



A community united and
inspired by the arts



Call
For Artists

Mark Your
Calendars

Can you imagine a more blissful combination than brilliant fall colors, a spectacular mountain range, and a pastoral valley all while basking in the glow of fine art and music? October 8-10, 2021, The Carson Valley Arts Council will host the first annual Carson Valley Art Studio Tour.

- They are looking for fine artists who would like to participate at this time, as well as local artists willing to share studio space.
- All fine art media will be considered, and shared studio space will be coordinated by the CVASt team.
- Along with featuring some of the finest art and art demonstrations, they plan to include live music at select locations.
- They will be actively promoting the tour throughout the Western Region. To learn more about signing up go to <https://www.cvastour.org>

Event Contact: cvartscouncil@yahoo.com

Artists: To learn more and sign up for more information go to <https://cvastour.org>.

Arts and Culture in Douglas County 2020 Master Plan Update

Thanks to the many local arts supporters, there are new policies under Economic Development focus for the arts and culture.

3. ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT POLICIES

- Increase opportunities for public art by recognizing the economic benefits of promoting public art and culture through increases in tourism, jobs for artists, and by creating a source of community pride.
- Promote cultural tourism, defined as “travel directed toward experiencing the arts, heritage, and special character of unique places.”
- Ensure that the County’s zoning and land use regulations support the development of live-work space for artists in a variety of settings around the county.

5. PUBLIC FACILITIES, SERVICES & RECREATION POLICIES

- Maintain clear and simple mechanisms by which the public can make donations for art, park and recreation improvements for public facilities and programs.
- Develop and maintain facilities which support the cultural and performing arts interests of our residents and visitors.
- Identify opportunities for studios, rehearsal halls, theaters and concert halls, dance rehearsal and performance spaces, exhibition spaces and galleries, multipurpose centers, classrooms, administrative offices and art storage facilities.

For the complete Master Plan and action items under these policies, visit the Douglas County website for the final draft.

Two RFP's for Muralists – Carson City Visitor Center and “Welcome to Carson City” Murals

The Carson City Culture & Tourism Authority (CTA) is seeking a muralist with the goal to create a “Holy Smokes” moment for visitors to Carson City as they come into the Visitor Information Center. A successful design will have a visual depiction of the arts/culture/heritage/history of Carson City, the Capital of Nevada. The intent would be to highlight those icons/attractions/locations that mean something to Carsonites with the hopes that they catch the attention of our visitors as well. A full colored sketch of the proposed design is required as well as any explanations as deemed necessary by the artist.

Submission deadline is 5:00 pm on April 2, 2021

The Carson City Culture & Tourism Authority, Rotary Club of Carson City and the Consolidated Municipality of Carson City have partnered to solicit proposals from local artists to design and create a “Welcome to Carson City” mural to be featured on the north wall of the Carson City Visitor Information Center at 716 N. Carson St. Once installed, the piece will be owned by Carson City and added to its permanent art collection. All involved parties are looking for a design that will go with the established aesthetic of both the inside and outside of the building and each letter will depict an attribute of Carson City that will highlight what the City has to offer.

Submission deadline is 5:00 pm on April 5, 2021. For the complete RFP details for the two murals, visit the website,

<https://visitcarsoncity.com/travel-industry/financials/>

For more information contact Gina Lopez gina@breweryarts.org



CVAC Mini-Grants to Local Schools

This is the third year that the Carson Valley Arts Council has provided mini grants to arts/music teachers at Douglas County elementary, middle and high schools. Sharon Schlegel, CVAC Executive Director Presenting check to Elizabeth Eubanks from Jacks Valley and Pinon Hills Elementary Schools received funding to purchase online curriculum for music students. The Carson Valley Arts Council is committed to supporting and promoting the arts in our local schools. Your support for CVAC makes a difference in our community.

Call to Artists: NTArts Art for the

Garden

Exhibit – Not Just Gnomes

NTArts will host a Garden Art exhibit and sale featuring unique, handmade art to enhance gardens big and small.

Exhibit Dates: May 6 – June 28, 2021

Application Fee: \$45

Application Deadline: April 20

to apply: northtahoearts.com

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