

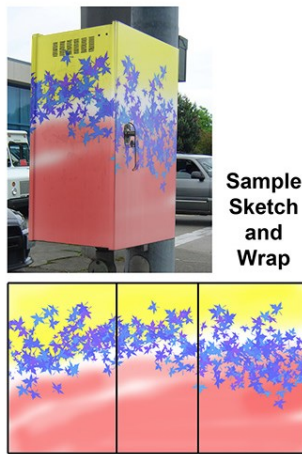
Call for Art

Traffic Control Box Wrap

The City of Olympia is seeking up to 20 art designs to be applied to vinyl wraps to cover transit control boxes in Downtown and Westside Olympia.

- \$500 honorarium for use of design.
- Artist will submit concept designs using supplied template.
- Designs will be made available online at www.olspeaks.org for public vote to determine the 20 to be fabricated.
- Artists *do not* fabricate or install the final art on the box.
- Selected artist designs (which can be prepared as illustrations, paintings, computer designed images, quilts, mosaics, photographed sculptures or photographs), will be printed on to a vinyl wrap, and applied to the traffic boxes.
- Wrap will be removed after 2-3 years, depending on condition. They may be removed at any time at the discretion of the City.
- ENTRY DEADLINE: _____.

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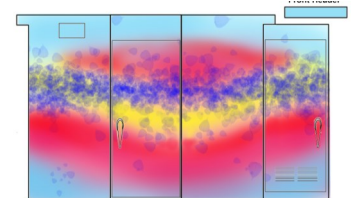


Sample Sketch and Wrap

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Application & Exhibit Information

Eligibility

Thurston County residents of any age.

Jurors

Reviewed designs will be made available for public vote on the OlySpeaks website: www.OLYSPEAKS.org.

Selection Criteria

- *Submissions that includes advertising or logos or is political, religious or sexual in nature will not be considered.*
- Artists should bear in mind that the audiences will be broad-based and of all ages and artwork should be appropriate for display in a public place.

Designs will be reviewed in advance by City staff and Arts Commission members for adherence to selection criteria. The City reserves the right not to forward individual designs, or any design at all for the public vote, and reserves the right to change the process or schedule.

Location

Artwork will be displayed on transit control boxes in downtown Olympia. If selected for exhibition, location of individual designs during exhibit will be at the sole discretion of the City.

Duration

Wrap will be removed after 2-3 years, depending on condition.

Honorarium

Artists will be paid a \$500 honoraria for the use of each completed, camera-ready design. Artists selected for exhibition must purchase a City of Olympia Business license. Please see <http://bls.dor.wa.gov/cities/olympia.aspx> for business license information.

Submission Guidelines

Design can be prepared as illustrations, paintings, computer designed images, quilts, mosaics, photographed sculptures or photographs. Submissions may be conceptual designs, but should convey enough detail for the voting public. Submission must be turned in on the attached form and be flat for scanning or will need to be supplied by the artist in a print-ready file, 300dpi or better. Following the selection process, all concept designs will be returned to the artists. **Artists may submit one design for each location, for a total of 2 possible submissions.**

Selected Entries

If conceptual design is selected, the final design should bring the artwork to camera-ready quality only and should not deviate in any way from the concept.

Fabrication

Artists may submit final design in one of two ways:

- A) Turn in digital, print-ready file, 300 dpi or better.
- B) Turn in physical artwork for scanning:
 - Artwork must be flat
 - Artwork must be secured to a backing board
 - Artwork must use the scale of the concept plan - no larger than 11"x17"

In either case, artists may be asked to work with the vinyl fabricator in finalizing design for fabrication. *By submitting works, artists agree to grant permission to alter/crop work as needed.* Following fabrication, all artwork will be returned to artists.

Warranty

Artists verify that submitted design is their own work and does not violate another's copyright.

Artists understand that if their artwork includes photography of partially or entirely recognizable people, they must provide the City release statements from all parties.

Recognition

Artists will be recognized by credit on their work, and on the project webpage located on the City's website.

Entries

Calendar

1. Artists may submit up to two entries each.
2. Submission packets should be sent, or hand-delivered to:
Stephanie Johnson
City of Olympia Parks, Arts & Recreation
Transit Wrap Project
222 Columbia St NW
Olympia, WA 98501
sjohnso1@ci.olympia.wa.us - 360/709-2678
3. Artists agree that the City of Olympia may photograph works in the exhibit and use photos for promotional purposes.
4. Artists agree to sign a contract with the City regarding the use of each design.
5. For questions or further information contact:
Stephanie Johnson, Arts Program Manager, above.

ENTRY DEADLINE - April 16, 2014, 7pm

May 6, 2014, 4pmJury
The Olympia Center, 222 Columbia St NW, Room 102

May 8, 2014.....Arts Commission (OAC) reviews
Jury recommendation

May 20, 2014.....City Council
reviews OAC recommendation, makes final decision

June 2014Contracts and plates made available
to artists

July 7-10, 2014.....Sculpture in-
stalled

July 25, 2014Exhibition Kick-off Event

September 2014Peoples' Prize An-
nounced

Exhibition ends no later than July 2015

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Artist Submission

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

E-Mail: _____

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS _____ SUBMISSIONS MUST INCLUDE:

- This application form.
- Artist's statement (limit to one side of one page), describing your inspiration for the design. If your cultural heritage is important to your artwork, please describe.
- The completed design template(s). Artists may submit up to one design for each location.
- Submission packet may be sent or hand-delivered to:

Digital packets may be downloaded to the City FTP site:
<http://olympiawa.gov/ftp> Do not embed images in a Power
Point, PDF, iPhoto or any other library files.
"Recipient" is sjohnso1@ci.olympia.wa.ua

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