



Calling all Artists to Historic 1911 City Hall Arts and Cultural Center



What's this all about?

Our goal is simple: **1911 Historic City Hall Arts & Cultural Center** wants to provide exposure and a venue to exhibit art shows from the amazing talents of the many artists throughout our community.

This will be an ongoing project with no deadline until further notice. Gallery space will be dedicated for local exhibitions. Each show will hang for a 6-8 week period.

What is the cost?

There is no fee to apply and gallery space is FREE, however the City of Lake Charles will assess a 10% commission fee for all art sales during your exhibition.

What can I submit?

We accept work from artists who have had public shows and those who are yet to be discovered. Our open call accepts work from all mediums including (but no limited to): sculpture, photography, painting, drawing, printmaking, illustration, graphic design, and we encourage an interdisciplinary approach.

Portfolios will be juried by a panel. The venue reserves the right to refuse any piece for exhibit.

How do I sign up?

Submit a portfolio on a CD containing the Exhibition Application info along with up to 15 jpeg images per portfolio. You may submit images up to 2 MB. You can submit as many portfolios as you like.

You can drop off or mail to: 1911 City Hall Arts & Cultural Center
1001 Ryan Street
Lake Charles, LA 70601

1911 City Hall Arts Cultural Center is here to support your show

Our staff will send a press release to local newspapers, magazines, radio and television stations, including any information regarding the exhibition that the artist provides. Any additional promotional materials will be the responsibility of the artist.

Our exhibit staff will promote and display the artwork in an appropriate and professional manner. We shall clearly identify the artist's name on all publicity images and text regarding the exhibition.

The artist is welcome to host an opening reception, however, all costs associated with the reception will be the responsibility of the artist.

The artist may sell his/her artwork; however, all inquiries concerning the purchase will be directed to the artist. The City of Lake Charles will assess a 10% commission fee for all art sales during this exhibition.

For more info 337-491-9147, Email artsandculture@cityoflc.us



Please provide a brief **Statement of Purpose** for your Exhibition: