it would help us loosen up."

Councilman Clarke Conway, standing next to his seat, said he laughed when Grossman first called. "The way she posed it I didn't think I had a choice," he said. "Show me now or show me later."

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