

Call to Artists: Join the Artwalk in Downtown Hart!

The Hart Economic & Redevelopment Team's H'art Project Committee is excited to announce an opportunity for local artists to participate in our upcoming Artwalk in Downtown Hart. This event aims to celebrate the vibrant artistic community within our city and provide a platform for artists to showcase their talents.

Event Details:

- Date: October 5, 2024
- Time: 11:00 AM 2:00 PM
- Location: Various Downtown Businesses in Hart

Event Description:

The Artwalk will feature eight artists whose works will be displayed inside downtown businesses. This special event includes a meet and greet with the artists, allowing participants to engage with the community and share the stories behind their art. In addition, local businesses will offer refreshments at each stop.

Artist Benefits:

- **Showcase Your Work**: Gain exposure by displaying your art in a prominent downtown location.
- Sales Opportunity: Sell your artwork directly to attendees.
- **Networking**: Meet fellow artists, art enthusiasts, and potential buyers.
- **Community Engagement**: Contribute to the cultural enrichment of Downtown Hart.

Submission Guidelines:

- Eligibility: Open to all local artists working in any medium.
- Submission Deadline: Monday, September 23, 2024
- How to Apply: Submit the following to nkleiner@cityofhart.org or register online here
 - A brief artist statement
 - Up to 5 images of your artwork (JPEG format)
 - Contact information (name, phone number, email address)

Selection Process:

A selection committee will review all submissions and choose eight artists to be featured in the Artwalk. Selected artists will be notified by September 5, 2024.

Event Participation:

If selected, artists will be required to:

- Attend the Artwalk event and engage with attendees.
- Provide their own transportation for artwork to and from the event location.
- Ensure artwork is ready for display (framed, mounted, etc.).
- Set up their display in the designated business location prior to the event start time.

We look forward to celebrating the creativity and talent of our local artists. Join us in making the 3rd Annual Artwalk in Downtown Hart a memorable experience!

For any questions or further information, please contact Nichole Kleiner, <u>nkleiner@cityofhart.org</u>, (231) 923-0920.

The H'art Project - Celebrating Art and Community