ART UNDER THE ELEVATED PROPOSAL UPDATE

Projected Swimmers: A video projection of swimmers under the elevated

Description
Video of people swimming shot from above will be projected under the elevated to appear as if they are defying gravity, making an unusual, a magical evening space, reflecting on the community’s connection to water. I plan to capture swimming video of locals. I’ll host a workshop on Observation: Drawing Nocturnal Sea Life with RWA. Materials: Projectors, mounting brackets and electric cables.

UPDATE:
The good news is I have secured a outdoor projector housing donation, which would have eaten up most of the budget.

After several conversations with Ana, two architects, and two engineers we have come to the conclusion the project is feasible under the constraints and will need to be flexible as to how it will be implemented due to a variety of permissions from developers and the city. I have outlined them here:
Options in order of preference:

1) Averne Properties agrees to lend space in their private area under beach 67th with power from MTA

2) Use your RWA solar panels in any of the designated locations as a source of power.

3) Use power from the RWA building and project from a RWA window on the side of the elevated, seeing swimmers swim across instead of underneath the elevated.

4) Use power from the RWA building by running power across the street with protectors [http://www.cableorganizer.com/cord-covers/high-capacity-covers.htm](http://www.cableorganizer.com/cord-covers/high-capacity-covers.htm)

5) Run a generator and let the projection only take place for one night under supervision.

Project idea adaptation:

6) Idea A) **Murals portraits of local swimmers & a video about people and water**
Murals portraits of local swimmers would be painted in a variety of locations along the underpass. This could include a montage video of the swimmers speaking about water and being in water. The video would be played in RWA space and online.
7) Idea B) **A big anamorphic swimmer mural**
One giant swimmer across an angled surface to be seen from one perspective.

Reference of the illusion here:
http://illusion.scene360.com/art/76452/truly-design-anamorphic/