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Hutchinson Sculpture Stroll Artist Application - May 2023 through May 2024

The Hutchinson Public Arts Commission has created a public arts exhibition entitled "Sculpture Stroll" that provides highly visible display locations for 13 original pieces of temporary outdoor art each year.

Participation is subject to the following conditions:

- Artworks are displayed for a period of one year
- Established Artists who are selected to exhibit will receive a \$1,000 honorarium. An Established Artist is defined as an artist who has previous exhibition experience.
- One of our 13 openings will be reserved for an Emerging Artist. The Emerging Artist category is limited to those artists who have not participated in a public arts exhibition or juried art show. The selected Emerging Artist will receive a \$500 honorarium.
- A People's Choice award will be awarded based on community voting at the end of the display season. All artists chosen are eligible for this award. The prize is \$500.
- A "Best in Show" Judge's Award will be given to the artist selected by a jury of local established artists. All artists showing are eligible for this award. The prize is \$500.
- The pieces will be available for sale or lease if the artist so chooses. **Note that the City of Hutchinson will retain a 25% commission on any sculptures sold.**

Important Deadlines:

- **Deadline for Entry: January 31, 2023**
- **Deadline for Notification of Selection: March 01, 2023**

Eligibility:

Open to all artists 18 and older who submit work of high quality, conceptual strength, and originality. All artists may submit up to three (3) separate artworks.

Submission: Sculptors must submit the following items by email at info@hutchinsonpublicarts.com:

- High quality JPEG image portfolio of all work being submitted.
- Image list to accompany image portfolio. Include: Artist name, sculpture title, dimensions, media, date of completion, price, insurance value and installation requirements.
- Detailed information on size and dimensions, including separate measurements for sculpture and any pedestal. Pieces must have SST strips or tabs at the bottom for mounting.
- All works will be secured to cement pedestals or pads, provided by the City of Hutchinson. Sculptures should be appropriate scale for an outdoor 5 foot circular pad.
- Current Artist Statement and resume.



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Guidelines:

- All pieces will be selected by the Hutchinson Public Arts Commission and/or affiliates.
- Selected works may be installed by City staff and/or affiliates with or without the artist's assistance.
- The artwork will be installed in May 2023 and remain on display through May of the following year.
- The City of Hutchinson may remove a damaged sculpture in the absence of prompt and satisfactory repair by the artist in the interest of public safety.
- **The City of Hutchinson is in no way liable for damages, vandalism, theft, or loss of any artwork submitted. The City carries liability insurance which only covers damage or loss caused directly by the City and/or its staff. It is recommended but not required that all artists carry individual insurance coverage.**
- The artist is responsible for the delivery and pickup of sculptures during an arranged date and time with the City of Hutchinson Parks Department.
- Works will be secured to a circular concrete pad or pedestal provided by the City of Hutchinson. Submitted pieces must have SST strips or tabs at the bottom for mounting.
- All work must be of sound design, free standing, and able to withstand harsh weather conditions.
- All work must be ready to be placed in an outdoor public space designated by the Hutchinson Public Arts Commission.
- All images of accepted art may be used by the City and the Public Arts Commission in advertising and promotional materials.

If selected, I, the undersigned, have read and fully accept the conditions set forth in this agreement as legally binding:

Artist Name (Printed): _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Emerging Artist Pledge: I pledge that if selected this will be the first juried public art exhibit/art walk that I have participated in. If selected, I understand my honorarium will be \$500.