**Artist Alley Project - 12th Annual – Call for Entries**

In 2012, the Kokomo Art Association and the Greater Kokomo Downtown Association launched a collaborative effort to revitalize a forgotten alley in downtown Kokomo. With support from local businesses and organizations, this once-dark passage between the County Building and the Kokomo Art Association’s Artworks Gallery was transformed into *Artist Alley*—an outdoor public art gallery that officially opened on October 3, 2014.

Artist Alley has since become a vibrant destination, offering a dynamic visual experience for residents and visitors alike. The space has expanded opportunities for regional artists, increased public engagement with visual art, sparked community dialogue, and contributed to Kokomo’s cultural tourism. It has also supported economic growth by drawing foot traffic to nearby businesses and enhancing property visibility.

**About the Exhibition Space**  
Artist Alley features a well-lit corridor designed to host murals and sculptures. The ongoing exhibit introduces high-quality, diverse artwork to a high-traffic public setting.

**Project Scope**  
The Artist Alley Steering Committee invites artists to submit proposals for public art installations to be displayed for a 12-month exhibition period, beginning September 5, 2025. Selected works will include a variety of visual media. There is no set theme this year.

**Available Openings**

* **Murals:**
  + Fifteen (15) wall-mounted panels, each 8' x 8', constructed from 1/4” marine board (provided).
  + Artists may work within the full panel size or submit pieces in smaller dimensions (e.g., 4’ x 4’, 2’ x 6’, 6’ x 8’).
* **Sculptures:**
  + Two (2) ground-level sculpture sites are available.
  + Sculptures must be mountable on a base not exceeding 4' x 4' square and 1' high.
  + Maximum height: 8 feet. Maximum weight: 200 pounds.

**Sales and Commission**  
All artwork remains the property of the artist and may be offered for sale during the exhibition. A 30% commission on sales will be retained.

**Location**  
Artist Alley is located on the north side of the Kokomo Art Association Artworks Gallery, at 210 N. Main Street, Kokomo, IN. Artists are encouraged to visit the site to better conceptualize their proposals.

**Submission Details**  
Proposals with applications and a detailed drawing of the art piece must be received by **5:00 PM on June 2, 2025**. Installation is scheduled for **August 30, 2025**, with the exhibition opening on **September 5, 2025**.

**Submit by Email or drop off:**  
Email: kokomoartassociation2014@gmail.com  
Drop off: Artworks Gallery  
210 N. Main St.  
Kokomo, IN 46901

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**Available Openings:**

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Proposals with applications and a detailed drawing of the art piece must be received by **June 2, 2025 by 5:00pm** for the new exhibit opening September 5, 2025. **Delivery and installation of artwork will be August 30, 2025**. Please email applications to Cheryl at kokomoartassociation2014@gmail.com or drop off at Artworks Gallery 210 N. Main St, Kokomo, IN 46901. Contact Cheryl, kokomoartassociation2014@gmail.com, for an application or more information.

**HOLD HARMLESS AND PUBLICITY AGREEMENT** The undersigned artist hereby releases and agrees to hold harmless the Artist Alley Committee, Kokomo Art Association, Greater Kokomo Economic Development Alliance, the City of Kokomo, Howard County, Indiana, and their respective officials, officers, employees, agents, and volunteers from any and all loss or damage to the undersigned’s property or any personal injury or death which the undersigned or the undersigned’s employees or agents may sustain during, on account of, or as a result of their artwork in the Artist Alley.

The undersigned further agrees to abide by all the rules, policies, and guidelines of the Kokomo Art Association and the Greater Kokomo Downtown Association and understands that failure to do so will result in the undersigned’s expulsion from the exhibition.

The undersigned consents to the Kokomo Art Association's and the Greater Kokomo Downtown Association’s use of reproductions of images and biographical information in Artist Alley promotional materials.

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