



**NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING
CITY OF ALBANY
ALBANY ARTS COMMISSION
City Hall, Willamette Room
Tuesday, November 10, 2015
3:30 pm**

AGENDA

1. ROLL CALL
2. APPROVAL OF October 13, 2015 MINUTES
3. BUSINESS FROM THE PUBLIC
4. DISCUSSION ITEMS
 - a. 1% for Art ordinance
 - b. Doorways of Albany Project
 - c. Oregon Arts Commission's Art Summit
 - d. Corvallis Arts and Culture Advisory Board- Connect Event
 - e. Going to Pots
5. ACTION ITEMS

None
6. EXHIBITS– approve submissions (if any)

Diane Widler Wenzel
George Andrus
7. BUSINESS FROM THE COMMISSION
8. NEXT MEETING DATE

The next regularly scheduled meeting is December 8, 2015

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**CITY OF ALBANY
ARTS COMMISSION
Calapooia Room, Albany City Hall
Tuesday, October 13, 2015
3:30 p.m.**

MINUTES

Commission members present: Melissa Babcock Saylor, Lynn Whitacre, Rinee Merritt,
Scott Lawley, Chuck Leland

Commission members absent: Linda Herd, Jane Donovan

Staff present: Ed Hodney, Parks & Recreation Director; Kandice Easdale,
Clerk II

Guest present: None

1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 3:30 p.m.

2. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

MOTION: Melissa Babcock Saylor moved to approve the September 8, 2015 minutes as presented. Scott Lawley seconded the motion, and it **passed** 5-0.

3. BUSINESS FROM THE PUBLIC

None

4. DISCUSSION ITEMS

a. 1% for Art Ordinance

City Council recently discussed changes to Albany Municipal Code (AMC) Chapter 2.96, One Percent for Art. Hodney distributed and reviewed a draft of the proposed changes to the ordinance. Hodney worked with the City Attorney to craft the new ordinance. The final vote should be at the next Council meeting session on Wednesday, October 28, 2015. Commissioners are welcome to attend the meeting, and present a response to the proposed changes, or contact City Councilors individually. Brief discussion followed.

b. Going to Pots

Going to Pots will be held October 15 -17, 2015. Currently 16 potters have committed to the event. The event will be held in Two Rivers Market. Lynn is still recruiting volunteers. Merritt suggested a possible connection with the Brewfest, a Boys and Girls Club event, which happens around the same time of year, could generate more traffic. Brief discussion followed.

5. ACTION ITEMS

None

6. EXHIBITS

None

7. BUSINESS FROM THE COMMISSION

Leland announced that he will be resigning his position on the Commission at the end of the calendar year.

Hodney informed the Commission that Whitacre and Donovan's positions also end at the end of the calendar year, so if they wish to continue as members, they will need to reapply.

8. NEXT MEETING

The next regularly scheduled meeting is November 10, 2015 in the Willamette Room in City Hall.

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 4:30p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Kandice Easdale, Clerk II, Albany Parks & Recreation

From: [Little, Debbie](mailto:Little,Debbie)
To: [Little, Debbie](mailto:Little,Debbie)
Subject: FW: Involvement of the Albany Arts Commission
Date: Tuesday, November 3, 2015 2:15:22 PM

From: Cynthia Spencer [<mailto:cynthia@theartscenter.net>]
Sent: Wednesday, October 21, 2015 10:04 AM
To: Hodney, Ed; Emery, Karen; Linda J. Herd; Rinee Merritt
Subject: Involvement of the Albany Arts Commission

Ed,

Happy Wednesday.

Two things:

First: The Oregon Arts Commission's Arts Summit will be in Corvallis in the fall of 2016. This is an opportunity for the Mid-Willamette Valley area to showcase our special style of arts & culture in this area.

Albany Parks & Rec as well as your Commissions may wish to be involved in the planning once it gets underway.

Albany Arts & Air, the Oregon Jamboree and the Brownsville Music Festival have put Linn County on the Map for Big Concerts, so we will reach out to all of them, too.

OAC is still wrapping up this year's conference, so we won't have initial meetings until later in November. Let me know if you think either of your groups would be interested in participating.

Second: Last spring our Arts & Culture Advisory Board hosted a "Connect" event that a couple of your commissioner attended. An idea was floated at that time for working on branding our region as the "Crossroads of Oregon's Creative Corridor" thinking regionally to include arts & culture from Bend to the Coast, Portland all the way down the Valley to Eugene. This is of particular interest to the new Director of the School of Arts and Communication at OSU, since they have satellites all over the state as our land grant university, AND she was involved with a similar successful effort in Wisconsin. It will be a way for our many organizations to connect and work together in an effort that can better showcase the many opportunities on which we all work so hard.

