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CONTACT: TARA MATHENY-SCHUSTER PHONE: (707) 543-4512
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TITLE: CALL FOR APPLICANTS: ART IN PUBLIC PLACES COMMITTEE

The City's Art in Public Places Committee (APPC) is seeking applicants to fill two at-large vacancies. The APPC oversees the public art program, which delivers a broad range of public art and cultural projects and activities throughout Santa Rosa and within the Santa Rosa Arts District. In addition, the committee develops policies and goals for the selection, placement and maintenance of public artwork and implementation of cultural programs.

The purpose of the City's public art programs is to enrich the community by integrating a wide range of art into public spaces, recognizing that art in a public setting is vital to a livable community and a wealth of public art projects and cultural programs in the public realm contributes to economic development.

Committee membership includes one representative from the Arts Council of Sonoma County; one member from each of the following City of Santa Rosa Boards or Commissions—Planning Commission, Design Review Board, Board of Community Services, Cultural Heritage Board; up to two members of the Santa Rosa City Council; and up to four members of the general public.

The Art in Public Places Committee meets on the 1st Monday of each month at 3:30pm at the Steele Lane Community Center, 415 Steele Lane, Santa Rosa, unless otherwise noted.

Applications are available online at www.srcity.org/arts, or in person at the Steele Lane Community Center, 415 Steele Lane, Santa Rosa. To request an application be mailed to you, please call (707) 543-4512.

Deadline to submit application is 5:00pm on March 23, 2012.

Recreation, Parks & Community Services
415 Steele Lane, Santa Rosa, CA 95403
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www.srcity.org

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APPLICATION FORM
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This application is a public document. It may be reviewed by any member of the public upon request.

Name Address Street City Zip

E-Mail

Home Phone Work Phone

Do you live within the City limits? Years of Residence in the City

Employer Address Street City Zip

Volunteer Activities/Community Service: On a separate sheet, list (community or volunteer) activities that you have been involved with in the last five years.

Please answer the following questions on a separate sheet(s) of paper as they relate to the Art in Public Places Committee position you are seeking.

- 1. Why are you interested in this position? What particular skills would you bring to the Committee?
2. What types of diverse interests/experiences would you bring to the Committee?
3. What types of art background, skills and experience would you bring to the Committee?
4. Rules of law and ethics prohibit members from participating in and voting on matters in which they may have a direct/indirect financial interest. Are you aware of any potential conflicts of interest which may develop from your occupation or financial holdings in relation to your responsibilities as a member of the Committee? If yes, please indicate any potential conflicts.

All persons appointed by the Council shall be residents of the City of Santa Rosa. All persons appointed shall be registered voters at the time of appointment and shall remain registered voters throughout their term of appointment.

Please return this application with any supplemental sheets attached to the Recreation, Parks and Community Services Department, 415 Steele Lane, Santa Rosa, CA 95403.

Applicant's Signature Date