

Lange Nacht der DEMOKRATIE



TEASER-VERANSTALTUNG

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Lange Nacht der
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18-1 UHR
30 KOMMUNEN
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CELEBRATING 30 YEARS OF GERMAN REUNIFICATION WITH ART IN THE PUBLIC SPHERE

Nothing represented the German division more than the wall that separated West and East Berlin for more than a quarter century. An original piece of the Berlin Wall was donated to the Free State of Bavaria by Johannes Singhammer, the former Vice President of the German Parliament, in 1996. It found a new home along Königinstraße in Munich. The sculptor Joachim Maria Hoppe contributed a „Memorial for Freedom and Reunification“ – three sloping panels that represent the fall of the Berlin Wall in 1989.

October 3, 2020, marks the launch of yet another, if temporary, art installation – a steel-light-sculpture designed by Berkan Karpat and Rainer Lud-

wig that creates the illusion of a permeable wall for passersby.

The world celebrated the perseverance of democratic ideals and human rights when the wall fell in 1989 and the two „Germanies“ reunited in 1990. As we remember these crucial moments in history, we shall continue to work on advancing these universal values.

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