

## **National Call to Artists**

Project: ArtWork(ers) United
Produced by The Creatives of Jacksonville, FL
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#### Who We Are

"The Creatives," are an artist collective of Jacksonville, FL, that emerged from a *Creative Capital* training, in 2016, which was supported through the Community Foundation of Northeast Florida and the Cultural Council of Greater Jacksonville. Together, we are hosting a national "Call to Artists." This project is being spearheaded by Caitlin Flynn, Jane Griffo, Jenny K. Hager, Mal Jones, Deborah Reid, D. Lance Vickery, and Ithiell Yisrael. ("The Creatives").

#### The Idea

"The Creatives" are launching a collaborative projection and sound event. The idea is to create thought-provoking work which provides a critical response to current events, lifting it up as an opportunity for civic discourse and engagement - using the arts to bring people together to share ideas and create dialogue through art.

### **The Project**

The Project, titled "ArtWork(ers) United," will be a one day event with projected poetry, images, video and amplified sound (all pre-recorded and also livestreaming). The outdoor location is at the <u>University of North Florida</u>, <u>Parking Lot 18</u>. We hope to include a diverse group of artists, with a diverse range of media. The ideas behind the work are a response to our world today and are intended to create an essential dialog. In addition to the "movie style" art event we are also using this as an opportunity to remind people to vote as well as help people register to vote.

# Statement of Inclusivity and Message

Because of the nature of this project, "The Creatives" steering committee will determine the final selection of works that are to be included in the project. While we intend to be as inclusive as possible, we will not allow hate groups or hate messages to infiltrate our efforts.

### **Filetypes and Lengths**

Recorded poems, songs, videos and images are welcome. Please keep in mind that we will be projecting your work with a long throw projector and amplified sound. You must submit high resolution, high quality files. Because of the number of artists participating, we are limiting the length of audio/video files to 3 minutes or less. Visual artists can include up to 5 images.

### We will accept the following filetypes/file sizes:

- JPG for Image Files (2000 pixels or more on longest side, 150 dpi or higher)
- MP4 or MOV for Video Files (Aspect Ratio 1920 x 1080 or 16:9)
- MP3 or AAC or WAV for Sound Files

### **Submission Process:**

- □ Submit a Dropbox Link to Your Files to <u>artworkersunitedjax@gmail.com</u> Please Note: We will not accept other types of submissions.
- ☐ In the Dropbox folder you provide a link to, please include the following items:
  - o Entry Form
  - Artwork Files: Files should be titled as follows: LastName\_FirstName.pdf (no spaces, no special characters)
  - o Artist Statement (250 words or less)
  - Signed Release Form
- □ Submit Suggested Entry Fee via PayPal to <u>ArtworkersUnited</u> [This donation to our host 501c3, Sculpture Walk, is tax deductible]
- □ Note: No Mail, Email, or Direct Delivery Submission Will Be Accepted.

### **Entry Fee**

In order to pay for A/V equipment, space rental, and video editing, we are requesting a suggested donation of \$10. If you have the resources to give more, it is greatly appreciated. If you are unable to make the suggested donation of \$10, we will accept your entry regardless.

#### Schedule

- **Thursday, August 28th** Submissions Due (No late submissions will be accepted, because we require a window of time for editing all of the files together.
- Friday, September 25th Event/Performance (8 pm-12 am) at the <u>University of North Florida, Parking Lot 18</u>, in Jacksonville, FL. The event will also be livestreamed.



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Sound/Video Artists Can Submit 1 File (Up to 3 Minutes in Length)					
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Artist Statement (must be 250 words or less):					



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### I AGREE TO THE TERMS OF THE PROJECT.

Your Name	 Date	
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