

August 2020 News Brief

Do you have a Public Art project or news about your program for the newsletter? We'd love to hear from you! Please submit the information to us via <u>this form</u>.

Calls to Artists

Clearwater, FL

The Clearwater Public Art & Design Program seeks an artist or artist team to develop artwork for the Crest Lake Park renovation project. Improvements at the park include construction of wider sidewalks around the lake and through the park, four new play areas including a splash pad, a lighted fountain in the lake, and improved parking. Native plantings and rain gardens are also being constructed to help improve Crest Lake's water quality and to increase opportunities for wildlife habitat.

Artwork possibilities include, but not limited to:

- Discovery trail sculpture series

- Small to medium-sized sculpture, free-standing or integrated into landscaping

- Kinetic sculpture

\$62,000 has been approved for artwork

Application Deadline: Monday, September 14, 2020

Project Website: https://www.myclearwater.com/government/city-

departments/city-manager/arts-culture/call-to-artists

Call to Artists: Click Here

Project Schematic: Click Here

Clearwater, FL

The city of Clearwater's Community Redevelopment Agency (CRA), in partnership with the Clearwater Public Art and Design Program, is seeking artists to design and paint a series of murals on public and private properties throughout Downtown Clearwater.

Applications are open for artists from Aug. 1 - Sept. 1, 2020.

Finalists will be notified by Sept. 18.

The stipend for each mural will range from \$5,000 - \$20,000 depending on the size and complexity of the artwork.

Artists are welcome to use Clearwater's history, signature events and physical environment as inspiration.

Murals must be completed by January 31, 2021.

Call to Artists: Click Here

Apply at: bit.ly/clwmuralsphase2

More details can be found at: <u>https://downtownclearwater.com/mural-program/</u>

Orlando, FL



The City of Orlando has at \$350,000 commission available for a sculpture in the downtown area near Interstate 4. Artist must submit examples of their work (3 to 6 images)

Application Deadline: August 27, 2020

Project Website: <u>https://www.downtownorlando.com/News-</u> <u>Info/News/Artist-Needed-for-City-of-Orlando-I-4-Ultimate-Public-</u> <u>Art-Opportunity</u>

Call to Artists: https://artist.callforentry.org/festivals_unique_info.php?ID=7927

Announcements

Orlando, FL



Orange County Arts & Cultural Affairs is pleased to announce the three finalists for the 'Orange County Multi-Cultural Center' Public Art Project.

These three finalists were selected from 247 applicants, and are moving forward by making site specific plans for the community center.

- Katy Antill of Houston, TX
- KCatia Taylor of Newington, VA
- Stephanie Gassman of Sarasota, FL

The Orange County Multi-Cultural Center is located in Pine Hills one of Orlando's first suburbs developed in the early 1950's. Serving as a hub for the community activities where all are welcomed and included with opportunities to learn, connect and celebrate. An inclusive space where art and culture come together.

Orlando, FL



Orange County Arts & Cultural Affairs is very pleased to announce the selected sculptures for 'Sculpture on the Lawn' 2020-2021 season:

* "I Went to See" by J. Aaron Alderman of Brevard, NC

* "Gaia" by Donald Gialanella of St. Petersburg, FL

* "Got Juice?" by Stephen T. Landis of Loveland, CO

* "Unity" by Egor Zigura and Nikita Zigura of Kyiv, Ukraine

These four sculptures were selected from over 100 artist applicants and 456 images. The jury panel was very busy, and the competition was steep. Congratulations to the selected artists!

Orlando, FL



Orange County Arts & Cultural Affairs is pleased to announce that the commission for the "Parcel J Park" Public Art Project has been awarded to **Cherie Bosela**. Cherie has designed a beautiful mosaic work imprinted with natural elements bringing color, texture and an element of wonder to the park.

We look forward to seeing her completed work in the Spring of 2021!





(Photo Credit: Cherie Bosela)

Gainesville, FL

The Art in State Buildings Program at the University of Florida is please to announce the installation of *CURIOSIDAD* by **Don Rimx.** This two story interior mural selected for Norman Hall, is inspired by the diverse student body of the University of Florida and how they creatively connect with one another.



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