Tentatively we are looking at getting as many people together as we can January 13, 9am-1pm at the Council Of Government's office.

1400 Queen Ave SE # 201, Albany, OR 97322

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Cynthia Spencer-Hadlock
Chair, Arts & Culture Advisory Board
City of Corvallis



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Art Exhibit Space Application

Date:

Artist/Organization Name:

Address:

State/Province: Zip/Postal Code:

Phone:

Email address:

Website:

Contact Person (If Organization is Applying)

Name:

Position:

Phone:

Albany Arts Commission

Send Completed Form with Submissions to:

Mail or drop off in person:
Albany Arts Commission
C/O Albany Parks and Recreation
333 Broadalbin St. SW
Albany, OR 97321

Email:
debbie.little@cityofalbany.net

541-917-7778

Display Location Interest:

- City Hall Phantom Art Gallery* Either

Mediums:

Experience/Education:

Showings/Representation:

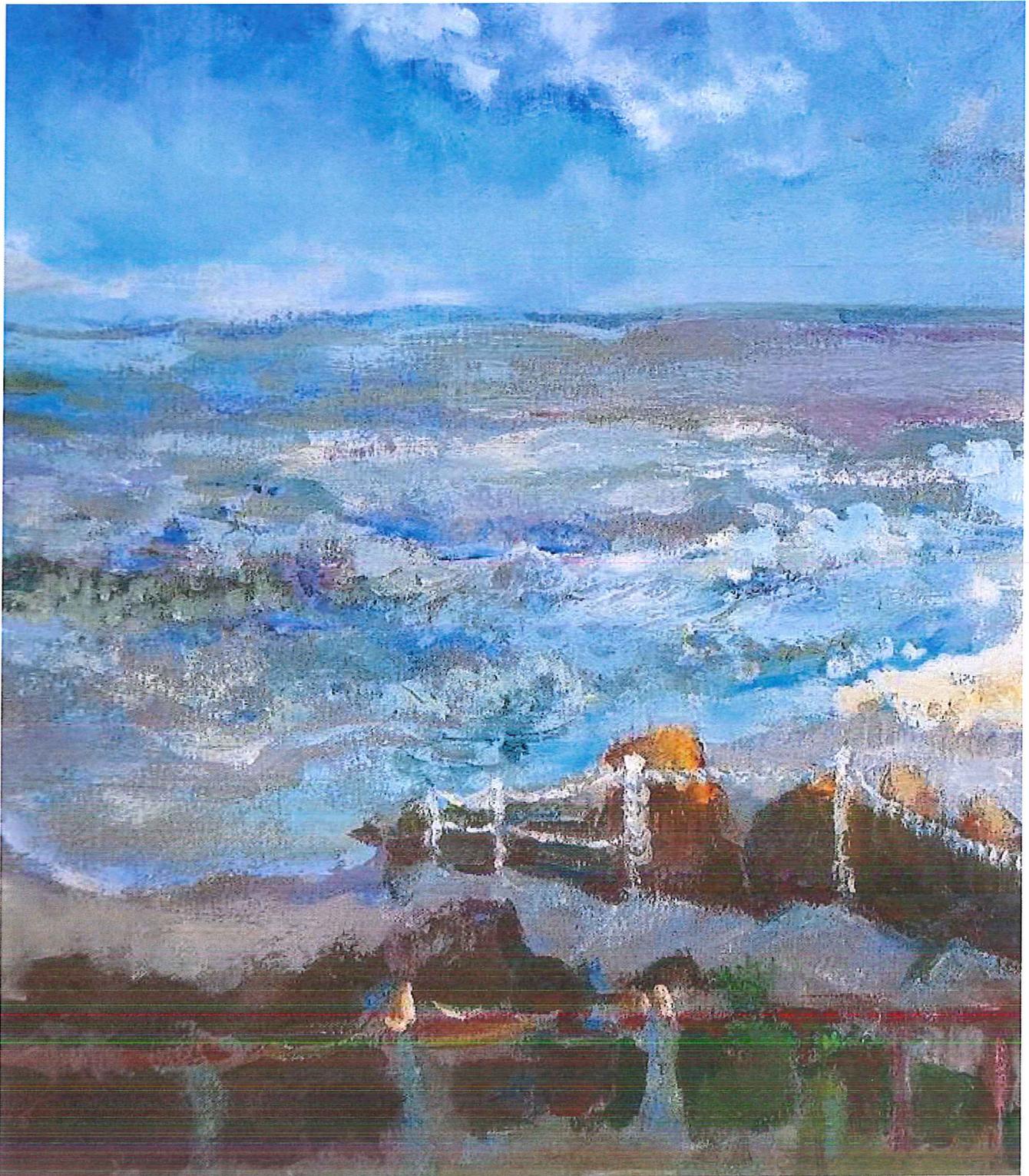
Memberships:

