Artist Proposal Form:

Our Place Community Outreach Mural

Hello, and thank you for your interest in serving as an artist for an upcoming collaborative mural project with Project Hope Spokane, dba [River City Youth Ops](https://www.youthops.org/), and [Our Place Community Outreach](https://www.ourplacespokane.org/).

## Project Details:

### Overview:

* Proposals will be accepted between Tuesday, March 5, 2024 and Monday, April 22, 2024.
* This community art project:
	+ Is intended to illustrate the importance of community food access and systems work within the West Central neighborhood; and
	+ Will be installed at Our Place Community Outreach’s building at 1509 W College Avenue in the West Central neighborhood of Spokane. Please note that this building’s exterior is corrugated metal siding.
* The selected artist (or team of artists):
	+ Will design and implement this mural with feedback from community members and partners in mind;
	+ Will plan the mural’s development and implementation timeline for installation in summer/fall 2024; and
	+ Will be asked to co-facilitate three (3) workshops for youth and community members throughout the design and implementation process.

### Evaluation Information:

Proposals will be evaluated by youth, community members, and staff representing Project Hope Spokane and Our Place Community Outreach. Artists whose submissions reflect collaborative, community-centered approaches will be prioritized during the review process.

### Budget & Stipend:

Project Hope Spokane, dba River City Youth Ops, is awarding a $5,000 stipend via check to the artist or artist team that is selected. Meals and other resources will be provided to the artist(s) during workshops.

* ***Note***, the artist may allocate the award as they see fit to additional collaborators, but only one submission is requested per collaboration.

#### Materials, Supplies, & Vendors

In your proposal (prompt 10), please identify the materials and quantities needed for your concept, your preferred vendors, cost estimates, and any additional information to support budgeting for this project. Please note that marine plywood or an alternative approach may be needed due to the nature of the building’s corrugated metal siding.

## Proposal Form:

To express interest in leading this community art project, please complete the fields below and email to Stephanie Watson at **stephanie.watson@projecthopespokane.org** *by* ***Monday, April 22, 2024***. Please respond to each prompt completely.

### Contact Information:

1. **Artist Name(s):**
2. **Email:**
3. **Phone:**

### Getting to Know You:

1. **Bio** (250 word maximum)**:**
2. **Project proposal** (500 word maximum: Please describe your proposed mural concept)**:**
3. **What does food security mean to you?**
4. **Connection to West Central neighborhood or** [**placemaking**](https://www.pps.org/article/what-is-placemaking)**:**
5. **Do you have experience working with youth? Please explain:**
6. **How would you describe your collaboration style?**
7. **Please outline the supplies, materials, and quantities needed for your concept and preferred vendors, cost estimates, etc.**
8. **Link(s) to relevant works or portfolio:**
9. **If there is any additional information you wish to share with our review team, please include that here:**

## Contact Information

If you have any questions regarding this project, please contact Stephanie Watson at **stephanie.watson@projecthopepokane.org** or call **509-990-3010**.

Thank you for your interest in this project. We will communicate our review team’s decision in May.