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Call to Artists: “Ramp Up Awareness” Mural Project

Monroe County: The Monroe County Health Department with the Futures Family Planning Clinic invite artists local to Monroe County to submit design proposals for a **Public Health** mural. The mural is to be located on the Health Services Building/Lower Level ramp entrance wall.

Mural Objective: To provide an innovative and strong depiction of **Public Health** through a public art piece that will make the lower level entrance wall more visible and reduce barriers for Health Department services to the Monroe County community.

What is Public Health?

Protect, promote and improve the health of all people in Monroe County through

- Community Health
- Family Planning
- Disease Intervention
- Environmental Health
- Food Safety
- Harm Reduction
- Public Health Preparedness
- Wastewater Sanitation

Mural Details/Things to Consider:

- The mural is to be painted on concrete* – see images below
***Concrete will be prepped by the Monroe County Maintenance staff (power-washed and primed)**
- The mural space is approximately 120 sq. ft. (detailed measurements provided upon request)
- **Location:** 119 W 7th St Bloomington, IN 47404 (ramp is located on the west side of the building along College Ave)
- 6” solid color border to run the entire length of the (bottom of) mural wall



MATERIALS AND SUPPLIES:

Material and supplies to complete the project will be donated by Bloomington Paint & Wallpaper and provided to the artist **AT NO COST**

Stipend:

- Artist will receive \$500 stipend; this amount includes all artist fees
- Payment upon completion
- **There is no application fee**

Expected Completion Date: July 31, 2019

Submission Details:**WHAT TO SEND:**

Written proposal contact information:

- Full name
- Address
- Telephone number
- Email address
- Illustrations of the proposed mural. Submissions must contain between 1 and 5 sketches or digital renderings of the proposed mural. These are not final renderings, as a public process will have to take place.

Support materials/previous work:

- Resume - maximum 1 page
- Three references
- Proposals may be accompanied by 5 to 10 images of previous work **(optional)**
- Files should be submitted in a *.pdf format* and will be acknowledged within 48 business hours of receipt

Submission deadline:

- **Monday, April 22, 2019, 12:00PM**
- E-mail submissions: ATTN: Melissa Kraai-Smock to healthdept2@co.monroe.in.us
Subject line: **Mural Submission** or for questions: **Mural Questions**

Selection:

- A panel consisting of staff from the Monroe County Health Department Board, Monroe County Council and the Monroe County Board of Commissioners will select the artist
- Expected final selection date: **May 6, 2019**