Statement:

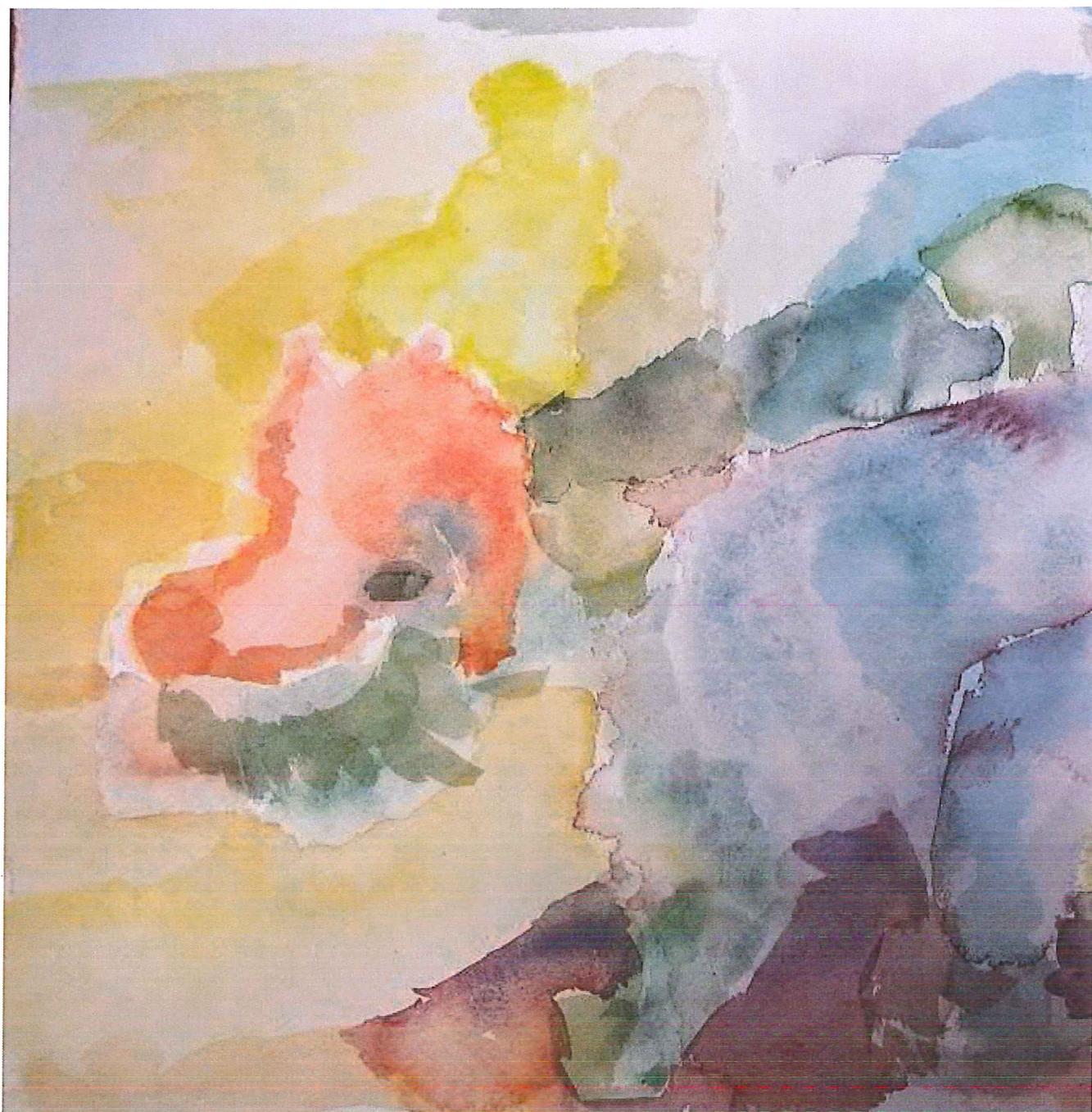
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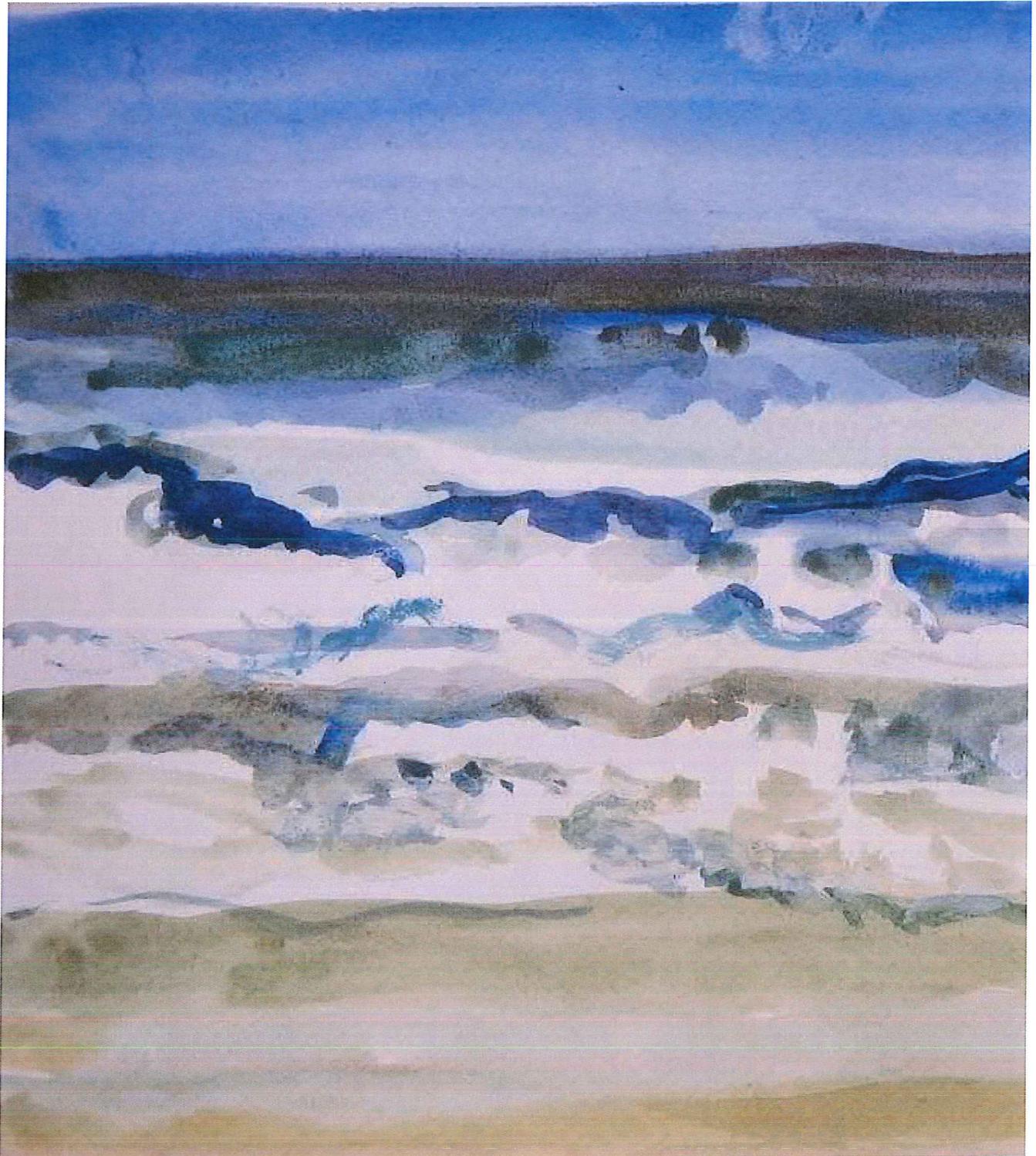
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Art Exhibit Space Application

