



ROTATING ART DISPLAY

@ Tukwila Community Center

The Tukwila Arts Commission intends to increase public awareness, appreciation, and understanding of arts through exhibits of emerging and professional local resident artists.

ABOUT THE EXHIBITION PROGRAM

Professional or amateur artists working in two-dimensional media are invited to display at the Tukwila Rotating Art Display. Exhibits will be scheduled for an 8-12 week period. More than one artist's works may be exhibited during each period.

For each exhibition, artists and their work will be publicized by the Tukwila Arts Commission through press releases sent to area media, galleries and arts organizations and on the city's website at www.tukwilawa.gov. Artists may choose to produce supplemental publicity and show cards, and arrange a reception if desired.

Precautions will be taken to protect the artwork from damage or theft, however, the exhibit space is not secured. The City does not provide insurance for artwork submitted for exhibition, and will not be responsible for lost, stolen, or damaged artwork. It is recommended that artists insure the work to be displayed.

ABOUT THE SPACE

The display area is located at the Tukwila Community Center, 12424 – 42nd Ave. S., Tukwila, WA 98168. Hanging structures are secured in the walls to allow for the display of art at no less than 24" from the floor. **NOTE:** The space is not an actual gallery setting. It is a public space with daily traffic. Artists should view the space prior to submission

ELIGIBILITY

Professional or amateur artists living in Washington State who work in two-dimensional media are eligible to submit applications. Priority will be given to Tukwila artists.

SELECTION PROCESS AND REVIEW CRITERIA

The rotating art program seeks to present visual works by local artists of all cultures, techniques, and styles. The Commission may select work which reflects the history, artistic, cultural and natural diversity of Washington state, specifically Tukwila. The Commission may choose specific themes within the general framework and advertise these themes prior to receiving applications.

The Commission will review each application, and only reviewed and approved works may be exhibited. Selection of work will be based upon artistic excellence and adherence to the chosen themes.

Compatibility with surroundings and appropriateness for display in a public building are paramount. All artwork must be suitable for display in a public building frequented by persons of all ages. Works that depict nudity, sexual acts, profanity, or obscenity will not be selected.

Exhibiting artists may be asked to attend a Commission meeting to provide additional information about their application. Materials are reviewed as needed.

PROJECT PERIOD

Exhibits are scheduled in advance. Exhibit duration shall be set on a case-by-case basis.

JURY

Tukwila Arts Commission

ENTRY PROCEDURE

All work must be original and created solely by the artist. The Commission has the right to select work that they deem competent and in compliance with the theme chosen for the gallery and is acceptable for viewing by visitors of all ages. Applications must include information on the artist, and recent images of the proposed works, along with any brochures or other printed material which may be appropriate.

Artists Should Send:

1. Completed Rotating Art Display application.
2. Annotated image list and color photos of each proposed work (5-7 pieces) with title, medium, and finished size.
3. Artist resume with exhibition history, and/or artist statement.
4. DO NOT staple any of your materials, and WHITE paper only, please.

NOTE: All submitted material will become property of the City of Tukwila and will not be returned.

Applications should be sent to the following: Dave Johnson
Tukwila Arts Commission
12424 – 42 Avenue South
Tukwila, WA 98168
dave.johnson@tukwilawa.gov

All two-dimensional work must be mounted or framed and ready to hang. Wire must be mounted 1/3 of distance from top of frame. No saw tooth or cloth hangers. Dimensions are to be no smaller than 13" x 16" and no larger than 50" x 50" finished size.

IF SELECTED

The artist agrees to allow the Tukwila Arts Commission to use a minimum of one of the submitted images (or other provided by artist) and other submitted materials for the purposes of promotion and publicity of the exhibition, the Tukwila Arts Commission, and the gallery season. Applying for consideration of the program constitutes agreement to use the artists' materials in this way.

BUDGET

The artist will not be compensated in any form by the City of Tukwila for the display of the artists' work but may include a website address or phone number in the artist bio for possible sale of any artwork.

SET UP AND TAKE DOWN PROCESS

Delivery and pick-up of artwork is by appointment only. City staff will handle installation and removal processes.

ARTISTS RECEPTION

With prior approval, a reception may be scheduled at the expense of the artist(s). Artists are encouraged to attend and provide the City with their invitation mailing list.



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Application Form

Please Print

Artist Name:	
Address:	
City, State, Zip	
Day Phone:	
Email:	
Art Description:	

Entry #	Title	Medium	Size
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2			
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Please attach: 1) Annotated image list and color photos of proposed work
2) Resume with exhibition history and/or artist statement

By signing below, I hereby waive and release all rights and claims that may be had or might arise against the City of Tukwila, its agents and/or representatives for any and all losses suffered while competing in or in connection with the program(s) sponsored or co-sponsored by the City. I also acknowledge that the City of Tukwila is not responsible for any personal articles that may be lost, stolen, or damaged.

Signed: _____ Date: _____