

#tinytrump

October 11, 2018

Dear tiny trump participant,

Thank you for taking part in this crowdsourced art installation! As an artist who has been creating work in the public realm for nearly 10 years, my interest has always been in bringing art to people where they are, and I've never been more motivated to do that than I am today.

Putting a tiny trump into the public realm may seem like a small gesture, but make no mistake, it is an act of resistance, it takes courage, and I applaud you for taking on the task. It is also, I believe, an important thing to do.

There is little doubt we are living through a culture and values war. It is crucial that we muster as much strength on our side of the line as is humanly possible. I encourage you to post pictures to social media and tag them **#tinytrump** and **#resist** to add your voice and strength to the effort.

In a time when many may feel powerless, *tiny trump* empowers by giving anyone the means to push back against current political and cultural forces in a publicly visible and meaningful way. Given the times we live in, I cannot think of a more important job for art to do. I thank you for being part of it.

Sincerely,

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Project info on back



MAKE trump tiny AGAIN

is a nation-wide, coordinated effort whereby participants place tiny trumps in the public realm on Sunday, October 21st, from 10pm–10am, and tag their pics **#tinytrump**. Enclosed is a save the date card–put it someplace where you won't forget! Together, we'll ensure people wake up on Monday morning feeling bigger than donald trump.

Search for "maketrumptiny" on Instagram, Twitter, or Facebook to follow the project.

DONATING

If you've already donated, thank you! If you haven't yet, please consider doing so. This is a 100% volunteer, donation-based project and the tiny trumps you're holding are handmade. A good rule of thumb is \$10–\$15 for domestic shipping plus \$5 per tiny trump. Anything more would be super helpful!

maketrumptiny.com/donate

THE LEGAL STUFF

As a crowd-sourced project destined for the public realm, tiny trump inherently has its risks. Of course it isn't possible to list all the places where tiny trump shouldn't be placed, so let this serve as an incomplete guide on what not to do:

- **DO NOT** put tiny trump in a crowded area where people are likely to trip or otherwise increase the chance of injury
- **DO NOT** put tiny trump somewhere it is likely to fly into the street, train tracks, bicycle paths, etc. and cause an accident
- **DO NOT** affix with tape, staples, or other difficult to remove material
- **DO NOT** post on private property without permission
- **DO NOT** resist anyone telling you not to put it somewhere
- **DO NOT** resist the police

If you think someone could get hurt or it can cause an accident, don't put it there. From a legal standpoint, the safest place to put a tiny trump is on private property where you have permission.

If you're concerned about legality, please do the appropriate research for your locality. From what I've gathered, the risks range from a littering ticket to being arrested for disorderly conduct. By participating in this project you assume ultimate responsibility for any consequences related to the placement of your tiny trumps, so use common sense and act accordingly. The artist and Eric Corriel Studios LLC, does not bear any liability for anything that happens resulting from the totems you place.

That said, I'm excited to see where you put them. Good luck and take pics **#tinytrump!**