Albany Arts Commission

Artist / Organization Name: George Andrus

Date: 11/01/2015

Contact Person (Organization only):

Address: 1638 First Avenue East

City: Albany

State: OR

Zip: 97321

Phone: (541)791-1953

Email: photobygeo@aceweb.com

Website: www.dancing-rainbows.us

Media:

Film Photography, soap bubble videography.

Experience/Education:

Over 80 years of photographic experience.

Showings/Representation:

Many showings of work throughout Albany and Portland areas with local camera clubs. Recent showing at the Albany Public Library and Regional Museum. Won best color slide in the US in 1973, as well as many state and regional awards. Dancing Rainbows video won first place at the Portland Film Festival.

Memberships:

Past member of several local camera clubs in Albany and Portland.

Statement:

George Andrus moved to Albany in 1928. He has been an active photographer for most of his life. With his lifelong friend, Robert Potts, they have photographed the area extensively. As George nears his 100th birthday in December 2015, we thought it would be great to have his work shown in the Albany City Hall. George would be honored to have his work displayed publicly again. He is no longer actively involved in photography, but he has an immense body of work. I am his representative with his Power of Attorney. I will include a copy of the Power of Attorney document along with this application. Feel free to contact us with any questions.

I have read the Call-To-Artist Policy and agree to the terms included therein.

Signature:

Date: 11/01/2015

Submit completed form with submission samples to:

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